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1.0 Introduction

1.1 PROJECT OVERVIEW

Niagara Region Wind Corporation (NRWC) is proposing to develop, construct, and operate the 230 Megawatt (MW) Niagara Region Wind Farm (the Project) within the Townships of West Lincoln and Wainfleet and the Town of Lincoln within Niagara Region and Haldimand County in southern Ontario, in response to the Government of Ontario's initiative to promote the development of renewable electricity in the province.

The basic components of the Project include 77 wind turbine generators (80 potential locations identified) each with a rated capacity ranging from approximately 3.0 MW for a maximum installed nameplate capacity of 230 MW. An overhead and/or underground collection system connects each turbine to one of two transformer substations along a series of 34.5 kilovolt (kV) lines. Turbines are grouped into nine collector circuits that bring power (and data via fibre optic lines) to one of the transformer substations. Voltage is stepped up from 34.5 kV to 115 kV at each transformer substation by means of a 100 MVA base rated transformer with two stages of cooling (via fans). A 115 kV transmission line transports power from each of the two transformer substations north to the tap-in location where the Project is connected to the Hydro One Networks Inc. (HONI) transmission line, south of the Queen Elizabeth Way (QEW) in the Town of Lincoln. Power generated from this Project will be conveyed along the existing HONI transmission line to the Beach Transformer Station in Hamilton.

Alternate transmission and collector lines routes have been identified and assessed to provide options during detailed design. The final selection of which route to follow will be confirmed following the consultation process with local distribution companies, agency review and detailed design.

Other Project components include a tap-in location, access roads, junction boxes (or pad-mounted disconnect switches), culverts at swales and waterbody crossings, and an operations and maintenance building. Temporary components during construction may include laydown areas (for storage and staging areas at each turbine location), crane pads or mats, staging areas along access roads, delivery truck turnaround areas, central construction laydown areas and crane paths.

NRWC has retained Stantec Consulting Ltd. (Stantec) to prepare the Renewable Energy Approval (REA) application, as a requirement under Ontario Regulation 359/09 - Renewable Energy Approvals under Part V.0.1 of the Act of the *Environmental Protection Act* (O. Reg. 359/09). According to subsection 6 (3) of O. Reg. 359/09, the Project is classified as a Class 4 Wind Facility and will follow the requirements identified in O. Reg. 359/09 for such a facility.

This Consultation Report has been prepared in accordance with O. Reg. 359/09, and is one component of the REA application for the Project.

1.2 REPORT REQUIREMENTS

The purpose of this Consultation Report is to provide the Ministry of the Environment (MOE) with information on consultation activities that were conducted with respect to the Project. The Consultation Report documents how NRWC consulted with the public, Aboriginal communities, federal and provincial agencies, the Niagara Escarpment Commission, local municipalities, utility providers and conservation authorities. In addition, the Consultation Report documents what changes were made and incorporated into the Project planning and design as a result of consultation activities.

The Consultation Report for the Project has been split into two separate components – Part 1 (under separate cover) addresses consultation with agencies, municipalities, and the general public. Part 2 (the current report) addresses the Aboriginal consultation and engagement program undertaken by NRWC in support of the Project.

The Consultation Report has been prepared in accordance with Item 2, Table 1 of O. Reg. 359/09 and the MOE's *Technical Guide to Renewable Energy Approvals* (MOE, 2012). O. Reg. 359/09 sets out specific content requirements for the Consultation Report as provided in the MOE's Checklist for Requirements under O. Reg. 359/09, which has been included as a supplement to the REA application for the Project.

The original REA application was provided to the MOE in April, 2013, and underwent screening for application completeness until late November, 2013. NRWC continued to consult with First Nation and Métis communities, as well as other stakeholders and agencies, and elected to update the Consultation Reports for the Project to reflect these efforts. This report reflects all First Nations and Métis engagement activities undertaken by NRWC up to November 14, 2013.

1.3 PROJECT LOCATION AND STUDY AREA

In accordance with O. Reg. 359/09, the "Project Location" includes all land and buildings/ structures associated with the Project and any air space in which the Project will occupy. This includes structures such as turbines, substations, access roads and power lines as well as any temporary work areas (the 'constructible area' for the Project) which are required to be utilized during the construction of the Project.

The "Project Study Area" was established to scope the siting of the proposed wind turbines, collector lines, access roads and temporary work areas. Similarly, the "Interconnector Study Area" was established to scope the location of the proposed 115kV transmission line, transformer substations and tap-in location. These two terms are intended to assist with background data collection and consultation, but have no formal definition or application under O. Reg. 359/09. Appendix A identifies both Study Areas, which include portions of the Townships of West Lincoln and Wainfleet and the Towns of Grimsby and Lincoln within the Niagara Region and within Haldimand County in Southern Ontario. Project infrastructure has been removed from the Township of Pelham and Town of Grimsby, but consultation continued

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with these communities, and both are still considered part of the Project Study Area for the purposes of consultation.

The Project is generally bounded by the Queen Elizabeth Way (QEW) to the north and Lake Erie to the south, Victoria Avenue to the east and Caistor Gainsborough Road to the west. The Niagara Escarpment and Greenbelt traverse the northern portion of the Project area (transmission line), where several wineries, orchards, agricultural fields, residences and natural features occur. The area south of the Niagara Escarpment and Greenbelt generally consists of flat, gently rolling farmland with several woodlands, wetlands and watercourses traversing the area.

Settlements within the general vicinity of the Project include Grimsby, Beamsville, Smithville, Fenwick, Wellandport, Lowbanks and Dunnville, as well as several small rural hamlets. There are no Provincial Parks within close proximity of the Project, although the Mountainview Conservation Area, Chippawa Creek Conservation Area, Gainsborough Conservation Area, and Gord Harry Trail (Wainfleet Rail Trail Conservation Area) occur near Project infrastructure.

Although O. Reg. 359/09 considers the REA process in terms of the Project Location, the siting process for wind farm projects is an iterative process, and final location of Project components was not available at Project outset. Therefore, a Project Study Area was developed to examine the general area within which the wind Project components may be sited; information gathered within this larger area contributed to the siting exercise. Project siting has been refined over the course of the REA process, resulting in the final Project Location. However, the Project Study Area continued to be used for assessed landowner and public notification throughout the REA process.

1.4 CONSULTATION PROCESS

Consultation is a requirement of the REA process under O. Reg. 359/09, and helps to ensure that concerns regarding the Project are identified early and addressed where possible, in a transparent manner. Consultation is also used to identify potentially interested parties and the nature of their interest, inform these parties of the Project, and incorporate their concerns or interests into the planning and design process, to the greatest extent possible. In addition, it allows for the development of relationships between NRWC and interested parties, and establishes opportunities for invaluable feedback to the Project team. The consultation process is designed to assist in the identification of potential environmental and socio-economic issues to ensure they are given appropriate consideration in Project planning, design, construction, operation and decommissioning.

Consultation for the Project included the mandatory requirements set out in O. Reg. 359/09. NRWC's public consultation process is designed to align company performance and projects with the interests and priorities of local parties. Consultation plays an integral role in allowing NRWC to learn about, understand and address the priorities and concerns identified by interested parties throughout the life of a project.

The objectives of the consultation process for the Project are as follows:

- To build and maintain community support and obtain relevant approvals for the Project;
- To ensure that relevant, accurate, and consistent information about the Project is provided to local Aboriginal communities, community members, members of the public, agencies, and municipalities, as early and often as possible;
- To obtain/identify relevant information and local knowledge in possession of local communities, municipalities, and Aboriginal communities;
- To identify potential issues and areas of concern that may arise from the Project;
- To address concerns by providing additional information and explanation, changing Project design, or making commitments in response to local input and comments;
- To promote effective, proactive and responsive communications with the public, Aboriginal communities, municipalities and agencies and for issues to be resolved where possible, in a transparent manner;
- To track and document all communications between the Project team and interested parties and ensure information is incorporated into planning, to the greatest extent possible; and,
- To demonstrate that NRWC is committed to the well-being of the communities within which it works.

Consultation for the Project began early in the planning process and will continue throughout the design, development, construction, operation and decommissioning of the Project.

1.5 ABORIGINAL ENGAGEMENT STRATEGY

The Aboriginal Engagement Strategy for the Niagara Region Wind Project serves to engage interested and local First Nation and Métis communities in a way that is meaningful and respectful of their Aboriginal and treaty rights and interests in the Project area.

Objectives include:

- Provide Project information to First Nation and Métis communities;
- Obtain information on potentially affected rights;
- Listen to concerns raised by First Nation and Métis communities;
- Consider adverse impacts and determining how to address these concerns, including attempting to avoid, minimize and/or mitigate adverse impacts on Aboriginal or treaty rights; and,
- Build sustainable long term “good neighbour practices”.

Each of the First Nation and Métis communities consulted have determined how they wish to be engaged, in addition to the mandatory requirements under O. Reg. 359/09. Mandatory requirements are detailed below, followed by separate Sections detailing consultation and engagement initiatives specific to each of the First Nation and Métis communities.

2.0 Communication Activities

2.1 IDENTIFICATION OF ABORIGINAL COMMUNITIES WITH AN INTEREST IN THE PROJECT

In accordance with O. Reg. 359/09 S.14 (1) (b), on August 2, 2011, the draft Project Description Report was provided to the Director of the MOE with a request for a list of Aboriginal communities who:

- (i) Have or may have constitutionally protected Aboriginal or treaty rights that may be adversely impacted by the project, or*
- (ii) Otherwise may be interested in any negative environmental effects of the project.*

Prior to receiving the Aboriginal List for the Project from the MOE, Stantec developed a contact list of First Nation and Métis communities based on best professional judgement, which included a focus on those found within 100 km of the Project Study Area, and/or on the traditional lands of the local communities. First Nation and Métis communities engagement for the Project focused on the following local communities:

- Six Nations of the Grand River First Nation Elected Council (Six Nations);
- Six Nations of the Grand River Haudenosaunee Confederacy Chiefs Council (HCCC);
- Mississauga of the New Credit First Nation; and,
- Métis Nation of Ontario.

On September 22, 2011 NRWC received a letter from the MOE (Appendix A) that confirmed the list above as communities with a potential interest in the Project, and added the Niagara Region Métis Council (Table 2.1).

Summaries of engagement efforts are provided in the following Sections. Detailed tables with records of engagement and consultation activities for each Aboriginal community can be found in Appendices B3, C3, D3, and E3.

The following Sections describe the consultation activities undertaken to ensure local and interested Aboriginal communities were made aware and kept informed of Project activities and had the opportunity to provide comments, questions and concerns regarding the Project. The Project Distribution List for the Aboriginal Communities is provided in Table 2.1, and copies of Project Notices are provided in Appendix F.

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The appendices include copies of letters, correspondence documents and materials associated with ongoing communities activities located in the following:

- Appendix B – Six Nations of the Grand River First Nation;
- Appendix C – Six Nations of the Grand River Haudenosaunee Confederacy Chiefs Council;
- Appendix D – Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation;
- Appendix E – Métis Nation of Ontario; and,
- Appendix F – Project Documents.

Table 2.1: Aboriginal Community Contacts

First Nation	Contact Name	Title	Address	Phone & Fax	email
Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation	Carolyn King	Geomatics Environmental Technician Lands Research & Membership Dept.	Consultation & Outreach Office – Old Council Hse. 2789 Mississauga Road, RR#6 Hagersville, ON N0A 1H0	Tel: 905-768-7632 Fax: 905-768-1225	Carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com
Six Nations of the Grand River First Nation	Joanne Thomas	Lands and Resources Land Use Unit Consultation Point Person	2498 Chiefswood Rd. P.O. Box 5000 Ohsweken, ON N0A 1M0	Tel: 519-445-2563 Fax: 519-717-0545	jthomas@sixnations.ca
Métis Nation of Ontario	James Wager	Consultation Assessment Coordinator Land Resources and Consultation	Métis Nation of Ontario 75 Sherbourne St. Suite 311 Toronto, ON M5A 2P9	Tel: 416-977-9881 (ext 107) Cell: 905-447-6612 Fax: 416-977-9911	JamesW@Métisnation.org
Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Hazel Hill	Interim Director	16 Sunrise Court Suite 417 P.O. Box 714 Ohsweken, ON N0A 1M0	Tel: 519-445-4222 519-445-2389	Hdi2@bellnet.ca

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2.2 PROJECT NOTICE AND REPORT DISTRIBUTION**2.2.1 Notice of Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project (July 2011) and Voluntary Community Meeting**

At commencement of the REA process for the Project under O. Reg. 359/09, NRWC hosted a community meeting (outside the REA process) to introduce the Project team and Project concept to the local community. The Notice of Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project was published in 15 local newspapers on 12 different dates in July 2011 (Appendix F1). The Notice was provided by mail to each Aboriginal community on July 13 and August 3, 2011 (Table 2-2).

2.2.2 Notice of Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and Public Meeting (August 2011)

The first Public Meetings for the Project under O. Reg. 359/09 were held from September 13-15, 2011. A Notice of Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and Notice of Public Meeting was published in 15 local newspapers in August and September, 2011, starting on August 6, 2011, more than 30 days before the first Public Meeting for the Project (Appendix F1). The Notice was additionally published in the Turtle Island News, published by Six Nations of the Grand River. The Notice was provided by mail to each Aboriginal community on July 13 and August 3, 2011 (Table 2-2).

2.2.3 Notice of Draft Site Plan, Revised Study Area and Public Meeting (August 2012)

Although not required under O. Reg. 359/09, an additional Public Meeting for the Project was held to provide an update to the Study Area and draft site plan on September 20, 2012. The Notice of Draft Site Plan, Revised Study Area and Public Meeting included information about the Public Meeting and updated Project location, and the locations where the revised Project Description Report and draft Site Plan Report were available for public review (Appendix F1). The Notice was published in 15 local newspapers in August 2012. In addition, the Notice was published in the Turtle Island News, based in Six Nations of the Grand River, and Tekawennake News, serving Six Nations and Mississaugas of New Credit First Nation. The Notice was provided by mail to each Aboriginal community on August 15, 2012 (Table 2-2).

2.2.4 Notice of Draft Site Plan and Final Public Meeting (December 2012)

The final Public Meetings for the Project were held in February, 2013. The Notice of Final Public Meeting included information about the final Public Meeting sessions and the locations where the Draft REA Reports and proposed turbine layout were being made available for public review and comment (Appendix F1). The Notice of Final Public Meeting also included a Notice of Draft Site Plan due to changes in Project infrastructure. The Notice was published in 15 local newspapers in December 2012, starting on December 5th, 2012, more than 60 days before the final Public Meeting for the Project.

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Due to concerns regarding capacity at the venue in West Lincoln, NRWC opted to extend the hours from 4:30-10:00pm , to ensure maximum availability of the Project team in that municipality. The Notice of Final Public Meeting was republished in all newspapers the week of December 12, 2012. A reminder Notice was also published in all newspapers in January, 2013. The Notice was provided by mail to each Aboriginal community on December 4, 2012 (Table 2.2).

2.2.5 Notice of Application for Leave to Construct (August 2013)

While outside the REA process, NRWC provided mandatory Notice of Application for Leave to Construct to all the First Nation and Métis communities on the Project contact list on August 2, 2013 (Appendix F1). The Notice was provided to communities on the direction of the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) in relation to an Application filed with the OEB by NRWC under section 92 of the OEB Act for leave to construct transmission facilities in Niagara Region and Haldimand County.

Messages were also left with key contacts from each group provide further information and confirm if there were any questions regarding the transmission line or the Leave to Construct process. No feedback on the process was received.

