

## **SUMMARY OF COMMENTS/RECOMMENDATIONS**

**PROPONENT:** Joseph Isfjord and Kimberley Dawn Isfjord  
**PROPOSAL NAME:** Chesley's Resort - Wastewater System  
**CLASS OF DEVELOPMENT:** 1  
**TYPE OF DEVELOPMENT:** Waste Treatment and Storage  
**FILE NO.:** 5718.00

### **OVERVIEW:**

Manitoba Conservation and Climate received a Proposal on August 21, 2019 relative to the construction and operation of the Development being a wastewater collection system involving the installation and operation of two 45,000 litre holding tanks and the continuing operation of an existing wastewater collection system, holding tanks, and septic tank and field system at Chesley's Resort located within SE 23-15-4 EPM in the Rural Municipality of St. Andrews. The collected and stored wastewater in the holding tanks at Chesley's Resort will be pumped out and trucked by licensed haulers to the Rural Municipality of St. Andrews wastewater treatment lagoon or an alternative wastewater treatment facility operating under an Environment Act Licence.

The Department, on September 6, 2019, placed copies of the Proposal in the Public Registries located online at <http://www.gov.mb.ca/sd/eal/registries/index.html> . A notice of the Environment Act proposal was placed in the Selkirk Record newspaper on Thursday, September 12, 2019. The newspaper notification invited responses until September 25, 2019. Requests for comments on the Proposal were distributed to the Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) on September 11, 2019. Responses from the TAC were requested by September 25, 2019.

### **COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:**

There were no comments from the public.

## **SUMMARY Of COMMENTS FROM THE TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE:**

<b>No</b>	<b>Technical Advisory Committee Member</b>	<b>Response Provided</b>
1	Manitoba Agriculture – Land Use Branch	No response
2	Manitoba Sustainable Development –	
	Environmental Compliance and Enforcement	No concern
	Climate Change and Air Quality Branch	No response
	Air Quality Management Section	No response
	Wildlife and Fisheries Branch	No wildlife related concerns
	Parks and Regional Services Branch	No response
	Parks and Protected Spaces	No comments or concerns
	Forestry and Peatlands Branch	September 20, 2019
	Indigenous Relations Branch	No response
	Lands Branch	No response
	Water Science and Management Branch:	
	Water Quality Management Section	No comments
	• Groundwater Management Section	No response
	• Office of Drinking Water	No concerns
	• Water Use Licensing Section	No response
	• Water Control Works and Drainage	No response
	• Watersheds Branch	No response
	Eastern Region Integrated Resource	No response
3	Manitoba Sport, Culture, and Heritage – Heritage Branch	No response
4	Manitoba Growth, Enterprise and Trade –	
	Energy Development Branch	No response
	Petroleum Branch	No response
	Office of Fire Commissioner	No response
	Work Place Safety & Health	No response
5	Manitoba Infrastructure	No concerns
6	Manitoba Municipal Relations	No concerns
7	Manitoba Health, Seniors and Active Living – Environmental Health Unit	No response

## **COMMENTS FROM THE TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE:**

### **Manitoba Sustainable Development – Forestry and Peatlands Branch**

- Trees identified as Elm must be disposed of properly. Please make applicant aware of the Forest Health Protection Regulation.  
<http://web2.gov.mb.ca/laws/regs/current/pdf-regs.php?reg=87/2009>
- In order to lessen the spread of forest insects and diseases, limit the movement of wood cleared from site.

#### Disposition:

This information has been forwarded to the proponent.

### **PUBLIC HEARING:**

As no requests were received for a public hearing, a public hearing is not recommended.

### **CROWN-INDIGENOUS CONSULTATION:**

The Government of Manitoba recognizes that it has a duty to consult in a meaningful way with Indigenous communities when any proposed provincial law, regulation, decision or action may infringe upon or adversely affect the exercise of the Indigenous rights of that community.

The proposal involves the installation and operation of two new 45,000 litre holding tanks and the continuing operation of existing wastewater collection systems, holding tanks, and septic tank and field system and the decommissioning of a previously existing wastewater pond. Since resource use is not affected by the project, it is concluded that Crown-Indigenous consultation is not required for the project.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the Development be licensed under The Environment Act subject to the limits, terms and conditions as described on the attached draft Environment Act Licence.

It is further recommended that the administration of the new Licence be assigned to the Interlake Region of the Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Branch. Responsibility for site inspections during construction and record drawings should be held jointly by the Environmental Approvals and Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Branch until upgrades of the wastewater management facility associated with this Licence have been completed.

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