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**SUBJECT: Manitoba Floodway and East Side Authority – All-Season Road from  
Berens River to Poplar River First Nation (File: 5747.00)**

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Air Quality Section has reviewed the above mentioned proposal and provides the following comment:

- Mitigation of potential dust generation, gaseous pollutant and particulate emissions, and noise level during construction work should be addressed adequately in the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS).

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**SUBJECT:** ASR for Berens R. to Poplar R. First Nations  
File No.: 5747.00  
Manitoba Floodway and East Side Authority  
HRB Review and Comments

**PHONE NO:**

**HRB FILE:** AAS-14-8616

Further to your memo regarding the above noted all season road from Berens River First Nation to Poplar River First Nation (the "Project"), I have examined the location of the Project (the "Planned Area") in conjunction with the Historic Resources Branch's ("HRB") records for areas of potential concern and can advise that there are previously recorded heritage sites located within the vicinity of the Planned Area and the potential to impact significant heritage resources has been deemed high in this area and herefore HRB has some concerns with the project.

Under Section 12(2) of The Heritage Resources Act of Manitoba, being the governing legislation for HRB, if the Minister of Culture, Heritage, and Tourism has reason to believe that heritage resources or human remains are known, or thought likely to be present, on lands that are to be developed, then the owner/developer is required to conduct at his/her own expense, a heritage resource impact assessment (HRIA) and mitigation, if necessary, prior to the project's start.

As a result of the forgoing, the developer must contract a qualified archaeological consultant to conduct a Heritage Resources Impact Assessment ("HRIA") of the Planned Area, in order to identify and assess any heritage resources that may be negatively impacted by the development. If desirable, HRB will work with the developer/land owners and its consultant(s) to draw up terms of reference for the HRIA.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at the above noted particulars.

Christina Nesbitt

DATE: January 9, 2015

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SUBJECT: Environment Act Proposal Review – East Side Road – ASR for Berens R. to Poplar R.  
(File No. 5747)

Environmental Compliance and Enforcement (Eastern Region) has reviewed the above proposal and submits the following comments:

2.4.3 Types of Waste and Disposal Plans

The proposal indicates that septage waste will be collected in approved containers and will be hauled for disposal and treatment at a licensed or approved facility.

The proponent is advised of the following requirements of Manitoba Regulation 83/2002 Onsite Wastewater Management Systems Regulation:

- containers used for the collection of sewage must meet the minimum requirements of Manitoba Regulation 83/2003 and must be registered with an environment officer prior to installation or use
- relocation of a sewage holding tank from one location to another must be registered and authorized by an environment officer prior to relocation
- the hauling of wastewater to a licensed or approved treatment facility must be done so by a person who is registered as a sewage hauler in accordance with the Regulation, or by a person employed by a registered sewage hauler.

4.3.8 Other (Manitoba)

The proposal indicates that permits for petroleum storage tanks over 5,000 L will be required. The proponent is advised that Manitoba Regulation 188/2001 Storage and Handling of Petroleum Products and Allied Products Regulation requires permits for aboveground petroleum storage tanks with a capacity equal to or greater than 5,000 L.

Remediation of Petroleum Impacted Soils

A generic remedial action plan (G-RAP) was submitted by the proponent and approved by Conservation and Water Stewardship in May 2013. The G-RAP is applicable only to sites that are estimated to contain less than 10 m<sup>3</sup> of petroleum hydrocarbon impacted material.

Sites with 10 m<sup>3</sup> or greater of impacted soil require site-specific remedial action plans that must be submitted and approved by an environment officer prior to the onset of any remedial work.

## Ouimet, Darrell (CWS)

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**From:** Kanya, Veronika (CWS)  
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Hi Darrell,

please see our comments from Wildlife:

- Section 4.3.8 currently reads as follows:

### **4.3.8 Other (Manitoba)**

Burning Permits required under Section 19(1) of *The Wildfires Act* will be sought as needed. Contractors will be required to obtain permits for petroleum storage tanks over 5,000 L on Crown land will be required under *The Dangerous Goods Handling and Transportation Act* (Storage and Handling of Petroleum Products and Allied Products Regulation) and Environment Act Licences for batch plants. Licenses for storage of explosives for quarries permitted under *The Mines and Minerals Act* will be sought as required, in accordance with regulations under *The Workplace Safety and Health Act*. Any required permits for environmental investigations such as wildlife investigations will be acquired under the *Manitoba Wildlife Act* and archeological investigations under the *Heritage Resources Act*. As required, other permits and approvals will be acquired under the *Forest Act*.