Table 2.2: Distribution of Project Notices and Reports to Aboriginal Communities

	Six Nations of the Grand River	Six Nations of the Grand River Haudenosaunee Confederacy Chiefs Council	Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation	Métis Nation of Ontario	Niagara Region Métis Council
Draft Project Description Report	July 13, 2011	Aug. 3, 2011	July 13, 2011	Aug. 3, 2011	Aug. 3, 2011
Notice of Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and Notice of Public Meeting # 1	July 13, 2011	Aug. 3, 2011	July 13, 2011	Aug. 3, 2011	Aug. 3, 2011
Notice of Public Meeting #2	Aug. 15, 2012	Aug. 15, 2012	Aug. 15, 2012	Aug. 15, 2012	Aug. 15, 2012
Notice of the Draft Site Plan, Revised Study Area and Public Meeting	Aug. 15, 2012	Aug. 15, 2012	Aug. 15, 2012	Aug. 15, 2012	Aug. 15, 2012
Notice of Draft Site Plan and Final Public Meeting	Dec. 4, 2012	Dec. 4, 2012	Dec. 4, 2012	Dec. 4, 2012	Dec. 4, 2012
Draft REA Reports and Aboriginal Summary Reports	Dec. 4, 2012	Dec. 4, 2012	Dec. 4, 2012	Dec. 4, 2012	Dec. 4, 2012
Notice of Application for Leave to Construct	Aug. 2, 2013	Aug. 2, 2013	Aug. 2, 2013	Aug. 2, 2013	Aug. 2, 2013

2.3 PROJECT TELEPHONE, E-MAIL, MAIL AND WEBSITE

A Project e-mail address, mailing address and local telephone number were published in Project Notices and Newsletters and on the Project website as a means for interested parties and community members to provide comments, concerns or questions regarding the Project.

The Project website was used to provide updates on Project activities and information, upcoming Public Meeting information and consultation activities. Notices, Public Meeting display boards, Project Newsletters, and Draft REA Reports were also made available on the Project website.

2.4 NEWSLETTERS

Two Project Newsletters were distributed and made available on the Project website (Appendix F5).

2.4.1 Project Newsletter #1 (May, 2012)

The first Project Newsletter was distributed following Public Meeting #1, providing a Project update, details of the Public Meetings held in September 2011, and the selected turbine for the Project. In addition, the newsletter provided an update on how NRWC is working with Aboriginal communities, community involvement, and local job opportunities related to the Project.

2.4.2 Project Newsletter #2 (December, 2012)

The second Project Newsletter, distributed following Public Meeting #2, provided a Project update on the REA process, and manufacturing investments within the region by Enercon and TSP Canada Towers Inc. The newsletter also addressed NRWC's efforts towards working with aboriginal communities, and provided answers to frequently asked questions as heard at the September 20, 2012 Public Meeting.

2.5 PUBLIC MEETINGS

2.5.1 Community Meeting – July 26, 2011

The purpose of the Community Meeting (held outside the REA process) was to introduce the Project and Project team, and provide an opportunity for community members to learn about the Project and the REA process. The Project team solicited input so that comments, issues and concerns could be incorporated into Project planning and design, to the greatest extent possible.

Display boards provided background information on NRWC, an overview of the Project, information on the REA process, relevant academic and industry studies, and an overview of NRWC's community sponsorship activities (Appendix F1).

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Representatives from Six Nations of the Grand River (Six Nations), Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation (MNCFN), NRWC and Stantec met at the NWRC Public Community Meeting. Stantec provided an update on the Project, a review of the REA requirements, the draft Project Description Report and a request that Six Nations and MNCFN provide, in writing, any information available to the community that, in its opinion, should be considered in preparing any technical documents outlined in the draft Project Description. In particular, any information the community may have regarding potential adverse impacts that the Project may have on constitutionally protected Aboriginal or treaty rights was sought, as well as any measures for mitigating those adverse impacts, in accordance with O. Reg. 359/09 S. 17(1)4. There was agreement that Six Nations and the MNCFN would provide any appropriate information.

2.5.2 Public Meeting #1 – September 13-15, 2011

The purpose of Public Meeting #1 was to introduce the Project and Project team, and offer the opportunity for community members to learn more about the Project and the REA process, and to ask questions of the Project team. Community members could also provide input into the Project so that their comments, issues and concerns could be incorporated into Project design, to the greatest extent possible.

Display boards provided background information on NRWC, an overview of the Project, information on the REA process, relevant academic and industry studies, timeline of project events, description of setback distance requirements, preliminary environmental findings, wind turbine schematics (showing approximate turbine and blade height, etc.), and an overview of NRWC's community sponsorship activities (Appendix F2).

2.5.3 Public Meeting: September 20, 2012

An additional Public Meeting, outside the REA process, was held in Smithville to update the community on changes to the Project layout and site plan, including the proposed location of the turbines and other Project components. This public meeting was held in part, to follow-up on commitments made to West Lincoln during presentations to council and planning committee. NRWC clearly communicated the proposed changes to the Study Area, as well as the intent of accommodating additional landowners adjacent to the newly added portions of the Study Area in an effort to fulfill previous commitments made by NRWC to be fully transparent and inclusive during the planning process.

Display boards provided background information on NRWC, an overview of the Project, information on the REA process, relevant academic and industry studies, timeline of project events, description of setback distance requirements, preliminary environmental findings, wind turbine schematics (showing approximate turbine and blade height, etc.), and an overview of NRWC's community sponsorship activities (Appendix F3).

Representative from Six Nations and MNCFN attended, and were provided a tour of the storyboards and introductions to members of the Project Team. PCL and Enercon were able to

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share their enthusiasm and commitment to attend the upcoming Employment and Contractor's Seminars on the Six Nation's reserve in October. The representatives spent one on one time with several members of the Project team getting questions answered.

The Six Nations and MNCFN representatives were given a hard copy of the storyboards (Appendix F3), and an electronic copy was provided shortly after the Meeting.

2.5.4 Final Public Meeting: February 5-7, 2013

The purpose of the Final Public Meeting was to provide an update on the Project, share the results of the REA studies and Draft REA Reports, discuss the proposed layout, and gather feedback from the community.

In the fall of 2012, Project infrastructure was removed from the Town of Grimsby and Township of Pelham; under O. Reg. 359/09, this removed the requirement to continue consultation within these communities. NRWC opted to continue to consult, and host Public Meetings for residents, to ensure these communities were made aware of this critical change to the Project.

Only one venue was available for rental in the Township of West Lincoln – the Wellandport Community Centre. As this was a small room, with a maximum capacity of 150 people (including staff), NRWC opted to extend the hours of this meeting from 4:30-10:00pm. In addition, NRWC rented a heated tent with wooden floors to accommodate an additional 150 people with an identical meeting setup (including display materials and Project team). Staff directed attendees to attend whichever venue they chose, as both meetings were identical, and information presented at both would answer their questions. The majority of public attendees entered both venues to speak with Project team members.

Representatives from MNCFN attended the final public meeting for the Project, and NRWC and Stantec provided a tour of the storyboards and introductions to members of the Project Team. The representatives spent one on one time with several members of the Project team getting questions answered. The MNCFN representatives were given a hard copy of the storyboards (Appendix F4), and an electronic copy was provided shortly after the Meeting.

2.6 REPORT DISTRIBUTION**2.6.1 Draft REA Reports**

Section 17(1)(3) of O.Reg. 359/09 requires that a summary of the REA documents in which Aboriginal communities have expressed an interest be provided to each Aboriginal community prior to the commencement of the public review period of the Draft REA Reports. In response to this requirement, the Project team prepared a Project Summary Report, which summarizes the Draft REA Reports, as well as a summary of potential environmental effects. This report was hand-delivered to Six Nations, Six Nations of the Grand River, Haudenosaunee Confederacy

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Chiefs Council (HCCC), and MCNFN on December 4, 2012 and couriered to the Métis Nation of Ontario on December 4, 2012.

A cover letter was provided with the Project Summary Report with a table which summarized the First Nation and Métis comments and concerns raised since consultation began. The table also provided additional information as well as specific reference to the section in the Draft REA Reports where the information pertaining to their question, issue or concern had been addressed. The Project Summary reports were provided in hard-copy and delivered with the CDs of the Draft REA Reports (Appendix F6).

The reports were sent to the Aboriginal community representatives and additional copies were provided if the First Nation and Métis communities requested more copies.

Each of the First Nations and Métis communities were requested to provide comments or feedback from their community regarding the Draft Project Summary Reports and the draft REA documents in writing, prior to the final public meeting, approximately 60 days after receipt of the letter and CDs. They were advised that additional comments to the Project team would be welcomed after that date, however, all comments were needed by February 14, 2013 if they were to be included in the Project's Consultation Report being submitted to the MOE as part of the REA application. NRWC also agreed to continue meeting to further discuss the draft reports and the Project in greater detail, if required.

3.0 Six Nations of the Grand River First Nation

Six Nations of the Grand River First Nation (Six Nations) was contacted by NRWC at the onset of the Project, with a cover letter and Notice of Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project on July 13, 2011. This community was identified as being in close proximity to the Project Study Area with a portion of the Project within the Haldimand Tract recognized by the Haldimand Proclamation of 1784 as traditional lands of the Six Nations, and as potentially having an interest in the Project.

Following introductory Project communications with Six Nations (including receipt of the Six Nations *Land Use Consultation & Accommodation Policy*, Six Miles Deep (Land Rights of the Six Nations of the Grand River); the Haldimand Proclamation, and a flow chart of the Six Nations Consultation and Accommodation Process), pre-disclosure meetings were held in the spring of 2011, attended by representatives from Six Nations, NRWC and Stantec. At these meetings, NRWC provided a history of their company and their plans to develop the Project. Six Nations described their history on the land, their stewardship of the land and concerns for the next seven generations. There was mutual agreement to engage the Six Nations on this Project and to work together following the Six Nations *Land Use Consultation & Accommodation Policy*.

All information and documents exchanged between Six Nations and NRWC are provided in Appendix B1, and all email correspondence is provided in Appendix B2. A complete summary of all correspondence, including Project team responses, is provided in Appendix B3.

3.1 INITIATIVES

3.1.1 Community Engagement Meeting: August 3, 2011

On August 3, 2011 Six Nations, NRWC and Stantec met to discuss how Six Nations wanted to be engaged on the Project. NRWC provided a draft Project Description and committed to:

- Respecting the Six Nations *Land Use Consultation & Accommodation Policy* and meeting with representatives of the Six Nations Consultation and Accommodation Process Team (CAP), at least quarterly until the Project has been commissioned, and annually once the Project is operational;
- Providing information, presentations and/or workshops on wind development and/or the Project to Chief and Council and other interested parties;
- Providing an “Elders’ Dinner” to share maps of the Project area and to learn from the Elders their traditional knowledge of the area, integrating this knowledge into the Project studies;

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- Providing copies of archaeological studies and contracting opportunities for Six Nations Community Archaeological Monitors (Six Nations Monitors) in support of completing Stage 2 archaeological work, discussing Stage 3 work, and continuing monitoring during construction;
- Inviting Six Nations members to all NRWC public meetings;
- Publishing Project Notices in local newspapers – the Turtle Island News, and the Tekannwake News;
- Providing a workshop(s) in the community for contractors and members seeking employment and contract opportunities;
- Developing and signing a Memorandum of Understanding between the Six Nations and NRWC; and,
- Developing a “Best Practices” strategy for community engagement.

Minutes from this meeting were emailed to Six Nations in August, 2011 (Appendix B1).

On August 4, 2011, Stantec sent a letter to Six Nations outlining the positive relationship being built as the parties move forward. The Draft Project Description Report was enclosed, detailing the Project location within Haldimand County and Niagara Region.

A Notice was also included for six upcoming Public Meetings to be held between September 13 and 15, 2011, to provide an overview and status of the Project, and an opportunity to exchange information with the public. Each of the six meetings was identical in set-up and undertaking, so participants could choose the one that best suited their location and availability.

Following the meeting, the Six Nations provided the following documents: The Haldimand Proclamation of 1784, the Mississaugas of the New Credit Employment and Training brochure, the Six Miles Deep Brochure, Six Nations Global Solution brochure, and the Six Nations Land Use, Consultation, and Accommodation Policy (Appendix B1).

3.1.2 Community Engagement Planning Meeting: August 22, 2011

On August 22, 2011, representatives from Six Nations and NRWC met to discuss best practices for implementation of the Six Nations *Land Use Consultation & Accommodation Policy*. No minutes were taken at this informal meeting. As confirmation of the commitments made at the August 3, 2011 meeting, it was determined that:

- NRWC and the Six Nations Consultation and Accommodation Policy Committee (CAP) would meet quarterly during the development phase of the Project and as needed during construction and operations;
- A Capacity Agreement would be drafted for the development phase of the Project;

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- The Capacity Agreement would be signed by the Chief of the Six Nations and CEO of NRWC, to reinforce the commitment between the two organizations;
- A meeting with the Six Nations Elders would be held as an informative method of learning about traditional uses of the land on which the Project site is located. This meeting would be implemented during the early stages of the environmental studies;
- An effective method to reach out to the Six Nations community regarding employment and contracts would be developed. This is a difficult task as the community has been saturated with public meetings, thus attendance at meetings is often poor. Discussions with Six Nations agencies such as the Grand River Employment and Training Center (GREAT), may prove to be helpful;
- Participation by Six Nations Monitors in the archaeology fieldwork may also include review of reports and discussion on Stage 3 Sites; and,
- Representative from Six Nations and NRWC meet as often as needed to facilitate the growth of the relationship.

Six Nations and NRWC assigned lead personnel to work closely together on the NRWC/Six Nations Community Engagement Strategy.

3.1.3 Community Engagement Planning Meeting: September 22, 2011

On September 22, 2011, representatives from Six Nations and NRWC met to review the storyboards from the September 14, 2011 community meeting (Appendix F1). No minutes were taken at this informal meeting. In addition, the meeting discussions included development of:

- Draft agenda for CAP/NRWC meeting on November 8, 2011;
- Draft Capacity Funding Agreement between Six Nations and NRWC; and,
- Draft agenda and schedule for the Elders' Dinner to be held on November 8, 2011.

Minutes of the meeting were emailed in late September 2011.

3.1.4 Planning Meeting for Elders' Event: October 18, 2011

An Elder's Dinner planning meeting with Six Nations, and NRWC was held on October 18, 2011.

The agenda for the meeting included the development of:

- Advertisement/posters describing the dinner, which would be prominently displayed throughout the community, mailed as an invitation to the Elders' home and placed in local papers;
- Traditional Banquet Menu with the Six Nations caterer, Family Traditions of the Grand;

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- Training Session for Six Nations, NRWC and Stantec facilitators to assist in gathering Traditional Knowledge from the Elders;
- Agenda, schedule and location for the Elders' Dinner; and,
- Logistics for transportation to pick-up and return Elders to their homes.

It was agreed that the Six Nations and NRWC representatives would discuss the recommendations from this meeting with their respective organizations in order to solicit feedback. A final plan would then be developed and distributed to all parties.

3.1.5 CAP and NRWC Meeting: November 8, 2011

A meeting between the CAP Team, NRWC and Stantec was held on November 8, 2011. At this meeting, NRWC described their Aboriginal Engagement Strategy: to build an effective, transparent communications process with Six Nations early in Project development that would continue for the life of the Project. Minutes for this meeting were taken by a CAP representative and would be sent to NRWC for review. These have not been received, and therefore are not provided in the Appendix to this Report.

The agenda included a presentation by NRWC, providing a background on the Project and NRWC (including vision and values), a description of the Project, mapping for both the wind project and associated transmission lines, an overview of the permitting and approvals process and timelines, and opportunities for the communities.

The Project was announced in July 2011, and Stage 2 Archaeology work would be undertaken in fall 2011 and spring 2012. Construction would take place in 2013 and 2014, with commissioning in 2014. Environmental Studies would include wildlife and wildlife habitat, bird wintering and migration area studies, and an examination of waterbodies and aquatic resources. Woodlands, vegetation, wetlands and other significant natural features would also be studied. Other studies included archaeological and cultural heritage features and noise. NRWC committed to hiring Six Nations Monitors for Stage 2 archaeology fieldwork.

The overall goal of this Presentation was to continue to build on the relationship and work towards future partnerships, community support and goodwill. Discussion continued on the Capacity Funding Agreement prior to sending to Chief and Council for review as well as the plans for the Elders' Dinner.

The CAP Team stated that the Six Nations were interested in building partnerships and it was agreed that this would be a topic for the next meeting. The Memorandum of Understanding was changed to a Capacity Funding Agreement with appendices that can be revised during the life of the Project, and kept confidential if either party wished privacy. It was agreed that the next meeting would be planned for early in the next year. Minutes for this meeting were taken by a CAP representative and would be sent to NRWC for review. These have not been received, and therefore are not provided in the Appendix to this Report.

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3.1.6 Six Nations Elders' Dinner and Facilitator Training: November 8, 2011

The Six Nations Elders' dinner was advertised by invitations sent to the Elders' homes, posters throughout the community, advertisements in the TEKAawennake and Turtle Island News, and on the Six Nations radio station (Appendix B1). The Six Nations' Silver Foxes organization provided the transportation.

