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Re: NIRB Scoping and Guidelines Tour for the Kitikmeot Inuit Association and Government of Nunavut's "Grays Bay Road and Port" Project Proposal (NIRB File 17XN011)

Dear Mayors:

On January 17, 2018 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB or Board) sent notice of the commencement of the Review for Kitikmeot Inuit Association and Government of Nunavut's (the Proponents) "Grays Bay Road and Port" project proposal (NIRB File No. 17XN011) which included details on the forthcoming public scoping and Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) Guidelines sessions.

The NIRB has commenced its public notice of these scoping sessions by informing communities of the following schedule:

Community	Location	Date
Gjoa Haven	Gideon Qitsualik Memorial Center	March 19-20, 2018
Kugaaruk	Community Hall	March 21-22, 2018
Taloyoak	E. W. Lyall Recreation Complex	March 23-24, 2018
Cambridge Bay	Luke Novoligak Community Hall	March 26-27, 2018
Kugluktuk	Recreation Complex	March 28-29, 2018

As outlined in the January 29, 2018 correspondence, the NIRB's public scoping sessions are intended to engage the public during the early stages of the Review process in order to facilitate meaningful consultation with communities identified as potentially affected by the Phase 2 Hope Bay Belt Project.

We look forward to meeting with your community in March. Should you have any questions regarding the upcoming meetings or the NIRB's Review of the Grays Bay Road and Port project proposal, please contact Keith Morrison, Technical Advisor II at kmorrison@nirb.ca or (867) 983-4617.

Sincerely,



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Enclosed (1): NIRB Letter to Parties Re: *Commencement of the of the NIRB's Review of Kitikmeot Inuit Association and the Government of Nunavut's "Grays Bay Road and Port" Project Proposal*, January 29, 2018