ESRA should be aware that under *The Wildlife Act*, authorization for the removal of any beaver dams, beaver lodges and muskrat houses will be required prior to their removal. As well, unless otherwise directed by an officer, the removal of the beavers/muskrats associated with these structures is required prior the removal of the structures.

- Any field camps constructed should follow wildlife-smart guidelines as follows:
  - Buildings on site are to be constructed in a line or semi-circle with enough space between buildings to allow easy visibility of bears and quick escape routes for bears.
  - If building construction is raised above ground, skirting is to be installed to prevent wildlife from accessing underneath.
  - Building exits must have round door handles and a window.
  - All garbage is to be secured so that bears cannot access it during storage (this includes the option of an electric fencing system).
  - Garbage is to be shipped off site to a licensed facility or incinerated using a high-temperature incineration system.
  - Sewage and grey-water are to be managed so as to prevent attracting bears to the area.
  - The intentional feeding of wildlife should be prohibited.
  - Aversive conditioning (e.g. bear bangers) should be implemented for wildlife including bears, coyotes, wolves and others
  - A Human-Wildlife Conflict Management protocol should be developed, which includes a section on bear safety, and submitted for approval to the Department of Conservation and Water Stewardship Wildlife Branch.
- Field staff should be provided with Bear Smart training including the proper use of bear deterrent spray.
- Field staff should be provided with bear deterrent spray.
- Field staff should be provided with two-way radios (or alternate means of communication) to ensure they are able to remain in contact at all times.

Cheers,

Veronika

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**CC:** Ouimet, Darrell (CWS)

**Subject:** EAP Review and comments E.Side Road - ASR for Berens R. to Poplar R. - File: 5747.00

Your review and comments would be appreciated for the attached Proposal submitted pursuant to *The Environment Act*:

<http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/eal/registries/5747berenspoplarroad/index.html>

The contact person assigned to co-ordinate review and assessment of the Proposal is:

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Thank you.

*Sent on behalf of:*

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Hello Mr. Ouimet,

On behalf of the Water Quality Management Section of Manitoba Conservation and Water Stewardship, the Environmental Scoping Document and Project Description for East Side Road Authority Inc. - All Season Road from the community of Berens River to Poplar River were reviewed and the following comments are provided:

The mitigation measures discussed in the proposal will help ensure a certain degree of environmental protection. As the project proponent is, essentially the Government of Manitoba there is an opportunity to use the best available practices for prevention or mitigation of environmental effects from this project. Many of the mitigation measures proposed will depend on the skill of the individual equipment operator. The most experienced operators should be working in the most sensitive areas, for example, near watercourses.

Significant quantities of blast rock will be required for construction of this road. The proponent should ensure that any rock utilized for the proposed road is of a quality such that it is not acid generating. It may be prudent for the proponent to have to conduct acid base accounting on blasted rock used for road material. The proponent will also have to ensure that if ammonium based explosives are used, residual ammonia from blasting operations does not leach into surface water. If there is, a risk of leachate entering surface water the proponent should be required to contain all leachate from blasted rock.

The proposed road requires numerous stream and river crossings including crossing. If there is a risk of impacts to surface waters, the proponent should establish a water quality monitoring program at the proposed bridge locations and consult with Manitoba Conservation and Water Stewardship on study design requirements. This monitoring program would start prior to bridge construction and occur for approximately three years of use or until it is determined there are no impacts to these rivers.

Maximum buffers along watercourses and water bodies for water quality protection and protection of fish resources established by forest practices guidelines need to be used. Buffer sizes should be increased above these maximums for areas known or thought to be more sensitive such as steep slopes. Any reductions of buffer sizes from recommended widths in forest practices guidelines need to be carefully considered and rationales documented.

### Specific Comments:

- Where practicable using the existing winter road alignment to avoid establishing a new road right of way can be preferred
- If fertilization is used when re-establishing vegetation on exposed and excavated areas due to road construction, only the basic recommended amount of nitrogen and phosphorus needed to establish a healthy growth should be used to reduce leaching of excess nutrients to surface waters. No more fertilizer than required for a single season should be applied in a given year. The use of slow release formulations are also alternatives that should be considered.
- The proponent should be reminded that pursuant to the Nutrient Management Regulation (MR 62/ 2008) under the *Water Protection Act*, the mechanical application of substances containing nitrogen or phosphorus is

prohibited in Nutrient Management Zone N4 (Canada Land Inventory Agricultural Capability Class 6, Class 7, or unimproved organic soils) and in the Nutrient Buffer Zone.