There were ten facilitators trained for the Elders' Dinner, six of whom were from Six Nations, two from NRWC and two from Stantec. The Elders' Dinner was designed such that there was one facilitator assigned to each Elders' Table.

The Facilitator's Training was based on discussing methods to foster communication among the Elders regarding NRWC's study area, and to gather Traditional Knowledge from the Elders to assist in the development of the Project. Training included use of meeting techniques such as open-ended questions, providing examples and active listening.

The Elders' Dinner would begin with each facilitator signing-in the Elders at their table, providing a nametag, and a brief background on the Project. After dinner, the facilitator would describe the site location with the assistance of two large maps: a map of southern Ontario with the reserve clearly indicated and the Project site marked in bright colours, and a close up map of the Project site.

The Elders were to be involved in a discussion of their experiences or oral history regarding the land in or around the Project site. Some areas of discussion the facilitators would suggest but were not limited to included:

- Traditional gathering places;
- Burial sites, sacred sites, special sites;
- Berry picking;
- Medicinal plants;
- Birds, fowl for hunting;
- Larger animals, migration patterns, collection areas;
- Fishing spots; and,
- Original names, historical stories.

The facilitators would also be responsible for taking notes of the Elders' comments for consideration by the Project team. In addition, the facilitators would provide the Elders with assistance finding transportation home. Each Elder would receive a gift - a Christmas ball with a wind prayer written on it, designed and painted by a Six Nations' youth.

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3.1.7 The Elders' Dinner: November 8, 2011

The Elders' Dinner was held on the evening of November 8, 2011, with nearly 100 people attending (69 signed in). Merv Croghan, CEO of NRWC, welcomed the guests and described NRWC's excitement about learning how the community traditionally used the land. The information shared would be passed on to the technical members of the Project team, who would consider potential adverse impacts and develop measures to avoid, minimize and or mitigate adverse impacts on the land, and Six Nations treaty rights.

Some of the traditional knowledge gathered that evening included locations of:

- Traditional pow-wow grounds;
- Likely areas that have flooded;
- Hunting locations; and,
- Gathering areas of medicinal plants.

At the end of the evening NRWC provided a question and answer period. The Elders surprised facilitators by asking numerous questions about wind energy and the impacts of wind projects. Most of the Elders were excited about this form of renewable energy and, as they described, "the gift" of wind. Questions were raised regarding:

- Bird, bat and turkey mortality;
- Human health impacts;
- Turbine fires and toxic emissions; and,
- Stages of decommissioning.

The Elders seemed pleased with NRWC and Stantec responses.

Two Elders supporting the Haudenosaunee Confederacy Chiefs Council attended the Elders' Dinner and stated they would have preferred a presentation with a formal question and answer period. They felt that a consistent message through a presentation was the only way to build trust. They also explained the need to manage the land for the next seven generations, and the responsibility they had to look after the Land, Air, Water and Fire – that is their LAW. These Elders expressed a desire to build a relationship of trust and ensure the Project will be preserving and caring for the next seven generations.

NRWC listened, and agreed with the importance of caring for the land for the next generations. NRWC explained that they were consulting with both the Six Nations Elected Council and the Six Nations of the Grand River Haudenosaunee Confederacy Chiefs Council (HCCC) to manage the Project, with input from the Six Nations community. The women appeared satisfied knowing NRWC was consulting with the HCCC.

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Feedback during and after the event was very positive, as Six Nations had not experienced such a well-attended, proponent-led event within the community for some time.

3.1.8 Six Nations Chief and Council and NRWC Meeting Signing of Capacity Funding Agreement: December 12, 2011

The Capacity Funding Agreement was drafted between the Six Nations, NRWC and Stantec in the summer/fall of 2011 and outlines the promises made by both parties to carry out consultation and accommodation in relation to the NRWC Project.

On December 12, 2011, NRWC and Stantec met with the elected Chief and Council of the Six Nations to provide an update on the Project and sign the Capacity Funding Agreement.

The agenda included a presentation by NRWC on the Project, including mapping, a request for Chief and Council to work closely with NRWC (which is the intent of the Capacity Funding Agreement), and a discussion on the success of the Elders' Dinner (Appendix B1). The signing of the Capacity Funding Agreement also took place during this meeting (Appendix B1).

The presentation to Chief and Council stressed the objective of building an effective, transparent communications process early in Project development that would continue for the life of the Project. The Project update included an overview of the Project, details of Stage 2 archaeological work slated for fall 2011 and spring 2012, and environmental studies, including wildlife and wildlife habitat, bird wintering and migration area studies, and an examination of waterbodies and aquatic resources. Woodlands, vegetation, wetlands and other significant natural features will be studied, as will archaeological and cultural heritage features and environmental noise. All archaeological fieldwork will include Six Nations Monitors.

The Capacity Funding Agreement between Six Nations and NRWC outlined the intention to work together in good faith in order to benefit the interests of both parties. This Agreement would follow the Guiding Principles provided in the *Six Nations Land Use Consultation and Accommodation Policy*, including:

- Notifications, and disclosures at the onset of the Project;
- Recognition of the inherent treaty rights and title of the Six Nations;
- Transparent communications based on mutual respect and shared learning;
- Joint problem solving in a proactive, holistic and strategic manner;
- Opportunities to learn about the sacred bonds between the Six Nations and the land;
- Capacity funding for full and effective participation; and,
- Building long term and prosperous opportunities.

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The fundamentals of the Capacity Funding Agreement are as follows:

- NRWC acknowledges that it has Power Purchase Agreements for wind generation for power projects situated on the Traditional and Treaty lands of Six Nations;
- NRWC recognizes the unique cultural and traditional interests of Six Nations and Six Nations' position respecting its Aboriginal and Treaty Rights, and will continue to respect and accommodate those rights and interests wherever possible;
- NRWC wishes to commit time and resources to working constructively with Six Nations in the creation of opportunities for further discussion, consultation and accommodation of the Aboriginal and treaty rights for Six Nations wherever possible;
- Six Nations and NRWC wish to discuss accommodation measures related to NRWC proposed works and infrastructure on traditional territory and the treaty lands of the Six Nations; and,
- Six Nations and NRWC wish to continue discussions regarding topics of mutual interest and agreement through negotiation that will guide their long-term relationship.

Scope

The Parties agree to work together on developing a relationship and/or accommodation agreement or arrangements determined appropriate which will address, but will not be limited to, the following:

- Accommodation measures relating to the proposed Niagara Region Wind Project;
- The Parties' future long term relationship; and,
- Accommodation with Six Nations regarding NRWC and infrastructure projects which are being proposed within Six Nations Haldimand Treaty and their 1701 Treaty lands.

Joint Liaison Committee

The Parties shall establish a Joint Liaison Committee to act as the main point of contact between the Parties on all matters of mutual interest. The Committee will consist of up to four officials from each Party, and will establish a Committee Schedule to meet at least four times yearly prior to the termination of this Agreement (at this time this committee was referred to as the CAP/NRWC committee).

The Joint Liaison Committee will be the primary mechanism through which the Parties will discuss and negotiate matters within the scope of this Agreement, and will also function as the primary point of contact for the Parties regarding specific issues of concern or related matters that Six Nations may have.

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A budget was developed between Six Nations and NRWC regarding all matters within this Agreement, which became Schedule 'B' of the Agreement. Schedule 'B' covers the period from April 1, 2011 to March 31, 2014, which is the planned development phase of the Project.

Copies of the Draft Capacity Agreement were vetted through Six Nations Chief and Council and NRWC and during the fall of 2011 this final draft was approved.

The meeting and discussions set the climate for moving forward. The signing of the Capacity Funding Agreement was seen as a solid first step in this direction. The Chief stated this event was a very positive move forward for the future of this relationship. Chief and Council were presented with homemade Christmas candy and the meeting ended with warm wishes for a happy holiday season.

3.1.9 Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest: March 23, 2012

NRWC participated in the Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest on March 23, 2012. This event, held at the Mohawk campus in Hamilton, included 15 different industries and over 100 students. Aboriginal students from a wide range of programs visited the NRWC booth and were very interested in renewable energy. NRWC provided information on their Project and green renewable energy.

3.1.10 CAP and NRWC Meeting: March 29, 2012

On March 29, 2012, the CAP Team met with NRWC and Stantec to discuss updates on the Project and Six Nations plans with Samsung (Appendix B1).

NRWC provided a Project update including:

- Success in obtaining the land required for the Project;
- Winter environmental studies were completed, and spring studies were underway;
- Archaeological studies to begin on April 16, 2012, with Six Nations Monitors;
- All maps are now available on NRWC website; and,
- Turbine locations not finalized but anticipated by subsequent meeting.

Updates by Six Nations on their plans with Samsung included:

- Eight community meetings planned in 30 days;
- Community members uncomfortable with short timeline;
- Difficult to get members to attend meetings, many working and travelling long distances;

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- Community concern that government land will become sterilized with turbine placement and the community will not be able to build a housing development in the future; and,
- Concern re: toxic air emissions if turbines are on fire.

Update on working with Grand River Employment and Training (GREAT):

GREAT, Six Nations and NRWC meeting agenda will include:

- Six Nations contractors, and the Renewable Energy program;
- NRWC construction and operational employment requirements; and,
- Enercon employment requirements.

There was also discussion of the Niagara Reinforcement Transmission line through to Caledonia.

NRWC committed to providing all attendees with a copy of an article describing the most common cause of bird fatalities, and will discuss with Stantec the need to ensure that archaeological data is not available through their reports or on the NRWC website. Discussions continued and included the next meeting date, (June 7, 2012) as well as how partnerships could evolve moving forward.

3.1.11 CAP and NRWC Transmission Meeting: April 4, 2012

On April 4, 2012 CAP met with NRWC's financial team to discuss transmission lines and partnerships. Minutes for this meeting were taken by a CAP representative and would be sent to NRWC for review. These have not been received, and therefore are not provided in the Appendix to this Report. Both parties agreed to meet again soon, to continue the discussions. At the end of the meeting NRWC provided answers to the concerns raised at the last CAP/NRWC meeting:

- **Question:** Will there be toxic air emissions if the turbines caught on fire?
Answer: Minimal air emissions because the primary material in the turbines is cement and it does not burn.
- **Question:** What are the Stages of decommissioning?
Answer: 1. Equipment dismantling and removal (turbines, turbine foundations, electrical system, turbine laydown areas, crane pads, access roads);
2. Site Rehabilitation and Restoration (watercourses, agricultural lands, spills).
- **Question:** Will government land become sterilized with turbine placement, as the community would no longer be able to build a housing development on the land due to setbacks?

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Answer: Any housing development would be required to follow existing legislation for setbacks, and or the housing development could be developed after the Project has been decommissioned.

- **Question:** If the turbines were on fire would it create emissions?

Answer: Enercon turbines contain a relatively low amount of combustible materials (12L of grease) due to direct drive generator and tower made of concrete. Potential of fire is low and emissions of a fire would be minimal.

- **Question:** Can all Draft REA Reports be provided on CDs versus hard copies which are bad for the environment.

Answer: Yes, NRWC will provide CDs and electronic versions of the reports as requested.

Six Nations representatives thanked NRWC for answers to their questions, and there were no further questions at this time. Minutes for this meeting were taken by a CAP representative and would be sent to NRWC for review. These have not been received, and therefore are not provided in the Appendix to this Report.

3.1.12 CAP and NRWC Meeting: May 16, 2012

On May 16, 2012 CAP, NRWC and Stantec representatives met to continue the discussion regarding transmission lines and partnerships. This confidential meeting does not have minutes. Both parties agreed to meet again, to continue the discussions.

3.1.13 CAP and NRWC Meeting: June 6, 2012

On June 6, 2012, CAP, NRWC and Stantec met to update each other on recent developments including:

- A Project Update including the draft site plan with turbine locations, Project schedule and status of environmental studies and reports;
- Hydro One Networks Inc. (HONI) negotiations;
- Archaeological fieldwork;
- Samsung negotiations and community consultation;
- GREAT meeting and MOU;
- Providing a tour of Enercon turbines; and,
- HONI and Transmission Line discussions.

The updates were informative and next steps were discussed (Appendix B1).

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3.1.14 Tour of Enercon Facilities: July 26, 2012

On July 26, 2012 CAP and Stantec toured Boralex's Enercon turbines at the Bisnett Wind Farm (see Appendix B1 for presentation given at the meeting). Several hours were spent asking questions to a senior Enercon engineer, walking around the perimeter and then inside the turbine.

Questions asked included:

- Construction methods;
- Amount of land required for cement base; and,
- Sound and vibrations with Enercon technology.

The CAP team members were pleased with the opportunity to experience an operating wind turbine by standing right below it as it turned. The consensus was surprise at how quiet the machines were and how little vibration they felt. The tour was considered very worthwhile and an effective method for understanding the impacts of a wind turbine.

3.1.15 Hydro One Networks Inc.: July 30, 2012

CAP, NRWC, and Stantec met with senior representatives from Hydro One Networks Inc. (HONI) on July 30, 2012. The agenda included discussion on alternative transmission lines for the Project. It was agreed that more meetings between Six Nations and HONI were needed, to continue the dialogue. This confidential meeting does not have minutes.

3.1.16 NRWC Sponsors: *FOUNDERS' Cup*

NRWC was a proud sponsor of the National Lacrosse Association's (CLA) Junior B Founders' Cup for 2012. Long-heralded as the most competitive division in Lacrosse, first place Junior B Lacrosse teams from across Canada descended upon the Six Nations of the Grand River Territory to compete for the coveted Founder's Cup. A total of ten teams competed from August 14 – 19, 2012 at the Iroquois Lacrosse Arena (ILA) at Six Nations of the Grand River Territory.

It was a very exciting event, especially as the Six Nations team won gold. The proud lacrosse community of Six Nations truly believes that Haudenosaunee children are *born with sticks in their hands*. Statistics have revealed that Six Nations produces the highest number of National Lacrosse League (NLL) players on the continent, with the Six Nations Rebels Association contributing 28 drafted players to the NLL teams.

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3.1.17 CAP and NRWC Meeting: August 27, 2012

CAP, NRWC and Stantec met on August 27, 2012, to discuss updates from CAP and NRWC's Project (Appendix B1).

NRWC Project updates included:

- Review of the draft turbine locations;
- Enercon turbines and feedback from the tour;
- Schedule for the Environmental Studies; and,
- NRWC Term Sheet.

CAP Updates included:

- HONI update; and,
- Discussion of term sheet being developed.

Update on Employment and Contracts Seminars:

- Employment Seminar will be held on October 23, 2012; and,
- Contractor Seminar will be held on October 25, 2012.

Discussions continued on who would attend the Employment and Contractors Seminars, and setting a date for the next meeting.

3.1.18 Six Nations, MNCFN and Stantec - Employment & Contractor Seminars: October 2012

Between January and September 2012, a series of meetings were held between Six Nations, NRWC, Stantec, GREAT, and Enercon. The goal of these meetings was to develop an Employment Seminar and a Contractors' Seminar for Six Nations/New Credit members seeking employment and contracts.

The Parties agree that their **Employment** Seminar Goals are:

- Identify NRWC and Enercon employment opportunities consistent with interests of the Six Nations/New Credit members;
- Review existing training opportunities for Six Nations/New Credit members, and to determine the applicability to NRWC and Enercon employment qualifications;
- Provide specific lists of qualifications for all positions that would be hired;

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- Develop individual career plans to match members' capacity with employment opportunities;
- Identify and develop long-term, sustainable training and development opportunities with local educational institutions; and,
- Provide scholarship support to those members seeking employment with NRWC and Enercon.

The Parties agree that their **Contractors'** Seminar Goals are:

- Identify business opportunities consistent with the capacity and business growth plan of each Six Nations/New Credit business entity;
- Identify partnership and joint venture opportunities which will further goals and objectives of Six Nations/New Credit business entities;
- Develop business knowledge, capacity and management skills in existing businesses and for community members interested in developing businesses;
- Develop opportunities, which match capacity into long-term contracts; and,
- Identify and develop long-term, sustainable business opportunities.

The Six Nations/New Credit Employment Seminar was scheduled for October 23, 2012, and the Six Nations/New Credit Contractors' Seminar will be scheduled for October 25, 2012.

