

SOUTH KITIKMEOT GOLD PROJECT
ENGAGEMENT LOG AND SUMMARY

NOVEMBER 2022

ENGAGEMENT SUMMARY

Dialogue with landowners, Indigenous Governments rights holders and interested parties regarding the South Kitikmeot Gold Project specific to the land use permit, land use licence and water licence applications commenced in late September. Parties engaged include:

- Adjacent interest holders;
- Akaitcho Dene First Nations Interim Measures Office (ADFNIMO);
- Canadian Northern Economic Development Agency (CANNOR);
- Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada (CIRNAC);
- Government of the Nunavut (GN);
- Hamlet of Kugluktuk;
- Kitikmeot Inuit Association (KIA);
- Kugluktuk Angoniatit Association (KAA);
- Nunavut Water Board (NWB);
- Tłıchq Government (TG).

At the time of application submission:

- Virtual or in person meetings were held with CIRNAC, CANNOR, GN and TG;
- Hamlet of Kugluktuk presented project materials to council;
- Inspector provided direction on enforcement of expected conditions applying to caribou protection;
- In person meetings and a public meeting are planned in Kugluktuk early in 2023;
- Proposed caribou protection measures have been widely circulated and feedback requested;
- Planning for coordination with adjacent projects commenced;
- Aurora Geosciences Ltd. on behalf of Viridis Mining and Minerals is not aware of any outstanding issues.

Dates of Engagement	Engagement From		Attendees/ Addressee		Engagement Type	Reason for Engagement	Outcome	Action
	Org.	Name	Org.	Name				
Akaitcho Dene First Nations Interim Measures Office								
01-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	ADFNIMO	S. Poole	Email	Advised of upcoming project application, share information, request meeting		
24-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	ADFNIMO	S. Poole	Email	Follow-up on email sent previously	-	-
Canadian Northern Economic Development Agency								
26-Oct-22	AGL	S. Hamm	CANNOR	A. Paradis	Email	Introduce project, advise of upcoming application	Nov 17: SH and AP met in person	-
Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada								
17-Oct-22	AGL	S. Hamm	CIRNAC	T. McCaie A. Keim B. Pedersen	Email	Advise of upcoming application submission, request meeting	Oct 28: BP responded, interested in meeting over Teams or phone Oct 31: TM responded proposing times and dates to meet virtually. SH responded same day.	-
08-Nov-22	AGL Viridis	S. Hamm Dave White Agha Shahzad Pervez	CIRNAC	T. McCaie A. Keim	Virtual Meeting	Introduce project, discuss regulatory process	Presented slide deck. Discussed caribou protection measures, regulatory history of the project, nearby projects	Nov 11: SH issued slide deck and project description
08-Nov-22	AGL Viridis	S. Hamm D. White A. Shahzad Pervez	CIRNAC	B. Pedersen	Virtual Meeting	Introduce project, discuss regulatory process	Presented slide deck. Discussed caribou protection measures, regulatory history of the project, nearby projects, enforcement of NIRB condition related to caribou monitoring. CIRNAC advised that it appears nothing uncommon or worrisome is in scope, supportive of benefits to northerners in the form of jobs	Nov 8: SH followed up by email, shared text of NIRB condition in question. BP responded the next day with direction. SH responded on Nov 15, indicating related discussion was had with the NIRB and general

								previous engagement with GN-DOE. Nov 11: SH issued slide deck and project description
Government of Nunavut								
27-Oct-22	AGL	S. Hamm	GN-EDT	P. Budkewitch	Email	Advise of upcoming application submission, request meeting	Nov 3: PB responded, suggested meeting over Zoom, or possibly in person in Yellowknife and/or Vancouver. SH responded same day, confirmed intent to meet as it suits. Nov 7: PB confirmed attendance in Yellowknife, agreed to meet. SH responded same day.	-
01-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	GN-DOE	K. Methuen A. Roberto-Charron L. Leclerc	Email	Introduce project, advise of upcoming application submission, request meeting	Nov 1: KM responded, expressed interest in meeting. SH and KM exchanged several emails and arranged a virtual meeting	-
01-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	GN-EDT	H. MacIassac	Email	Advised of upcoming licence application, share project information, offered to meet if needed	Nov 2: HI responded, indicated an interest in discussing the project in Yellowknife, forwarded inquiry to Paul Budkewitch. SH and HI met informally in person on Nov 15.	-
10-Nov-22	AGL Viridis	S. Hamm D. White A. Shahzad Pervez	GN-DOE	K. Methuen L. Leclerc	Virtual Meeting	Introduce project, discuss wildlife use of the area and caribou protection measures	Presented slide deck. GN advised that Dolphin and Union caribou have been observed in the area. Discussed winter migration is when lots of caribou are in the area, later in summer is best for drilling. Discussed emissions reductions and energy efficiency measures that AGL employs at its camps, engagement with other parties.	SH committed to update the Environment and Heritage Resources Protection Plan to reflect DU caribou use of the area. Nov 15: SH provided the slide deck and the Environment and Heritage Resources Protection Plan for review and comment. KM confirmed receipt,