- The proponent should implement effective long-term sediment and erosion control to prevent soil laden sediment, runoff, and/or silt from entering any watercourse, during construction and until vegetation is established.
- Routinely inspect all erosion and sediment control measures and immediately complete maintenance or repair.
- The use of chemical melting agents (for example road salts) for traction at water crossing should be avoided for preference of using clean crushed rock.
- Fuel and oil storage areas should be located a minimum of 100 metres from any water body.
- Due to the large scope of the project, there is reasonable opportunity for an incident or accident, for example a spill fuel or oil. An emergency response plan should in place before construction starts.
- The proponent will have to prevent oil, hydraulic fluids, coolant, paint, uncured concrete or concrete wash from entering any drainage course or waterbody
- Concerning the right of way management, it is not clear from the proposal if any herbicides will be used during ongoing maintenance.
- All exposed areas should be revegetated with native species
- Local drainage patterns shall not be altered

Considering work camps:

- Wastewater (sewage and grey water) from work camps and other infrastructure should be collected in holding tanks and disposed of at a licensed wastewater treatment facility.

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**To:** Jacobs, Kevin (CWS)

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## Ouimet, Darrell (CWS)

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**From:** Roberts, Dan (CWS)  
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**Cc:** Maksymchuk, Michael (CWS); Reimer, Geoff P (CWS)  
**Subject:** EAP Review and comments E.Side Road - ASR for Berens R. to Poplar R. - File: 5747.00  
**Attachments:** Drainage Licence Application.pdf

The *Water Control Works and Drainage Licensing Section* recommends the following:

- 1) All works are constructed in accordance with *Fisheries and Oceans Canada - Operational Statements*.
- 2) The construction schedule avoids critical fisheries time periods of April 15<sup>th</sup> to June 15<sup>th</sup>.
- 3) The timing of construction is aimed at eliminating, reducing, or preventing erosion.
- 4) Construction activities are suspended during wet conditions, and performed only during low or no-flow periods.

Please remind the proponent that any water control works (drains, culverts, dykes, dams, etc.) associated with this project will require licensing under the *Water Rights Act* -- an application is attached for the proponent's convenience. Any inquiries in this regard may be directed to the local *Water Resource Officer*. Their contact information may be found at:

[http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/waterstewardship/licensing/pdf/areas\\_of\\_focus\\_jan\\_23\\_12.pdf](http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/waterstewardship/licensing/pdf/areas_of_focus_jan_23_12.pdf)

Sincerely,

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No concerns.

Rob Matthews, WULS, CWS.

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Parks and Protected Spaces Branch has reviewed the proposal submitted pursuant to the *Environment Act* for ASR for Berens R. to Poplar R. - File: 5747.00. The Branch has no comments or concerns to offer as it does not affect any provincial parks, park reserves, ecological reserves, areas of special interest, or proposed protected areas.

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**Ouimet, Darrell (CWS)**

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**To:** Ouimet, Darrell (CWS)  
**Subject:** RE: 5747.00 Berens River - Poplar River Road EAP

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Mr. Ouimet,

I reviewed the above noted EAP and found no cause for concern respecting drinking water quality or safety in it.  
If you have any questions, please call.

Regards,

**James Stibbard P. Eng.**

Approvals Engineer

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Hello Darrell,

Good morning.

Lands branch has no comment on File 5747.00

Sorry for the late reply.

Kind regards

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No concerns.

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**Subject:** EAP Review and comments E.Side Road - ASR for Berens R. to Poplar R. - File: 5747.00

Your review and comments would be appreciated for the attached Proposal submitted pursuant to *The Environment Act*:

<http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/eal/registries/5747berenspoplarroad/index.html>

The contact person assigned to co-ordinate review and assessment of the Proposal is:

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Please indicate to the contact person if you are unable to review the proposal. A non-reply will be considered as indicating your department has reviewed the proposal and has no concerns.

Any comments you have on the Proposal should be emailed by **January 9, 2015**.

**\*\*No hard copies will be provided\*\***

Thank you.



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RE: Manitoba Floodway and East Side Road Authority  
All-Season Road from Berens River to Poplar River First Nation  
Client File No. 5747.00

Dear Ms. Braun:

MIT has reviewed the Scoping Document submitted by Manitoba Floodway and East-Side Road Authority and we do not have any concern.

Thank you very much for providing us the opportunity to review the proposal.

Sincerely,

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