3.1.19 Six Nations, MNCFN and NRWC, Meeting: September 20, 2012

A meeting was held with representatives from Six Nations, MNCFN and NRWC to revise plans for the Six Nations Employment and Contractors Seminars to now include MNCFN. The poster and advertisements were edited to include MNCFN and telephone numbers for both First Nations was added to the posters (Appendix B1).

3.1.20 Six Nations/New Credit Employment Seminar, October 23, 2012

Six Nations/New Credit Employment Seminar was held on October 23, 2012 from 4:00-8:00pm at the Six Nations Community Hall. The following companies attended: NRWC, Enercon (NRWC's wind manufacturer), TSP Canada (wind component manufacturer), Union Gas, Aecon Utilities, and Link-line Contractors.

Presentations were made at 5:00pm, beginning with a short description of each of the companies, the jobs that are available, and specific job requirements. Some companies presented short movies clips and distributed copies of their job postings.

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After the presentations each employer had one-on-one discussions with the participants regarding their immediate job openings, as well as job descriptions that would apply during the NRWC construction and operations phases. Participants shared their resumes with the employers and were able to get their questions answered, and learn more about the company. Many participants noted that they were very interested in some of the jobs, and found the meeting to be a productive way to learn about the employment opportunities.

Over 35 people attended the seminar (Appendix B1). Participants were able to have the GREAT team review and photocopy their resumes. At the end of the evening the employers at the seminar stated they could provide employment to all those that submitted their resumes. The employers were planning to follow up with the interested parties, as was GREAT.

The low attendance was noted and discussed. The Six Nations representatives felt the meetings was a success, as usually there are no more the seven members attending this type of community meeting.

3.1.21 Six Nations/New Credit Contractors Seminar: October 25, 2012

Six Nations/New Credit Contractors Seminar was held on October 25, 2012 from 4:00-8:00pm at the Six Nations Community Hall. The following companies attended: NRWC, PCL (NRWC's construction contractor), Union Gas, Aecon Utilities, and Link-line Contractors.

Due to the small numbers attending (ten), presentations were not made by companies. Instead, contractors were able to go from table to table discussing their company, capacity, and plans for the future.

PCL was pleased with the contractors that attended, recorded contact information, and noted the diverse range of skills, most directly applicable to available job positions, such as welders, cement form moulders, electricians, builders of ladders, security, graphic artists, pipe fitters, and labourers.

At the event, Six Nations provided each of the companies with a copy of the *Six Nations/New Credit Business Directory 2012: Shop Local Shop Native* (Appendix B1).

3.1.22 Stage 3 Archaeology Meeting: November 26, 2012

NRWC understands the importance for Six Nations to monitor archaeological work in their territory. The Stage 2 Archaeology fieldwork began in the spring of 2012 with Six Nations Monitors hired to work with the Stantec crews. The Six Nations Monitors reported to Stantec's senior archaeologist and continued working on Stage 2 fieldwork in the fall of 2012.

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A meeting was held with the Six Nations archaeology team and Stantec to discuss potential Stage 3 sites on November 21, 2012 (Appendix B1). This discussion led to an agreement that another meeting would be helpful, to determine a list of Stage 3 sites. If Stage 3 Archaeological Fieldwork is required, the Six Nations Monitors will again be hired.

Six Nations requested that their Archaeology Monitors also be present during construction, in case crews came upon Aboriginal remains or other Aboriginal artefacts. NRWC agreed that the Six Nations Archaeology Monitors would be a welcome addition to their on-site construction crews.

3.1.23 GREAT Green Energy Forum: November 26, 2012

GREAT hosted a Green Employment Workshop on November 26, 2012 to increase Aboriginal youth awareness of jobs in the green sector. The workshop brought together Six Nations organizations (GREAT and the Haudenosaunee Development Institute), industry and youth. NRWC provided an interactive booth and made a presentation on green jobs in the wind industry (Appendix B1).

3.1.24 CAP and NRWC Meeting: December 6, 2012

The CAP, NRWC and Stantec met on December 6, 2012, to discuss updates from CAP and NRWC's Project (Appendix B1).

NRWC Project updates included:

- Draft REA Reports delivered to Six Nations representative on December 4, 2012 and Public Review Period is sixty days;
- Invitation to Final Community Meetings on Feb 5, 6, and 7, 2012;
- Archaeological fieldwork to resume on Stage 2 this week with Six Nations monitors;
- Update on NRWC term sheets, to be provided once the REA has been submitted;
- Reconfirmed commitment to work closely with Six Nations; and
- Will provide turbine locations at the next meeting.

Cap updates and discussion:

- Update on Samsung Project and relationship with HDI;
- Delay annual meeting with NRWC and Chief and Council until there is a significant milestone to report;
- Pleased with NRWC Employment and Contractors Seminars;

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- Concern regarding sixty days to provide feedback, and will try and meet this deadline; and,
- Six Nations will participate in NRWC's Adaptive Management Plan for the Project.

The next meeting will be planned when the NRWC term sheet is available or when the Six Nations have completed their review of the NRWC Draft REA Reports.

3.1.25 Mohawk College Shmoozefest: January 21, 2013

NRWC participated in the Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest on January 21, 2013. This event held in Hamilton, at the Mohawk campus, included industries and approximately 35 students. The Aboriginal students, from a wide range of programs, visited the NRWC booth and were very interested in renewable energy. This year the College designed the event around a "Career Networking Dinner". Students joined NRWC and a Six Nations representative for one course, and then moved to the next table for the next course. This round robin encouraged discussion on NRWC's Project and green renewable energy employment opportunities.

3.1.26 Six Nations and NRWC Planning for Draft REA Report Review Meeting

The Draft REA Reports were provided to the Six Nations on December 4, 2012, and a meeting was held on December 6, 2012 (Appendix B1). At this time there was a discussion on capacity funding and NRWC was told the Capacity Funding Agreement had provided necessary funds for Six Nations to hire a third party to review the draft REA reports. Six Nations understood the sixty-day public review period and would try to meet this deadline to ensure comments would be included in the Final REA reports to be submitted to the Ministry of the Environment. If the review meetings were not within the public review period and could not be incorporated into the Final REA Reports, Six Nations and NRWC agreed the input from Six Nations would be given to the Project Team for integration into further Project planning and development.

Six Nations third party reviewer Dr. Chuck Hostovsky, CAP, NRWC and Stantec will meet on March 27, 2013 to review comments from Six Nations on the Draft REA Reports. All representatives participating understand that the review may require additional meetings, and the expectation is that comments will not be included in the Final REA report, however will be included in further Project planning and development.

The review of the Draft REA Reports will then lead into discussions on accommodation, and meetings should begin immediately, as the process can take some time. Once the term sheet is completed, the Six Nations community engagement process could take approximately six weeks, and to meet NRWC's deadlines, the process should occur in late spring, 2013. It is only after this process is completed that Chief and Council can determine their support of the Project. Chief and Council also expressed their interest in following up on the employment and contractors seminars held in October 2012.

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3.1.27 NRWC Public Information Sessions: January 2013

NRWC personally invited the Six Nations to the Six Public Information Meetings planned for February 5-7, 2013. The invitations were provided through emails (Appendix B2) and telephone calls. The purpose of these Final Public Meetings was to provide an update on the Project, share the results of the REA studies and Draft REA Reports, discuss the proposed layout, and gather feedback from the community. Unfortunately, Six Nations was not able to attend; however copies of the storyboards were hand delivered and reviewed in a Planning Meeting on March 6, 2013.

3.1.28 Six Nations and NRWC Planning Meeting: March 6, 2013

Six Nations and an NRWC representative met on March 6, 2013 to discuss:

- Review Storyboards from February Public Information Sessions;
- Update on status of Dr. Hostovsky's Peer Review and availability to NRWC;
- Plans to follow-up on Employment and Contractor Seminars held in 2012, and,
- Draft an agenda for the next NRWC and CAP meeting planned for April 2013.
- Dr. Hostovskys Peer Review was provided to NRWC on March 5, 2013.

The next CAP meeting was booked for April 16, 2013. The draft agenda includes an update by NRWC on;

- REA submission;
- Term Sheets and interest parties;
- Further fieldwork;
- Schedule and
- Update on HONI.

Six Nations will provide an update on;

- Review of Draft REA Reports;
- Community Consultation; and,
- Next Steps.

A draft agenda was sent by email for vetting through both organizations.

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3.1.29 Six Nations and NRWC Draft REA Review Meeting: March 27, 2013

Members of the CAP team, Dr. Chuck Hostovsky, NRWC, and Stantec met on March 27, 2013, to review the Draft REA Reports Peer Review.

The meeting began with Dr. Hostovsky providing an overview of his review of the NRWC Draft REA Reports including the following comments, questions or concerns:

1. Concern that NRWC had not provided the Record of Consultation Report and the reviewer did not have any information to suggest adequate consultation had occurred with Six Nations.

Response: *NRWC has been in consultation with Six Nations since the Project was announced to the government, both parties have signed a Capacity Funding Agreements and Six Nations has a copy of the DRAFT Aboriginal Record of Consultation Report. It was acknowledged that NRWC has been involved in consultation with Six Nations.*

2. Concern that the REA process does not actually have to do appropriate environmental impact assessments and the process is a sham.

Response: *NRWC cannot comment on the government process.*

3. Concern that the Project is large and covers an area full of sensitive areas, and there is no evidence of the turbine locations considering the sensitive areas, and it would be nice to know that there was a balance of costs and the environment.

Response: *There have been many different turbine layouts, and the process of selection of the final turbine layout was iterative. Initially, we consider the land available, reviewed study areas for natural features, went into the field to look for natural habitat and species at risk or of concern. Our approach to developing the turbine layout consisted of an iterative process of siting turbines outside of all natural features, sensitive areas including wetlands, potential species habitat etc., confirming noise setbacks and noise levels at all receptors, and adjusting the layout until compliance was achieved. All sites and features within 120 m were investigated to confirm location, characteristics and function. Multiple iterations of study and turbine layout adjustments were completed to finalize the proposed project layout. Comments and concerns raised by interested parties were considered. Our goal is avoidance, no loss of natural habitat, and minimizes impacts. A larger study area was used to collect background information and to refine the project location. The final layout is located within agricultural fields and other disturbed areas, and avoids the removal of natural vegetation. All access routes are outside of significant natural features, with the exception of one that was adjusted to follow the edge of an agricultural field used by winter raptors to avoid bisecting the feature.*

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4. What about Bald Eagles in the area.

Response: *The closest nest is greater than 1.5 km from the edge of the nearest turbine and should not be a concern.*

5. What about the Short Eared Owls?

Response: *In winter, the Short Eared Owls congregate in flat fallow agricultural lands (i.e. winter wheat) where there is less snow and prey. We have conducted field studies to confirm the location of these significant winter raptor areas, and have amended our layout to avoid and minimize impacts. No turbines are located in these habitats. It is not anticipated there will be impacts or disturbances of habitat for the Short Eared Owls, and to confirm this, NRWC has committed to the MNR that these areas will be monitored for disturbance during operation of the turbines..*

6. Concern regarding bird and bat mortality.

Response: *The post-construction bird and bat mortality studies as required by the government are very prescriptive. We have learned that raptors mortality appears to be low and there is a concern regarding bat mortality: specifically those bats that migrate. Mitigation including changing cut in speeds of the turbines at dawn and dusk during bat migration periods is being studied as a mitigation method. The government is active in studying the effects of bird and bat mortality and turbines. NRWC has committed to monitoring for bat mortality during the first 3 years of operation to determine whether impacts are occurring. Where mortality exceeds MNR's threshold of 10 bats / turbine, mitigation measures will be discussed and implemented through consultation with the MNR.*

7. What are the cumulative impacts of so many wind projects being developed in southern Ontario on bird migration and butterfly migration?

Response: *Cumulative impacts are not studied on a project basis. These species and their habitats were considered in the siting of the Project, whereby large diverse natural features within 5km of Lake Erie were identified and studied to identify migrating bird diversity and abundance. No project components are located within such features. Disturbance monitoring will be undertaken to confirm that no impacts on these habitats will result from the operation of the turbines. These details are presented in the NHA/EIS and EEMP.*

8. Six Nations is the largest remaining Carolina Tract, and was once full of butterfly's and owls, not so much now.

Response: *It is a concern. Congregation areas for migrating butterflies typically include peninsulas along the north shore of Lake Erie, such as Long Point and Point Pelee. They will also congregate in large areas of field and woodland within 5km of the shoreline. Such features do not exist within 120 m of the Project location.*

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9. Closing Summary included the following comments by the Six Nations:

- To bad the REA Reports do not describe how the turbine locations have been adapted based on studies and comments, good to know that there was serious consideration for the environment;
- Consultation Reports should be included in the Draft REA Reports;
- Good to know species at risk are being effectively protected;
- Comfortable that issues raised have been adequately discussed.

10. Next Steps:

- Minutes will be circulated for review, and
- Next NRWC and Six Nations CAP meeting will be held on April 16, 2013 in the Tourism office.

3.1.30 CAP and NRWC Meeting: April 16, 2013

The CAP Team and NRWC met on April 16, 2013 for their quarterly meeting.

NRWC provided an update on the Project, which included:

- Draft REA Reports have been reviewed by the Six Nations and will be submitted next week to the MOE;
- NRWC's participation in the Vibrancy Funds with Haldimand, West Lincoln, Lincoln and Wainfleet;
- Vibrancy funds cover the costs for use of roads, and other permits required for the Project;
- Price paid to landowners per turbine per year;
- Landowners can participate even without turbines on their properties, by hosting roads or cables on their property;
- Planned 77 turbines, map had 80 locations with 3 extra;
- Transmission line will be buried under Mountain View Road;
- 1300 local homes were surveyed on their thoughts regarding wind energy, and 67% support wind; and,
- NRWC will install Enercon turbines and TSP will provide the steel tops.

The Six Nations provided an update on what was happening in their community, which included:

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- All Six Nations issues regarding the NRWC Draft REA Reports have been addressed;
- No Update from correspondence with HONI;
- Six Nations Community Consultation is planned to begin on April 24 regarding agreements with Nextera;
- Samsung deal proceeding (10% equity in Solar and Wind);
- Next election will be held in November, 2103; and,
- Six Nations wants to proceed with developing an equity position in the NRWC Project.

There was agreement on the following next steps:

- NRWC and the Six Nations to discuss equity position at the Term Sheet/Equity meeting on April 17, 2013;and,
- Follow-up with GREAT on contract and employment and book next CAP meeting in the next quarter.

The Six Nations and NRWC assigned personnel to participate in the “Term Sheet/Equity” meeting.

3.1.31 CAP and NRWC Term Sheet Meeting: April 17, 2013

Representatives from the Six Nations CAP team and Economic Development and NRWC met to review the Project’s financial statements, and discuss opportunities for Six Nations participation in the Project. As a result of this meeting, both parties took the information back to their for consideration.

3.1.32 Six Nations and NRWC Planning Meeting: June 19, 2013

On June 19, 2013, representatives from Six Nations and NRWC met to discuss:

- Role of Grand River Employment and Training;
- Community consultation schedule for the Project;
- Draft agenda for next CAP/NRWC meeting; and,
- Plans for Six Nations and NRWC golf tournament.

There were no meetings minutes, and each representative reported back to her respective teams.

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3.1.33 Grand River Employment and Training, Six Nations and NRWC: July 9, 2013

NRWC has been working with the Six Nations Grand River Employment and Training Center (GREAT) for the last three years. This relationship moved significantly forward on July 9, 2013, when GREAT's Director Elvera Garlow organized the first GREAT Senior Management meeting. Attendance included eight senior staff from GREAT, a member of the CAP team and a NRWC representative.

The meeting began with an NRWC Employment and Contractor Update:

- NRWC has completed the Renewable Energy Approval application and submitted to the Ministry of the Environment;
- Project consists of 77 turbines;
- NRWC suppliers and Union Gas provided a Employment and Contractor Seminar on the reserve in 2012 with approximately 30 people attending; and,
- NRWC suppliers are committed to hiring and contracting with Six Nations members.

Enercon Update:

- Enercon is a German based turbine manufacturer and will be supplying the turbines;
- Enercon has a component plant in Beamsville and has provided job postings of available positions to GREAT;
- Enercon is looking for electrical skills for maintenance workers once turbines are commissioned, and will provide on the job training; and,
- Enercon will be building a concrete plant near the site.

