



## Sustainable Development

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Marlene Gifford  
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Dear Ms. Gifford:

**Re: Wanipigow Sand Extraction Project – Public Consultation**

Thank you for your March 12, 2019 correspondence responding to comments and concerns raised by the Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) and the public regarding the proposed Wanipigow Sand Extraction Project by Canadian Premium Sand Inc. We have reviewed the proponent's response, placed it on the Public Registry and sent the information to the TAC and members of the public who participated in the review process. We will provide you any comments we receive from the public and TAC on the March 12, 2019 additional information by April 9, 2019.

To further address the concerns raised throughout the environmental assessment and licensing process in a timely and transparent way, Canadian Premium Sand Inc. is requested to hold a facilitated public meeting at an accessible location after April 16, 2019.

The public meeting must include a third-party facilitator and an agenda that clearly addresses the TAC and public concerns that have been raised during the assessment process.

Additionally, the facilitated public meeting process should include the following:

- a minimum of 10 days advanced notice to the public and the Environmental Approvals Branch which includes the date, time and location;
- a presentation of the Environment Act Proposal and responses to concerns and requests for information from TAC and the public;
- an opportunity for those in attendance to ask questions and state concerns regarding the information presented;
- responses to questions and concerns presented; and
- a written report to the Environmental Approvals Branch, within two weeks of the public meeting which summarizes the presentation, the questions and concerns and all responses.

Environmental Approvals Branch will forward the notice of the meeting to everyone who has participated in the assessment and licensing process and post it on our online public registry.

Compliance with these conditions is required as part of the environmental assessment and licensing process and will assist the Environmental Approvals Branch with consideration of the Environment Act Proposal. Representatives from the Environmental Approvals Branch will attend the meeting primarily as observers and to answer questions specific to the environmental assessment and licensing process.

If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Winsor, P.Eng. at 204-945-7012.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Tracey Braun".

Tracey Braun, M.Sc.  
Director

- c. Robert Archibald – Canadian Premium Sand Inc. (via email)  
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