								advised he will follow up if he has any further questions or comments
17-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm D. White C. Segbeor N. Bocking	GN-EDT	P. Budkewitch	In person	Introduce the AGL team to GN, discuss the project	-	Nov 23: SH issued slide deck with project info to PB, confirmed intent to meet in person with Viridis in Vancouver in January
<i>Hamlet of Kugluktuk</i>								
01-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	Hamlet - Kug	K. Young	Email	Introduce project, advise of upcoming licence application, share project information, offered to meet if needed	Same day colleague advised KY is out of the office and suggested following up later in the month. SH acknowledged same day.	-
23-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	Hamlet - Kug	K. Young	Email	Follow-up on previous outreach	Same day KY indicated she presented the Viridis info package to council last week, there were no immediate questions, but interested in meeting should folks travel to Kugluktuk. SH confirmed same day plans to travel to Kug early in the new year.	-
<i>Kitikmeot Inuit Association</i>								
22-Sep-22	AGL	S. Hamm	KIA	W. Kuliktana T. Bolt	Email	Advised of upcoming project application, share information, request meeting	Sept 26: WK responded, indicating application can be submitted to TB and looks forward to meeting in Kug	-
01-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	KIA	W. Kuliktana T. Bolt	Email	Shared project information, requested input on caribou protection measures, advised of intent to meet in person in January	-	-
<i>Kugluktuk Angoniatit Association</i>								
22-Sep-22	AGL	S. Hamm	KAA	A. Dumond	Email	Advise of upcoming application submission, request HTO board meeting schedule, inquire whether in person or virtual meeting is preferred	Sept 28: AD responded by email, indicating that she is travelling a lot as is the Board. Meeting either virtually or in person works. She will advise once she has a schedule of upcoming Board meetings	-

01-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	KAA	A. Dumond	Email	Share project information, follow-up on Board meeting schedule, suggest a virtual meeting in the near term, expressed interest in discussing caribou protection measures	-	-
15-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	KAA	A. Dumond	Email	Provided Engagement Plan and Environment and Heritage Resources Protection Plan, requested comments and discussion	-	-
<i>Landusers</i>								
01-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	Landuser	J. and M. Kaodloak	Email	Introduce the project, share information, request meeting, specifically interested in discussing caribou protection measures and camp siting	Nov 1: JF responded same day, interested in the project and starting a dialogue, but is busy right now and will reach out when the time is right. SH responded same day.	-
15-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	Landuser	J. and M. Kaodloak	Email	Provided Environment and Heritage Resources Protection Plan and invited comments.	Nov 22: JF responded that he will review the plan and provide input into camp siting to protect the environment and ecology	-
<i>Nearby Project</i>								
08-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	Sabina	M. Pickard	Email	Introduced project, advised study area is close to Sabina's project area, shared information and offered to meet, as needed.	Nov 23: SH emailed A. Moore, offered to meet as needed Nov 24: AM responded, requested map and emergency contact info to coordinate in the field as needed SH responded same day with a map, committed to follow-up with an Ops contact.	SH committed to put AGL Ops in touch with Sabina for emergency response coordination and cooperation
<i>Nunavut Water Board</i>								
01-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	NWB	K. Kharatyan	Email	Advised of upcoming licence application, offered to meet if needed	Nov 2: KK responded, offered to have a call if needed Nov 7: SH responded, advised of submission to the NIRB, open to discussing process if needed	-
<i>Tłı̄chq̄ Government</i>								
01-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	TG	G. Mackenzie B. Wheler	Email	Introduce the project, share information, request meeting	Nov 1: GM responded same day, agreed to meet in person in Yellowknife. SH confirmed same day	-

16-Nov-22	AGL	S. Hamm	TG	G. Mackenzie	In person	Introduce the project, discuss Tlicho interests	SH introduced project, shared slide deck with maps and photos. GM advised that it is important to know what is going on on Tlicho lands. Where there are overlapping interests, TG typically defers to nearest community. Discussed that Viridis proposed camp location is approx. the same distance to Kugluktuk as it is to Yellowknife. GM advised that TG Engagement guidelines have just been issued. Discussed the GNWT draft mobile protection measures, GM advised she would share the project info with the Department of Lands and Culture	Nov 18: SH provided a copy of the slide deck, Engagement Plan, Environment and Heritage Resources Protection Plan, and invited comments.
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