PCL Update:

- PCL is the contractor responsible for managing NRWC's construction and project planning;
- PCL has a worldwide presence, and is prepared to hire immediately for projects around the world; and,
- PCL will work with Six Nations contractors to provide contracts that fit their capacity.

TSP Towers Canada

- TSP Tower Canada will provide steel for the top section of the turbines; and,
- TSP has a facility in Thorold that currently requires welders.

The discussion that followed the NRWC presentation included the following requests by the GREAT participants:

- Job postings for NRWC and their suppliers be sent to GREAT;

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- Requests for feedback from NRWC and their suppliers on how the Six Nations applicants were rated and if not successful in obtaining a position;
- GREAT will follow-up with Six Nations members that attended the 2012 Employment and Contractors Seminars and provide information to the CAP team and NRWC;
- NRWC will present to the Aboriginal Local Forum on July 17, 2013;
- GREAT will provide a bus for Six Nations members to attend the MNO Employment and Contractors Community Gathering in October; and,
- GREAT would like NRWC to organize tours of the Enercon manufacturing facility, the TSP facility and a local commissioned turbine facility.

The meeting focused on next steps, including:

- J. Thomas will ask the CAP committee if E. Garlow (Director of GREAT) can be a member of the CAP committee, representing education and employment;
- NRWC will contact Enercon, TSP and PCL requesting that job postings be sent to GREAT;
- At the request of E. Garlow, NRWC will provide a presentation on the Project for the Aboriginal Apprenticeship Board of Ontario for Southwestern Ontario, LINK Steering Committee;
- NRWC will determine if tours of TSP Towers, Enercon and an existing wind farm can be provided for the GREAT staff;
- GREAT will provide follow-up on the participants that attended last year's Employment and Contractors Seminar; and,
- NRWC will provide an invitation to the Métis Nation of Ontario's Employment and Contractor Community Gathering to be held in October.

3.1.34 Six Nations and NRWC Letter of Intent for an Equity Position: July 22, 2013

After several meetings with the Six Nations CAP and Economic Development team, Six Nations and NRWC signed a Letter of Intent for the Six Nations to hold an equity position in the Project. This Letter of Intent specifies a timeline for a draft Term Sheet to be presented to Six Nations, and also formalizes NRWC's commitment to training, educating and employing Six Nations people to the greatest extent possible.

After the signing of the Letter of Intent Chief Montour, the Chief of the Six Nations stated: "Six Nations recognises the benefits of this wind power project and we are proud to be moving in a direction of active participation. This Shared Equity Position and the employment opportunities represent significant and important long term benefits to the Six Nations and all our people," .

After the signing a joint press release was sent out on behalf of NRWC and the Six Nations. The next steps will include the development of a detailed term sheets for consultation with the Six Nations Community.

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3.1.35 Six Nations and NRWC Planning Meetings: August 1 and August 13, 2013

On August 1, and August 13, 2013, representatives from the Six Nations and NRWC met to plan:

- Upcoming GREAT tour;
- GREAT Golf Tournament on August 22, 2013;
- Next CAP meeting agenda; and,
- Schedule for Six Nations community consultation.

There were no minutes from these meetings.

3.1.36 Grand River Employment and Training Tour: August 7, 2013

On August 7, 2013 NRWC provided the GREAT team with a touring day beginning at the TSP Towers manufacturing facility in Thorold, Ontario. The TSP human resources team provided a presentation describing the wide range of positions available at this facility and their plans for growth. The GREAT team was able to discuss how best to support the Six Nations members with their applications and commitments were made to ensure Six Nations applicants would be provided feedback.

The tour then travelled to the town of Erieau for lunch and a presentation from an engineer from Boralex. Boralex has a wind project close by and has installed Enercon turbines. There were lots of questions and discussion about the Enercon turbines. At the Boralex site, the GREAT staff was impressed with how quiet the machines were and how little vibrations they could feel, even when standing directly beneath the turning blades. The GREAT staff entered the turbine and saw for themselves how clean and high tech the turbines were.

The GREAT team was pleased with the tours and felt it was very helpful to have a hands-on understanding of how the wind turbines are built, installed and operated. Those that were skeptical at first, left with a more positive attitude towards wind energy by the end of the day.

3.1.37 Six Nations Oneida Business Park: August 13, 2013

NRWC requested information on the Six Nations Oneida Business Park as a possible laydown area during the pre-construction phase of the Project. Six Nations provided a presentation that included an overview of:

- Layout of the facility;
- Structure and materials used;
- Quaternary Geology of the area as it related to weight bearing to hold Project components during the construction phase;

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- Hydro lines and capacity;
- Transportation corridors; and,
- Rates.

At this time NRWC is studying their pre-construction requirements.

3.1.38 CAP and NRWC Golf Tournament: August 21, 2013

Members of the Cap Team and NRWC golfed together on August 21, 2013. This is the second year in a row this mini-tournament has been held, and has already become a favored tradition.

3.1.39 GREAT Golf Tournament: August 22, 2013

NRWC participated in GREAT's 17th Annual Golf Tournament on August 22, 2013 by sponsoring the Six Nations CAP team.

3.1.40 Six Nations and NRWC Binding Term Sheet for an Equity Position: August, 28 2013

After several meetings, Six Nations and NRWC signed a Binding Term Sheet for the Six Nations to hold an equity position in the Project.

3.1.41 Six Nations and NRWC Planning Meeting: September 5, 2013

On September 5, 2013, representatives from the Six Nations and NRWC met to discuss:

- GREAT invitation to NRWC to attend the Aboriginal Apprenticeship Board of Ontario for Southwestern Ontario, LINK Steering Committee on October 16, 2013;
- NRWC and MNO Employment and Contracting Community Gathering on October 29, 2013; and,
- Next Steps for CAP team and NRWC.

It was agreed that the Six Nations would attend the MNO Employment and Contracting Community Gathering. There were no minutes from this meeting.

3.1.42 Six Nations and NRWC Planning Meeting: October 23, 2013

On October 23, 2013, representatives from the Six Nations and NRWC met to discuss:

- Status of Term Sheets for the Project;
- Six Nations Community Consultation Update;
- Consultation schedule for the rest of the year;

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- Timing of Six Nations election;
- Attendance at the MNO Community Gathering;
- Next meeting with GREAT; and,
- Plans for the next CAP meeting.

There was agreement that the timelines were getting tight if NRWC wished to consult with the community in 2013. NRWC would relay the information back to the team.

3.1.43 Six Nations attendance at MNO Community Gathering: October 29, 2013

Six Nations members attended the MNO, NRWC and Union Gas Employment and Contracting Community Gathering in St. Catharines on October 29, 2013. The Grand River Employment and Training (GREAT) provided a bus from Six Nations Reserve and also picked up students in Hamilton. A Six Nations CAP team representative also attended.

The Gathering began with a prayer from an MNO Senator/Elder followed by a welcome by J. Wager. The Chairman of the Region 9 Consultation Committee told a story of how his father would not believe how far Aboriginal peoples have come; in his day, being Aboriginal meant you would not be hired, and today, industry is here welcoming us. D. Pont thanked everyone for coming to his community and NRWC and Union GAS thanked the MNO for the opportunity to sponsor this event.

The event ran from 4 to 8 pm, with dinner provided in a buffet format. The tables were filled with people talking and listening to fiddle music. Each participant had ample opportunity to talk with the industry representatives, exchange resumes and gather employment and contracting information. Feedback was very positive and the event was both helpful and fun.

3.1.44 CAP, Six Nations Economic Development and NRWC Meeting: November 26, 2013

Members of the CAP team, Six Nations Economic Development Department and NRWC will meet on November 26, 2013 to continue to provide project updates and details. NRWC will also discuss the opportunity of meeting with the new Chief and Council in the new year.

3.2 CONSIDERATION OF KEY COMMENTS/ISSUES FROM SIX NATIONS ON THE PROJECT

Table 3.1 below provides an overview of the Six Nations issues or concerns regarding the Project and the response and outcomes. This Table will be updated with Six Nations, prior to commencement of construction.

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Table 3.1: Comments and Responses from the Six Nations of the Grand River First Nation

Issues/Concerns/Comments	Project Response	Outcomes	How Comments Were Considered by Project Team
Chief and Council	Signed Capacity Funding Agreement for the development phase of the Project.	On an annual basis and/or for key Project milestones NRWC will meet with Chief and Council.	Ongoing
Elders	Provided an Elders' Meeting/Feast.	Information gathered on: traditional gathering places, burial sites, sacred sites, special sites, berry picking, medicinal plants, birds, fowl for hunting, larger animals, migration patterns, collection areas, fishing spots, original names, and historical names.	All information provided to the Project Team, and included in the studies.
CAP Committee (Representing Chief and Council)	Meetings to be held quarterly until Project is commissioned, and then annually through to decommissioning	Meetings held throughout the REA process, to continue post-REA, through construction And for the life of the Project including decommissioning. CAP Team will determine the necessity and timing of meetings with Chief and Council. Development of Letter of Intent signed for the Six Nations as an Equity Partner in the Project.	Ongoing NRWC and Six Nations are committed to maintaining a long-term, positive and sustainable relationship.
Community	NRWC will follow Land Use Consultation and Accommodation Policy	Chief and Council will trigger Six Nations internal Community Engagement Process.	Winter/Spring, 2013
Reports	Draft REA Reports delivered on CD to Six Nations' Lands office	Review of draft REA reports with Six Nations third party reviewer.	All issues have been addressed.
NRWC newsletters	The community will receive NRWC newsletter.	Copies of newsletter to be mailed to Lands office.	Ongoing.
Members seeking employment	Develop CAP, GREAT, NRWC, Enercon, & Stantec	Hosted Six Nations/New Credit Employment Seminar.	Ongoing: Employment and contracting opportunities provided to GREAT for positing.
Members seeking contracts	Employment Seminar	Hosted Six Nations/New Credit Contractors Seminar.	
Members seeking employment	Developed Employment Seminar.	Participated in Mohawk College Shmoozefest for Aboriginal Students on March 23, 2012.	Will continue to support Mohawk College on an annual basis.
Members seeking employment	Attended GREAT's Green Energy Forum-employment fair on the reserve	Participated in GREAT's Green Energy Forum.	Will continue to support GREAT activities.
Equity position.			
Six Nations concern for the perpetual care and maintenance of their	Provided Six Nations with an Equity Opportunity in the	Letter of Intent signed for Six Nations to become an Equity Partner in the Project.	Joint NRWC /Six Nations committee developing Term Sheet.

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community.	Project.		
Technology Concern raised over taller and wider turbines, sound and vibrations.	CAP team and GREAT tours of Enercon turbines. GREAT tour of TSP Towers.	Six Nations and GREAT representatives were pleased with the quietness of the turbines and how little vibrations could be felt when standing under the turning blades.	N/A
Wildlife Concern deer, and wildlife movement will be impacted by turbine locations.	Develop a winter mammal tracking study to determine how mammals traverse turbine locations.	Six Nations and NRWC to develop and participate in a winter mammal movement study to track deer proximity to turbines during post construction.	N/A
Birds, bats and turkeys Concern bird (Bald Eagles, Short Eared Owls, Raptors), bat and turkey mortality will be high as result of impact with turbine blades, and the cumulative impacts of so many projects being developed in the area..	As part of the Renewable Energy Approvals birds, bats and turkeys species will be studied to determine mortality.	Six Nations to participate in post construction bird, bat and turkey mortality studies	N/A
Sound and Vibrations Are the turbines causing health impacts through sound and vibrations?	Provided Tours of operating Enercon turbines.	CAP and GREAT members that attended tour stated Enercon machines were not loud and did not feel vibrations.	N/A
Turbine Fires Will a turbine fire create toxic emissions to the air.	Due to the primary material in the turbine being cement, in the unlikely scenario there was a fire, the emissions to the air would be minimal.	Concerns have been addressed.	Considered in the air report.
Sterilization of government land if turbines are placed on the land.	There are no turbines in this Project on government land.	If a project were on government land, the requirements for setbacks for buildings would apply.	Not applicable to this Project.
Archaeology Concern regarding burial sites, sacred sites, and other archaeological artefacts	Six Nations Monitors were involved in all Stage Two archaeological fieldwork, and discussion on Stage 3 sites.	Six Nations monitors will participate in NRWC archaeological fieldwork during the construction phase.	N/A
Archaeological	If Aboriginal artefacts,	Stantec archaeologists will notify	Reporting of Aboriginal

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artefacts	or remains are found the Six Nations will be notified.	Six Nations of findings.	findings to Six Nations Lands Office.
Traditional Land Use Study Community is interested in developing their own Traditional Land Use Study	Stantec provided a Traditional Land Use Study book, developed by another First Nation for consideration.	Ongoing discussions on this initiative.	

3.3 CONCLUSIONS

NRWC has worked closely with the Six Nations, following their community engagement protocol: “Six Nations of the Grand River Land Use and Consultation and Accommodation Policy”. Community engagement has been defined through the Capacity Funding Agreement signed by Six Nations Chief William K. Montour and Mervin Croghan, Chairman and CEO of NRWC, on December 12, 2011. This agreement has set the stage for a variety of engagement processes discussed in this section over the past two years.

Major milestones include engagement with Elders, a successful Employment and Contractors Seminar, effective review of the Draft REA Reports, and signing of a Binding Term Sheet for an equity partnership in the Project. Next steps include developing sustainable term sheets, and supporting the Six Nations internal community engagement process. These activities require a significant amount of time and work, and both parties are committed to working through this process. Community engagement with Six Nations will continue for the life of the Project.

4.0 Six Nations of The Grand River Haudenosaunee Confederacy Chiefs Council

Six Nations of the Grand River Haudenosaunee Confederacy Chiefs Council (HCCC) was contacted by NRWC at the onset of the Project. This community was identified as being in close proximity to the Project Study Area with a portion of the Project within the Haldimand Track recognized by the Haldimand Proclamation of 1784 as traditional lands of the HCCC and as potentially having an interest in the Project.

4.1 INITIATIVES

4.1.1 Notice of Proposal to Engage in a Project and Notice of Public Meeting

Following the requirements set out in O. Reg. 359/09 S. 15, the Notice of Proposal to Engage in a Project and Notice of Public Meeting was sent to HCCC by Stantec on August 3, 2011 (Appendix C1). The Notice of Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project was couriered and emailed to HCCC (Appendix C1) and followed-up with numerous telephone calls; from August 3, 2011 to September 27, 2011 to book a meeting to discuss the Project. Due to a family crisis the Council Secretary was unavailable and NRWC was eventually redirected to the Haudenosaunee Development Institute (HDI). All correspondence was then resent to the HDI acting Executive Director. During the month of October 2011, NRWC continued to telephone and leave messages with HDI.

4.1.2 Correspondence Re: Six Nations Elders' Dinner

On October 26, 2011 a letter was received at the NRWC office (dated October 21, 2011) from the HDI requesting that NRWC "cease and desist with any meetings until you arrange a meeting with the HDI, the organization legislated by the HCCC to represent their interests (Appendix C1). The HDI has as established process including an application form, which we require you to submit to begin the process of engagement, attached ...". NRWC immediately contacted the HDI, requesting the application. NRWC informed HDI that the "Application for Consideration and Engagement for Development" and payment would be couriered by the end of the same week. NRWC requested a meeting with the HDI, to be held prior to the upcoming Six Nations Elders' Dinner planned for November 8, 2011.

4.1.3 Submission of HDI Application for Consideration and Engagement for Development and Further Correspondence Regarding Six Nations Elders' Dinner

On November 1, 2011 NRWC submitted the HDI Application for Consideration and Engagement for Development form with payment of \$7,000.00 and requested a meeting to discuss the Project (Appendix C1). A letter was received by NRWC by email on November 3, 2011 from the HDI confirming the NRWC request for a meeting and receipt of the HDI Application for

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Consideration and Engagement for Development. This letter also stated that the Board had requested the Six Nations Elders' Dinner be postponed (Appendix C1).

The Six Nations Elders' Dinner had been communicated through advertisements in local newspapers over a three-week period, individual invitations delivered to each Elders' home, radio advertisements and posters throughout the community. It was decided that it would be extremely difficult to reach all the Elders and notify them of the change in meeting date in less than a week, and likely that some Elders would not receive the message.

On November 7, 2011 NRWC sent an email to HDI stating "we could not place retractions in the newspapers and contact all the Elders in this time frame....we sincerely apologize for this discretion". NRWC and Six Nations did not cancel the Elders dinner.

4.1.4 Six Nations Elders' Dinner: November 8, 2011

The Elders' Dinner was held on the evening of November 8, 2011, with nearly 100 people attending. Merv Croghan, CEO of NRWC, welcomed the guests and described NRWC's excitement about learning how the community traditionally used the land. The information shared would be passed on to the technical members of the Project team. The technical staff will work hard to consider all potential adverse impacts to avoid, minimize and or mitigate adverse impacts on the land, and Six Nations treaty rights.

Some of the traditional knowledge that was gathered that evening included locations of:

- Traditional pow-wow grounds;
- Likely areas that have flooded;
- Hunting locations; and,
- Gathering areas of medicinal plants.

At the end of the evening NRWC provided a question and answer period. The Elders surprised facilitators by asking numerous questions about wind energy and the impacts of wind projects. Most of the Elders were excited about this form of renewable energy and, as they described, "the gift" of wind. Questions were raised regarding:

- Bird, bat and turkey mortality;
- Human health impacts;
- Turbine fires and toxic emissions; and,
- Stages of decommissioning.

The Elders seemed pleased with the NRWC and Stantec responses.

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Two Elders supporting the HCCC attended the Elders' Dinner and stated they would have preferred a presentation with a formal questions and answers period. They felt that a consistent message through a presentation was the only way to build trust. They also explained the need to manage the land for the next seven generations, and the responsibility they had to look after the Land, Air, Water and Fire – that is their LAW. These Elders expressed a desire to build a relationship of trust and ensure the Project will be preserving and caring for the next seven generations.

NRWC listened, and agreed to the importance of caring for the land for the next generations. NRWC explained that they were consulting with both the Six Nations Elected Council and the HCCC to manage the Project, with the input from the Six Nations community. The women appeared satisfied knowing NRWC was consulting with the HCCC.

Feedback during and after the event was very positive, as Six Nations had not experienced such a well-attended, proponent-led event within the community for some time.

4.1.5 Meeting with the HCCC, HDI, and NRWC: January 25, 2012

NRWC met with representatives from the HCCC and the HDI on January 25, 2012. NRWC described their engagement strategy: to build an effective communication process with the HCCC and HDI early in the Project's development that would continue for the life of the Project.

The agenda included a presentation by NRWC, providing a background on the Project and NRWC (including vision and values), a description of the Project, mapping for both the wind project and associated transmission lines, an overview of the permitting and approvals process and timelines, and opportunities for the communities.

The Project was announced in July 2011, and Stage 2 Archaeology work commenced in the fall 2011 and spring 2012. Construction would take place in 2013 and 2014, with commissioning in 2014.

Environmental Studies would be undertaken, including wildlife and wildlife habitat, bird wintering and migration area studies, and examination of waterbodies and aquatic resources. Woodlands, vegetation, wetlands and other significant natural features would be studied, as well as archaeological and cultural heritage features and environmental noise. HDI stated they would provide a senior HDI archaeologist that NRWC should hire to work on the Stage 2 fieldwork. NRWC agreed and committed to hiring a HDI archaeological monitor for Stage 2 fieldwork.

The overall goal of the presentation was to build a relationship for future partnerships and develop community support and goodwill.

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The NRWC presentation led to discussions on:

- Benefits of wind vs. nuclear and coal generation;
- Health concerns associated with wind; primarily noise;
- New technology of “quieter” turbines built by Enercon;
- Height and design of Enercon turbines;
- Schedule and community benefits; training and employment; and,
- Funding and FIT contracts.

HDI provided an overview of their community’s history, and the land prescribed by the Haldimand Proclamation and the 1701 Treaty Area. Discussions included:

- Opportunities for joint ventures and partnerships;
- Benefits when working with First Nations;
- Funding of renewable projects;
- Local community vibrancy fund;
- Cease and desist letter for archaeological work for other projects in the area; and,
- Training and development at local colleges.

Next steps after the meeting including providing HDI with the schedule of environmental studies, and a commitment to provide the results to HDI once the studies are complete. HDI will be engaged on the Project and NRWC confirmed that they are on the mailing list. As well, HDI would provide an archaeological monitor to work with Stantec archaeology team.

An HDI archaeology monitor was retained to represent the HCCC and HDI during the Stage 2 archaeology fieldwork for the Project. NRWC understands the importance to the HCCC and HDI of being involved in archaeology work in their territory. The Stage 2 Archaeology fieldwork began in the spring of 2012 with the HDI Archaeology Monitor hired to work with the Stantec crews. The HDI Archaeology Monitor reported to Stantec’s Senior Archaeologist, and continued working on Stage 2 fieldwork in the fall of 2012. If Stage 3 Archaeological Field Work is required, the HDI Archaeology Monitor will again be hired.

On May 7, 2012 the first day of the NRWC spring fieldwork, the HDI Archaeology Monitor requested that all work stop, as he had not received the Stage 1 Archaeological Reports, and the site was shut down. NRWC provided the Stage 1 report and a personal letter to Wayne Hill on May 10, 2012 (Appendix C1), apologizing for the oversight, and workers returned to the site within a few days. The HDI archaeology monitor reviewed the Stage 1 Archaeological Reports and continued to work on Stage 2 fieldwork for the Project.

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4.1.6 Correspondence for Next Meeting

On April 13, 2012 HDI sent an email to the NRWC stating that now that the archaeology fieldwork for Stage 2 will be starting “we are beginning the next phase of the HDI process that requires an Engagement Memorandum to be entered into”. Through emails and telephone calls, NRWC and representatives from HDI were able to coordinate on a meeting on June 25, 2012.

4.1.7 Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest, March 23, 2012

NRWC participated in the Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest on March 23, 2012. This event, held in Hamilton, at the Mohawk campus, included 15 different industries and over 100 participants. The Aboriginal students, from a wide range of programs, visited the NRWC booth and were very interested in renewable energy. NRWC provided information on their Project and green renewable energy.

4.1.8 Meeting with the HCCC, the HDI and NRWC: June 25, 2012

NRWC met with representatives from the HCCC and HDI on June 25, 2012.

NRWC provided an update on the Project including:

- Successfully obtained the land required for the Project;
- Winter environmental studies were completed, with spring work beginning;
- Archaeological fieldwork has begun, and appreciation was noted for the assistance of HDI’s Archaeology Monitor to the Project team;
- Using 3 Megawatt Enercon German-made 120-foot Turbines with no gears or oil, which cause less risk of fires, are very quiet and have cement bases with aluminum to maximize recycling during decommissioning;
- All maps are available on NRWC website; and,
- Turbine locations were not finalized but anticipated to be by the subsequent meeting.

The meeting continued with discussions on how the Project will be financed and various opportunities that existed for First Nation involvement. NRWC stated that their financial team were in the midst of developing a term sheet for the funding of the Project. The representatives from the HCCC and HDI were very interested in an equity position in the Project. NRWC stated that everyone interested in an equity position would be considered, and the discussion continued on the benefits of a First Nation investment.

There was a significant level of discussion on transmission lines and alternative routes for the Project. It was decided that NRWC would try and facilitate a meeting with Hydro One Networks Inc., HCCC, HDI and NRWC to discuss alternative transmission routes. Meeting minutes have not been verified with HDI.

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4.1.9 Correspondence from HDI as a result of Meeting on June 25, 2012

On June 25, 2012 a letter was sent to NRWC from HDI stating: “we are prepared to address the impact of your Project on our rights and interests by way of potential “ownership” interest in your Project” (Appendix C1). NRWC responded positively to this letter via email on August 7, 2012 from M. Croghan to Aaron Detlor (Appendix C2).

On June 25, 2012 a letter was sent to NRWC from HDI indicating their interest in discussions with HONI to facilitate completion of the Niagara Enabler Line (Appendix C1). NRWC contacted HONI and requested a meeting with the HCCC, HDI and NRWC at the earliest opportunity.

On July 25, 2012 an email was sent to NRWC from HDI stating their intention to seek a 50% equity position in the Project (Appendix C2). The lawyer stated; “as we have advised your Project has a significant impact upon the treaty rights of the Haudenosaunee which include the right to free and undisturbed harvesting over the area contemplated by your Project”. This letter also stated there was concern that NRWC was entering into an MOU with the Six Nations Elected Band Council. NRWC responded by telephone to continue this discussion. NRWC informed the HDI that negotiations with Six Nations would continue with both the Elected Six Nations Council and the HCCC/HDI as required by the Ministry of the Environment letter.

4.1.10 Hydro One Networks Inc. (HONI) Meeting: July 30, 2012

NRWC and representatives from the HCCC and the HDI met with HONI staff on July 30, 2012, to discuss alternative transmission lines for the Project. The minutes from this meeting are considered confidential. It was agreed that additional meetings would be required between HONI, HDI and meeting minutes are confidential.

4.1.11 Follow-up to HONI Meeting

NRWC sent an email on August 7, 2012 to the HDI stating that NRWC felt the HONI meeting went well and, looked forward to hearing how the next meetings with the HCCC, HDI and HONI went. As soon as the Project financing package was completed, NRWC would contact the HDI to book the next meeting to discuss the purchase of an equity position (Appendix C2).

4.1.12 Ongoing Correspondence

Emails continued between the HDI lawyer and NRWC regarding the Project’s financing package, which has not been completed to date. NRWC expects to have a financing package in place after final REA submission.

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A September 18, 2012 letter from HDI to Stantec stated that HDI was waiting on NRWC to agree to a justification of infringement on Haudenosaunee treaty rights, and a minimum 50% equity partnership in the project was the agreed upon justification model (Appendix C1). Stantec responded to this letter on October 1, 2012, notifying HDI that as the environmental consultant, Stantec is not privy to financial discussions between NRWC and Aboriginal groups (Appendix C1).

4.1.13 Six Nation/New Credit Employment and Contractor Seminars: October 2012

Between January and September 2012, a series of meetings were held between Six Nations, NRWC, GREAT and Enercon. The goal of these meetings was to develop an Employment Seminar and a Contractors' Seminar for Six Nations/New Credit members seeking employment and contracts.

The Parties agree that their **Employment** Seminar Goals are:

- Identify NRWC and Enercon employment opportunities consistent with interests of the Six Nations/New Credit members;
- Review existing training opportunities for Six Nations/New Credit members, and to determine the applicability to NRWC and Enercon employment qualifications;
- Provide specific lists of qualifications for all positions that would be hired;
- Develop individual career plans to match members' capacity with employment opportunities;
- Identify and develop long-term, sustainable training and development opportunities with local educational institutions; and,
- Provide scholarship support to those members seeking employment with NRWC and Enercon.

The Parties agree that their **Contractors'** Seminar Goals are:

- Identify business opportunities consistent with the capacity and business growth plan of each Six Nations/New Credit business entity;
- Identify partnership and joint venture opportunities which will further goals and objectives of Six Nations/New Credit business entities;
- Develop business knowledge, capacity and management skills in existing businesses and for community members interested in developing businesses;
- Develop opportunities, which match capacity into long-term contracts; and,
- Identify and develop long-term, sustainable business opportunities.

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The Six Nations/New Credit Employment Seminar was scheduled for October 23, 2012, and the Six Nations/New Credit Contractors' Seminar will be scheduled for October 25, 2012.

4.1.14 Six Nations/New Credit Employment Seminar: October 23, 2012

Six Nations/New Credit Employment Seminar was held on October 23, 2012 between 4 pm and 8 pm at the Six Nations Community Hall. NRWC, Six Nations of the Grand River First Nation, Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation, GREAT (Grand River Employment and Training), and NRWC were joined by numerous industrial companies, including Enercon (NRWC's wind manufacturer), TSP Canada (wind component manufacturer), Union Gas, Aecon Utilities, and Link-line Contractors.

The doors to the event opened at 4 pm and ended at 8 pm. Presentations were made to the participants at 5 o'clock, beginning with a short description of each of the companies, the jobs that are available, and specific job requirements. Some companies presented short movies clips and distributed copies of their job postings.

After the presentations each employer returned to their table and had one-on-one discussions with the participants regarding their specific jobs requiring immediate filling, as well as job descriptions that would apply during the NRWC construction and operations phases. Participants shared their resumes with the employers and were able to get their questions answered, and learn more about the company. Many participants noted that they were very interested in some of the jobs, and found the meeting to be a productive way to learn about the employment opportunities.

Over 35 people attended the seminar. Participants were able to have the GREAT team review and photocopy the resumes. At the end of the evening the employers at the seminar stated they could provide employment to all those that provided their resumes. The employers were planning to follow up with the interested parties, as was GREAT.

The observed low attendance was note and discussed. The Six Nations representatives, however, felt the attendance appeared good, as usually there are no more the seven members attending this type of meeting.

4.1.15 Six Nations/New Credit Contractors Seminar, October 25, 2012

Six Nations/New Credit Contractors Seminar was held on October 25, 2012 at the Six Nations Community Hall. NRWC, Six Nations of the Grand River First Nation, Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation, GREAT (Grand River Employment and Training), and NRWC were joined by numerous industrial companies, including PCL (NRWC's construction contractor), Union Gas, Aecon Utilities, and Link-line Contractors.

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The event ran from 4 pm to 8 pm. Due to the small numbers attending (ten), companies did not make presentations. Instead, each contractor seeking contracts was able to go from table to table discussing their company, capacity, and plans for the future.

PCL (NRWC'S construction contractor) provided each contractor with their brochure on hiring, a Subcontractor qualification form, a career fair screening questionnaire, and, a sheet describing PCL as a TOP employer.

PCL was pleased with the contractors that attended, recorded contact information and noted that the diverse range of skills included those most applicable to available job positions including welders, cement form moulders, electricians, builders of ladders, security, graphic artists, pipe fitters, and labourers.

At the event, Six Nations provided each of the companies with a copy of the; *Six Nations/New Credit Business Directory 2012: Shop Local Shop Native*.

4.1.16 HDI Correspondence: Employment and Contractors Seminars

NRWC received an email from the Interim Director of HDI on October 12, 2012 asking that the Six Nations/New Credit Employment and Contractors Seminars be postponed due to lack of consultation with the HCCC and HDI (Appendix C2). The email stated, "Again it appears that NRWC and Union Gas are trying to by-pass the HCCC and our engagement process". Unless the Poster has been revised to read HDI as part of the hosting party and we have input at these sessions, then I will proceed with a Cease & Desist Order on both your projects". NRWC responded on October 15, 2012 indicated that NRWC could meet and discuss HDI's concerns, and revise the advertisements to include HDI. No further communications were received on this topic.

4.1.17 GREAT Green Energy Forum, November 26, 2012

Grand River Employment and Training (GREAT) hosted a Green Employment Workshop on November 26, 2012. The goal of the workshop was to increase Aboriginal youth's awareness of jobs in the green sector. The workshop brought together Six Nations organizations (GREAT and the HDI), industry and youth. NRWC provided an interactive booth and made a presentation on green jobs in the wind industry.

4.1.18 Mohawk College Shmoozefest: January 21, 2013

NRWC participated in the Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest on January 21, 2013. This event held in Hamilton, at the Mohawk campus, included industries and approximately 35 students. The Aboriginal students, from a wide range of programs, visited the NRWC booth and were very interested in renewable energy. This year the College designed the event around a "Career Networking Dinner". Students joined NRWC and a Six Nations representative for one

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course, and then moved to the next table for the next course. This round robin encouraged discussion on NRWC's Project and green renewable energy employments opportunities.

4.1.19 Review of Draft REA Reports

The Draft REA Reports were provided to the HDI on December 4, 2012. The HCCC, HDI, and NRWC had booked a meeting to review the Draft REA Reports with the understanding that comments received beyond February 2013 will not be included in the Final REA Report, however would be included in further Project planning and development. After several emails and telephone calls (Appendix C2) HDI stated that this meeting would not occur until NRWC provided the term sheets and discussed their request for an equity position.

4.1.20 HCCC, HDI and NRWC Meeting to Discuss Equity Position in the Project

HDI continued to request a meeting to discuss how the Project will be financed (Appendix C2) and various opportunities that existed for First Nation involvement. NRWC stated that their financial team is still in the midst of developing a term sheet for the funding of the Project. The representatives from the HCCC and HDI were very interested in an equity position in the Project, and raised concerns that NRWC may be positioning itself to sell the Project. NRWC stated that everyone interested in an equity position would be considered, and the term sheets should be ready by the end of March, when discussions would begin. NRWC contacted HDI on several occasions to book this meeting (**Appendix C**)

4.1.21 HDI and NRWC Letter: April 15, 2013

Merv Croghan, Chairman and CEO of NRWC, wrote the HDI (A. Detlor) a letter on April 15, 2013 to clarify issues that were being raised through a series of emails and letters and to request an opportunity to meet with HDI. Excerpts from the letter have been provided.

"For your information and for your clarity I have attached the minutes, taken by Randi Allen, of our January 25, 2012 meeting and your June 25, 2012 letter. You will note that I am quoting you in this letter and as such you can refer to said attachment (Appendix C) for confirmation of the quote.

- During our update meeting on January 25, 2012 held at the HDI office you indicated that HDI was "*interested in joint ventures and funding of renewable projects*".
- On June 25, 2012 you sent a letter to me stating: '*As we indicated, we are prepared to address the impact of your Project on our rights and interests by way of potential "ownership" interest in your project. You indicated that you have parties acting on your behalf with respect to the financing of your Project It would be of assistance if you would have them contact me at the earliest convenience so that we can discuss what opportunities maybe available...*'

NRWC has acted exactly as you requested in your June 25, 2012 letter:

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- We are willing to discuss potential "ownership" interest in the Project.
- We have completed a pre-qualification procedure as per their April 8, 2013 letter that I sent to you on April 10, 2013.
- Within the next two to three weeks our detailed financial packages should be completed.
- We will complete the pre-qualification process and will advise qualifying parties accordingly.
- HDI has been invited to participate in the pre-qualification process.
- We are prepared to meet you and discuss the above noted.

Our project represents one of the largest wind farms to be developed in Ontario and it takes a lot of time to put things in order. I am sure that HDI can appreciate the importance of getting the facts right before going to outside parties.

As I have indicated we are just commencing the project financing stage. You have been invited to participate as per our April 8, 2013 letter. We are prepared to meet with you to discuss your specific ownership interest.

In your latest email, dated April 10, 2013, to me you wrote and I quote "justification that is required in terms of the encroachment of your Project upon our treaty rights and the need for our free prior informed consent before we are prepared to sign off on the Project". This is a leap that we are not prepared to make at this time in that:

- We have not had a meeting to discuss our Projects "encroachment on your treaty rights", as this would be in our words, a meeting to discuss the Draft REA Reports which we have been asked by you to postpone; and,
- We are not asking at this time for "sign off on the Project".

Further to your last email dated April 10, 2013 you wrote 'finalize your earlier commitment to undertake this Project in partnership with the Haudenosaunee'. We have never stated or agreed to undertake this project in partnership with the Haudenosaunee nor could we until we have completed the pre-qualification program as per the April 8, 2013 letter.

Back and forth emails are not productive. We have offered to meet with you to discuss:

- Update of the Project;
- Latest REA schedule and timelines;
- Partnerships and equity positions; and,
- Next Steps with HDI.

I am recommending that we meet and move this discussion forward. Please advise me accordingly"

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At this time the NRWC has not been able to successfully book a meeting with the HDI.

4.1.22 HDI Participation in Archaeology Services: May 2013

The HDI did provide an archaeologist to work on the Project site in May of 2013.

4.2 CONSIDERATION OF KEY COMMENTS/ISSUES FROM THE HCCC AND HDI ON THE PROJECT

Table 4.1 below provides key comments from the Haudenosaunee Confederacy Chiefs Council and HDI and consideration by NRWC and Project Team. This table will be updated with the HDI as required, prior to the commencement of the construction phase of the Project.

Issues/ Concerns/ Comments	Project Response	Outcomes	How Comments Were Considered by Project Team
HCCC and HDI	Meetings are being booked on an as need basis, by request by either party	Three meetings have been held as of February, 2013	Discussion on participation in the Project.
HCCC and HDI request 50% position in the Project	NRWC will provide term sheet for discussion of an equity position in the Project.	Term sheets available April 2013. A meeting was requested by NRWC to discuss the steps in this process. HDI has not responded to NRWC's request for a meeting. not available till March 2013	Ongoing discussions required
Members seeking Employment	Working with Grand River Employment and Training to develop Employment Seminar.	NRWC hosted the Six Nations/New Credit Employment Seminar October 23, 2012	Ongoing: Employment opportunities will be provided to GREAT for posting.
Members seeking Contracts	Working with Grand River Employment and Training to develop Contractors Seminar.	NRWC hosted the Six Nations/New Credit Contractors Seminar October 25, 2012	Ongoing: Contract opportunities will be provided to GREAT for posting.
Archaeology	Concern regarding burial sites, sacred sites, and other archaeological artefacts	HDI provided an archaeology monitor for Stage Two archaeological fieldwork, potential Stage Three fieldwork and reviewed of Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment.	HDI archaeological monitor working closely with Stantec on archaeology sites. Last site visit was in the fall of 2013..

4.3 CONCLUSIONS

NRWC has worked with the HCCC and HDI, following the signing of their application form and payment of their fee on November 1, 2011. On January 25, 2012, the HCCC and HDI agreed to

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review the Draft REA Reports for the Project, once they were made available. The Draft REA Reports were delivered to the HDI offices and confirmation was given to NRWC that the Reports were being reviewed. Feedback from the review of the Draft Reports was not provided to NRWC.

Community engagement with NRWC, the HCCC and HDI will continue for the life of the Project. Major milestones to be accomplished include: review of the Draft REA Reports, and developing sustainable term sheets. NRWC is committed to working with the HCCC and the HDI.

5.0 Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation

Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation (MNCFN) was contacted by NRWC at the onset of the Project, with the Notice of Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project, sent July 13, 2011 (Appendix D1). This community was identified as being in close proximity to the Project Study Area and as potentially having an interest in the Project. The traditional land of the MNCFN includes the area of Metropolitan Toronto. The MNCFN were relocated to their present location in 1847.

5.1 INITIATIVES

5.1.1 MNCFN and NRWC Consultation and Accommodation Visioning Meeting: August 3, 2011

The MNCFN representative referred to this initial meeting as a “Consultation and Accommodation Visioning Meeting” held August 3, 2011 and attended by representatives from MNCFN, NRWC and Stantec. NRWC provided a presentation with the objective to build an effective transparent communications process with the MNCFN in the early stages of Project development that would continue for the life of the Project (Appendix D2).

The agenda included a presentation by NRWC providing information on:

- Background on the Project;
- NRWC Vision and Values;
- Description of the Project;
- Review of environmental studies to take place;
- Mapping for the Project and associated transmission lines;
- Overview of the permitting and approvals process and timelines; and,
- Opportunities for the MNCFN (Appendix D1).

The overall goal of the presentation was to begin to build a relationship with the community and develop mechanisms for effective community engagement..

Discussions continued on the Project’s Stage 2 Archaeology work to commence in the fall 2011 and spring 2012. The MNCFN stated they would provide an MNCFN Archaeology Monitor to work on the Stage 2 fieldwork. NRWC agreed and committed to hiring their monitor for any further Project fieldwork.

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The MNCFN provided information on:

- The MNCFN Consultation and Accommodation Vision, the “duty to consult”, capacity funding by the Ontario Government under the “New Relationships Fund”, the Ontario government’s planning process, and the role of environmental assessment as part of the implementation phase. It was agreed that consultation in the government’s model was too far down the process and NRWC would work to engage the MNCFN during the EA Study period and not at the end of all the study work;
- Requests that all notification and invitations be included in the band’s monthly newsletter: Eaglepress Newsletter. The deadline is the 28-29 of the month for the following month. If there is no charge NRWC offered to make a donation to the newsletter (this is still under discussion with MNCFN);
- Explained the importance of archaeological work and was pleased that a MNCFN Archaeological Monitor would be hired for the Stage 2 fieldwork; and,
- Described a variety of band activities including an August “Three Fires Pow-Wow”, a “Caring Together Week” and other opportunities that the NRWC could participate in. It was agreed the MNCFN would let NRWC know which activities would best for NRWC to participate in (this is still under discussion with MNCFN).

NRWC committed to:

- Ensure the MNCFN received the Project Description Report submitted to the Ontario Government today (email and couriered copy sent to the MNCFN from Stantec);
- Invite the MNCFN to attend the six Public Community Meetings planned for September 13-15, 2011;
- Place all notifications and invitations in the MNCFN community newsletter;
- Provide the MNCFN with a copy of “Footprints on the Land”, a First Nation Traditional Ecological Knowledge book;
- Continue to meet at least quarterly to provide ongoing updates on Project milestones;
- Provide information, presentations and/or workshops on wind development and/or the Project to Chief and Council and other interested parties;
- Provide copies of archaeological studies and hire a MNCFN monitor for the Stage 2 archaeological work;
- Provide a donation to a MNCFN project or event;
- Participate in employment and contractors seminars; and,

Minutes were provided of the meeting and sent to MNCFN (Appendix D2).

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5.1.2 Correspondence following August 3, 2011 Meeting

A letter was sent to MNCFN, on August 3, 2011 from NRWC, thanking MNCFN staff for the meeting on August 3, 2011, and outlining the specifics of the location of the Project (Appendix D1). Attached to the letter was the draft Project Description and the Notice of a Public Meeting, for six upcoming Public Meetings to be held within each of the municipalities listed in the Project.

5.1.3 MNCFN and NRWC Meeting: October 25, 2011

Representative of the MNCFN and NRWC met on October 25, 2011 to provide an update on the Project, and review the storyboards from the community meetings. Stage 2 archaeological fieldwork was discussed, as was employment and contract opportunities. It was decided that minutes were not needed at this update meeting.

There was a mutual commitment to work on the development of an effective method to reach out to the community regarding employment and contracts. This is a difficult task as the community has been saturated with public meetings and turnout to meetings is often poor.

NRWC reviewed the storyboards from the September 14, 2011 community meeting and provided the MNCFN with a copy of the storyboards (Appendix D1). Several additional copies of the storyboards from the September 2011 community meetings were given to keep in the MNCFN office for review.

There was discussion of the Six Nations Elders' Dinner and if there was any interest in this community for a similar event. A MNCFN traditional feast for Elders was already planned for November, so this was not a good time for offering this type of event in the community.

It was decided that one more meeting would be held in 2011 prior to the MNCFN election for Chief and Council in December, 2011.

5.1.4 MNCFN and NRWC Meeting: November 11, 2011

A NRWC Project update meeting was held on November 11, 2011 with the MNCFN and NRWC (minutes from the meeting are located in Appendix D2).

NRWC provided an update on the Project including:

- Latest Draft Site Plan;
- REA schedule;
- Status of the environmental studies; and,
- Plans for further fieldwork.

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NRWC described activities planned with Six Nations, including the Elders' Dinner. NRWC offered to provide a similar event for the MNCFN Elders. MNCFN were to determine if there was community interest in an Elders Dinner, which would occur in 2012.

NRWC provided the Traditional Ecological Knowledge book "Footprints on the Land", and an information package for the Six Nations Elders' Dinner, including posters and invitations. MNCFN requested that NRWC consider funding the annual Elder's Circle Learning Seminar held in late spring, and would let NRWC know what was needed.

The election for the Chief and Council for the MNCFN was scheduled for mid-December and it was agreed to not meet until the new Council was in place.

5.1.5 Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest: March 23, 2012

NRWC participated in the Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest on March 23, 2012. This event, held in Hamilton, at the Mohawk campus, included 15 different industries and over 100 participants. The Aboriginal students, from a wide range of programs, visited the NRWC booth and were very interested in renewable energy. NRWC provided information on their Project and green renewable energy.

5.1.6 MNCFN and NRWC Meeting: April 20, 2012

Representatives of the MNCFN and NRWC met on April 20, 2012 to provide an update on the Project and election results (Appendix D1).

The MNCFN update included:

- An invite for NRWC to participate in a Career Fair to be held April 26, 2012 at the school on the reserve. Several busloads of children and adults from Hagersville would be in attendance and NRWC could set up a booth;
- Plans to hold a Moccasin Trail Line along the Humber River;
- Plans to consult with HONI on the Bruce to Milton transmission line;
- Golder has hired several MNCFN Archaeological Monitors for two months;
- Will provide archaeological monitors to NRWC and will let NRWC how they will be paid and provide a community contact for the monitors; and,
- Declared an interest in solar and renewable energy projects.

The NRWC update included:

- Successfully obtained land required for the Project;
- Winter environmental studies complete, spring work just beginning;

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- Archaeology fieldwork to begin April 16, 2012;
- Received a copy of the MNCFN newsletter;
- Decision to use Enercon turbines, which will include Canadian content with a local Enercon manufacturing facility; and,
- Planned construction is set for 2013-2014.

A discussion was held regarding the next steps in the Project:

As next steps, MNCFN will provide NRWC with the Community Career Fair information package, and NRWC will confirm their availability to participate. A follow-up meeting was scheduled for April 26, 2012 for NRWC to discuss renewables and determine next steps with the MNCFN.

Minutes were discussed and it was decided they were not needed.

5.1.7 MNCFN Career Fair: April 26, 2012

MNCFN held a Career Fair on April 26, 2012, at the school on the reserve. Busloads of children and adults arrived from Hagersville as well as members from the community, well exceeding 100 people. NRWC provided a booth, answered lots of questions on wind and renewable energy, and provided handouts and nutritious snacks. The children were very interested in the wind turbines.

5.1.8 MNCFN and NRWC Meeting: August 22, 2012

A meeting was held on August 22, 2012 with the MNCFN and NRWC (Appendix D1).

The MNCFN update included:

- Request to develop a Memorandum of Understanding with NRWC and agreed to send a draft MOU to NRWC for review;
- Advised that Council had rejected an MOU with a proponent due to language in the document that did not respect the First Nation as a Nation;
- Invited NRWC to participate in a Community Fair commencing on September 17, 2012;
- An MNCFN Elder provided informative stories of the history of the MNCFN;
- Community archaeological training program for monitors is scheduled to begin in the next few weeks, ensuring more archaeology monitors will be available for the fall season; and,
- Provided a copy of MNCFN Eaglepress Newsletter, the TEKAwennake newspaper and the Turtle Island News.

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NRWC provided an update on the Project, environmental studies currently underway, and the latest draft site plan, including turbine locations. An update was also provided on the Six Nations Employment and Contractors Seminars.

The next steps included:

- NRWC will provide input and feedback on the MOU being sent by email by the MNCFN,
- MNCFN will advise on date of the Community Fair Week in September 2012, and
- NRWC will confirm ability to attend the Community Fair Week activities.

The Stage 2 Archaeological fieldwork began in the spring of 2012 with MNCFN providing their Archaeological Monitor. These monitors are hired to work with Stantec's Senior Archaeologist and will continue working on the Stage Two fieldwork in the Fall of 2012. If Stage 3 Archaeological fieldwork is required, these monitors will again be hired.

5.1.9 Six Nations, MNCFN and NRWC, Meeting: September 20, 2012

A meeting was held with representatives from Six Nations, MNCFN and NRWC to revise the plans for the Six Nations Employment and Contractors Seminars. The decision made was to include MNCFN and now refer to the seminars as Six Nations/New Credit. The poster and advertisements were edited and telephone numbers for each First Nations placed on the bottom of the posters.

5.1.10 Six Nations/New Credit Employment and Contractor Seminars: October 2012

Between January and August 2012, a series of meetings were held between Six Nations, NRWC, Grand River Employment and Training (GREAT) and Enercon. The goal of these meetings was to develop both an Employment Seminar and a Contractors' Seminar for Six Nations members seeking employment and contracts. At this time the MNCFN had not been included at these seminars, however once invited, they agreed to the following goals.

The Parties agree that their Contractors' Seminar Goals are:

- Identify business opportunities consistent with the capacity and business growth plan of each Six Nations/New Credit business entity;
- Identify partnership and joint venture opportunities which will further goals and objectives of Six Nations/New Credit business entities;
- Develop business knowledge, capacity and management skills in existing businesses and for community members interested in developing businesses;
- Develop opportunities, which will match capacity into long-term contracts; and,
- Identify and develop long-term, sustainable business opportunities.

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The Parties agree that their Employment Seminar Goals are:

- Identify NRWC and Enercon employment opportunities consistent with interests of the Six Nations/New Credit members.
- Review existing training opportunities for Six Nations/New Credit members, and to determine the applicability to NRWC and Enercon employment qualifications;
- Provide specific lists of qualifications for all positions that will be hired;
- Develop individual career plans to match members' capacity with employment opportunities;
- Identify and develop long-term, sustainable training and development opportunities with local educational institutions; and,
- Provide scholarship support to those members seeking employment with NRWC and Enercon.

The Six Nations/New Credit Employment Seminar will be held on October 23, 2012, and the Six Nations/New Credit Contractors' Seminar will be held on October 25, 2012.

5.1.11 Six Nations/New Credit Employment Seminar: October 23, 2012

Six Nations/New Credit Employment Seminar was held on October 23, 2012 between 4 pm and 8 pm at the Six Nations Community Hall. NRWC, Six Nations of the Grand River First Nation, Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation, GREAT (Grand River Employment and Training), and NRWC were joined by numerous industrial companies, including Enercon (NRWC's wind manufacturer), TSP Canada (wind component manufacturer), Union Gas, Aecon Utilities, and Link-line Contractors.

The doors to the facility opened at 4 pm and ended at 8 pm. Presentations were made to the participants at 5 o'clock, beginning with a short description of each of the companies, the jobs that are available, and specific job requirements. Some companies presented short movies clips and distributed copies of their job postings.

After the presentations each employer returned to their table and had one-on-one discussions with the participants regarding their specific jobs requiring immediate filling, as well as job descriptions that would apply during the NRWC construction and operations phases. Participants shared their resumes with the employers and were able to get their questions answered, and learn more about the company. Many participants noted that they were very interested in some of the jobs, and found the meeting to be a productive way to learn about the employment opportunities.

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Over 35 people attended the seminar. Participants were able to have the GREAT team review and photocopy the resumes. At the end of the evening the employers at the seminar stated they could provide employment to all those that provided their resumes. The employers were planning to follow up with the interested parties, as was GREAT.

The observed low attendance was noted and discussed. The Six Nations representatives, however, felt the attendance appeared good, as usually there are no more than seven members attending this type of meeting.

5.1.12 Six Nations/New Credit Contractors Seminar: October 25, 2012

Six Nations/New Credit Contractors Seminar was held on October 25, 2012 at the Six Nations Community Hall. NRWC, Six Nations of the Grand River First Nation, Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation, GREAT (Grand River Employment and Training), and Stantec were joined by PCL, Union Gas, Aecon Utilities, and Link-line Contractors.

The event ran from 4 pm to 8 pm. Due to the small numbers attending (ten), companies did not make presentations. Instead, each contractor seeking contracts was able to go from table to table discussing their company, capacity, and plans for the future.

PCL (NRWC'S construction contractor) provided contractor with their brochure on hiring, the Subcontractor qualification form, a career fair screening questionnaire, and a sheet describing PCL as a TOP employer (Appendix D1).

PCL was pleased with the contractors that attended, recorded contact information and noted that the diverse range of skills included those most applicable to available job positions including welders, cement form moulders, electricians, builders of ladders, security, graphic artists, pipe fitters, and, labourers.

At the event, Six Nations provided each of the companies with a copy of the *Six Nations/New Credit Business Directory 2012: Shop Local Shop Native* (Appendix D1).

5.1.13 MNCFN and NRWC Meeting: December 4, 2012

A meeting was held on December 4, 2012 with representatives from MNCFN and NRWC (meeting minutes are located in Appendix D2).

NRWC provided an update including:

- Request for review of Draft REA reports and feedback, if possible, in writing within the 60 day public review period;
- Requirement for capacity funding to review the draft REA reports;
- Invitation to next Public Meetings,

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- Continuation of Archaeological fieldwork;
- Project schedule; and,
- Turbine locations.

MNCFN response and update included:

- C. King will review the draft REA reports and no additional funding is required;
- MNCFN will try to meet this deadline to ensure comments are included in the Final REA submission to the MOE. If it is not possible to meet the deadline, a review meeting will be held, and MNCFN comments will be provided to the Project Team for integration into further Project planning and development;
- Pleased with results from Employment and Contractors Seminars,
- Developing an Advisory Committee to support C. King, and NRWC may be asked to meet with this new committee; and,
- Request that NRWC participate through a donation in 2013 (C. King will develop a proposal).

At the end of the meeting C. King provided NRWC with the MNCFN draft Consultation Protocol.

5.1.14 Mohawk College Shmoozefest: January 21, 2013

NRWC participated in the Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest on January 21, 2013. This event held in Hamilton, at the Mohawk campus, included industries and approximately 35 students. The Aboriginal students, from a wide range of programs, visited the NRWC booth and were very interested in renewable energy. This year the College designed the event around a "Career Networking Dinner". Students joined NRWC and a Six Nations representative for one course, and then moved to the next table for the next course. This round robin encouraged discussion on NRWC's Project and green renewable energy employments opportunities.

5.1.15 MNCFN and NRWC Review of Draft REA Reports Meeting: March 4, 2013

The Draft REA Reports had been hand delivered to the MNCFN on December 4, 2012. MNCFN and NRWC met on March 4, 2013 to provide an update on the Project and to review the Draft REA Reports. All representatives understand that these reviews may require additional meetings. Comments received beyond February 2013 will not be included in the Final REA Report, however will be included in further Project planning and development.

NRWC opened the meeting with an update on the Project, the expectation that the NRWC REA Report will be submitted to the government within the week.

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The Draft NRWC REA Reports have been reviewed by the MNCFN, and their community has an interest in the Project because:

- The Project site is on the MNCFN traditional territory, which is a trigger to ensure the MNCFN Treaty Rights are not negatively impacted upon;
- Archaeological work in the area is of importance to the community, as well as artefacts found;
- Community needs to ensure that Mother Earth is not negatively impacted;
- MNCFN believes in the importance of green renewable energy;
- MNCFN members live close to Project in Port Dover; and,
- Ensure that the MNCFN community is treated fairly as a “Good Neighbour”.

The following questions were raised:

1. **Question:** How many turbines will there be in the final design?

Answer: There will 77 with a total 230 mgws, which is the amount outlined in the FIT contract.

2. **Question:** What are the Cumulative Impacts of all the Projects in Haldimand/Norfolk? Is there a map with all these turbines on it? Why hasn't the government developed this map, and why is it so difficult to find out this information?

Answer: We agree, a map is a very helpful educational tool, and we have a cumulative map of all projects planned, or in existence, in the area of the Project. This map was provided at the Final Public Meetings (Feb 5-7, 2013). We can expand this map to the west covering more of the MNCFN traditional territory. Stantec will create this map, and provide the MNCFN with 2 large maps, several smaller maps and an electronic version.

3. **Question:** The Project will have a significant negative impact of the visual landscape.

Answer: The visual landscape is a personal issue, some people hate the look of the turbines, some find them attractive. The most difficult part of the process of developing wind projects is creating a change in the landscape. Change is never easy.

4. **Question:** Is there a noise issue with the turbines?

Answer: There was lengthy discussion on how the turbines were sited, and the level of noise. The discussion identified how quiet the Enercon turbines are (40 decibel). This would be verified later on a tour of the turbines.

5. **Question:** Are there health risks associated with the turbines, I get dizzy when I look at them?

Answer: We understand that some people can feel dizzy looking at the turbines, however we do not believe there are any health risks associated with the turbines.

6. **Question:** Would NRWC/Stantec provide the MNCFN with education and or development seminar(s) on the REA process for the community? MNCFN would like to better understand the approval process and the environmental studies undertaken for wind projects. Would the Project provide a tour of their existing wind project for their members?

Answer: Yes. Stantec can be a resource to the community and NRWC would be pleased to provide the MNCFN with a tour of Enercon turbines.

7. **Question:** Will there be follow-up on employment and contracting opportunities for the MNCFN members that attended the NRWC/MNCFN seminars?

Answer: Yes, there will be follow-up to the Six Nation/New Credit Seminars held in 2012, as well as continuing to send all employment and contracting opportunities to the MNCFN employment office.

8. **Question:** How will the MNCFN benefit from the Project? The community is seeking:

- Revenue sharing, long term sustainable funding;
- Employment and contracts;
- Respect for the land and their history; and
- Business opportunities such as use of the MNCFN Industrial Park.

Answer: The Project based on the principal of being “good neighbours” is prepared to provide the following:

- Archaeological monitors will be hired to support the construction crews where land will be disturbed during construction;
- Employment and contracting opportunities will be provided to the community;

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- Training and development seminar(s) can be delivered on the REA process for the community, as well as providing a tour of an existing wind project using Enercon turbines;
- All archaeological studies will be provided to the community;
- Newsletters on the Project will be provided to the community; and
- Negotiations on Revenue sharing/community support.

The MNCFN discussed how attendance at the NRWC Final Public Meeting, on Feb 7, 2013 assisted in answering many of the MNCFN questions.

Rock Tobicoe was introduced as the MNCFN Archaeology Coordinator, and would work closely with NRWC to coordinate archaeological monitors.

Next Steps:

- MNCFN and NRWC to discuss MNCFN community benefits.

5.1.16 NRWC Letter on MNCFN Community Benefits: March 25, 2013

On March 25, 2013, the CEO of NRWC sent a letter to the MNCFN (Appendix D2) describing how appreciative NRWC is with the learning's the Project Team has received from working closely with the MNCFN during the development phase of the Project. NRWC has a "good neighbor policy" and as a result, would like to provide the MNCFN with an annual education scholarship in the field of green energy and a community fund to support local projects. These annual benefits would last for the life of the Project.

5.1.17 NRWC participation in MNCFN Career Fair: August 1, 2013

Over sixty members of the MNCFN attended the 5th Annual MNCFN Career Fair. Chief and Council provided speeches, and a variety of members discussed their wide range of work experiences.

NRWC provided Project information and discussed wind energy, however it was their Stantec environmental biologist who drew the crowds. The booth was full of skeletons from a wide variety of animals, snakeskins, turtle shells, birds and bat feathers and more. Career Fair participants, both young and old wanted information on Stantec's role with the Project, the types of environmental jobs that were available and qualifications needed to be hired.

MNCFN already requested NRWC attendance for next year, as this Career Fair is becoming an annual event.

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5.1.18 MNCFN and NRWC Meeting to discuss Term Sheets: October 31, 2013

On October 31, 2013 representatives from MNCFN and NRWC meet to discuss the new MNCFN procedure on community approval of offers made by proponents. The new process is based on developing a joint MNCFN committee that includes the Chief, Councillors and members of Economic Development and Lands and Resources. This committee will assess all community engagement offers and make recommendations to Chief and Council. There is a large back log of offers to be reviewed and NRWC will be contacted by Economic and Development when their review has been completed.

5.2 CONSIDERATION OF KEY COMMENTS/ISSUES RAISED BY THE MNCFN

Table 5.1 provides key comments/issues from the MNCFN and consideration by NRWC and the Project Team. This Table will be updated with MNCFN as required, prior to the commencement of the construction phase of the Project

Table 5.1: Comments and Responses from the Mississaugas of New Credit First Nation			
Issues/Concerns/Comments	Project Response	Outcomes	How Comments Were Considered by Project Team
Chief and Council	At this time, Chief and Council have not requested a meeting with NRWC	On a quarterly basis and/or for key Project milestones NRWC will meet with the MNCFN Representative	Ongoing
Reports	All public reports will be delivered in a timely fashion on CDs to Lands office	Stantec has hand delivered CDs and hard copies of reports for review.	Ongoing.
NRWC newsletters	The community will receive NRWC newsletter	Copies of newsletters were mailed to MNCFN lands office.	Ongoing.
Students seeking employment	Meetings with the MNCFN Employment Department	Participated in Mohawk College Shmoozefest for Aboriginal Students on March 23, 2012 Provided information booth with pamphlets on the Project and renewable energy.	N/A
Students seeking employment	Meetings with the MNCFN Employment Department	Participated in Six Nations/New Credit Employment Seminar	Employment opportunities available, and will provide postings to the MNCFN Employment office.
Members seeking employment	NRWC will attend employment fair on the reserve.	Participated in an on-reserve community Employment Fairs in 2012 and 2013. Provided information booth with pamphlets on the Project and renewable	Employment opportunities will be identified to the community as they are available.

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Table 5.1: Comments and Responses from the Mississaugas of New Credit First Nation

Issues/Concerns/Comments	Project Response	Outcomes	How Comments Were Considered by Project Team
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Members seeking contracts	NRWC will provide a Contractors Seminar	Participated in Six Nations/New Credit Contractors Seminar	Contractor opportunities when available will be emailed to the MNCFN Employment office.
Wildlife Concern deer, and wildlife movement will be impacted by turbine locations.	Develop a winter mammal tracking study to determine how mammals traverse turbine locations.	MNCFN and NRWC develop and participate in a winter mammal movement study to track deer proximity to turbines during post construction.	
Birds, bats and turkeys Concern bird bat and turkey mortality will be high as result of impact with turbine blades.	As part of the Renewable Energy Approvals birds, bats and turkeys species will be studied to determine mortality.	MNCFN participate in post construction bird, bat and turkey mortality studies	
Archaeology Concern regarding burial sites, sacred sites, and other archaeological artefacts	MNCFN Monitors were involved in all Stage Two archaeological fieldwork	MNCFN will participate in archaeological fieldwork.	
Archaeological artefacts	If Aboriginal artefacts, or remains are found the MNCFN will be notified.	Stantec Archaeologists will notify MNCFN if there are findings.	Reporting of Aboriginal findings to interested Aboriginal communities identified for the Project.
Traditional Land Use Study Community is interested in developing their own Traditional Land Use Study	Stantec provided a Traditional Land Use Study book, developed by another First Nation for consideration.	Ongoing discussions on this initiative.	

5.3 CONCLUSIONS

NRWC and the MNCFN have been engaged in discussions on the Project since the Project was announced. NRWC has participated in several community activities, and supported efforts to provide members with employment and contract opportunities. NRWC has provided the MNCFN with a community benefits agreement, which will last for the life of the Project. This agreement is now under review by the MNCFN. The positive relationship built between the MNCFN and the NRWC will continue throughout the life of the Project.

6.0 Métis Nation of Ontario / Niagara Region Métis Council

The Métis Nation of Ontario and the Niagara Regional Métis Council (MNO) was contacted by the NRWC at the onset of the Project. The Métis community was identified by the Project team as potentially having an interest in the Project.

6.1 INITIATIVES

6.1.1 Métis Nation of Ontario and NRWC Meeting: October 3, 2011

Following delivery of the first Project Notice on August 2, 2011, the MNO provided NRWC with the Métis Nation of Ontario Consultation Protocol and described how the Regional Councils were developed. All documents are available on their website www.Métisnation.org. The MNO stated that they were interested in being consulted on the Project. A preliminary meeting was planned to discuss the Project on October 3, 2011. No minutes were taken at this meeting.

On October 3, 2011, the MNO and NRWC met to discuss the Project and the MNO Protocol and plan the initial meeting with the Métis Region 9 Protocol Committee. Stantec reviewed the storyboards prepared from the September 14, 2011 community meeting (Appendix E1). A copy of the storyboards was left with the MNO representative and an electronic copy would be sent by email.

6.1.2 Métis Nation of Ontario, Niagara Region Métis Council, NRWC and Stantec Meeting: November 21, 2011

The MNO, Niagara Region Métis Council, NRWC and Stantec met at the Niagara Region Métis Council Boardroom in Welland, Ontario on November 21, 2011. The meeting began with an opening prayer, followed by introductions of all attending and a review of the vision and values of both the NRWC and MNO. The agenda included a presentation by NRWC, providing a background on the Project and NRWC (including vision and values), a description of the Project, mapping for both the wind project and associated transmission lines, an overview of the permitting and approvals process and timelines, and opportunities for the communities.

The Project was announced in July 2011, and Stage 2 Archaeology work to commence in the fall 2011 and spring 2012. Construction would take place in 2013 and 2014, with commissioning in 2014.

Environmental Studies will be undertaken, including wildlife and wildlife habitat, bird wintering and migration area studies, and an examination of waterbodies and aquatic resources. Woodlands, vegetation, wetlands and other significant natural features will be studied, as will archaeological and cultural heritage features and environmental noise. The MNO stated that if any Aboriginal artefacts were found they MNO should be contacted. NRWC agreed to pass this

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information on to Stantec, the firm managing the fieldwork. The overall goal of the Presentation was to build a relationship for future partnerships and develop community support and goodwill.

The MNO discussed their concerns for the land, which included water quality, air quality, wildlife, Aboriginal interests, the overall study area, cumulative impacts, monitoring, social impacts, and legacy (Appendix E1). Requests from the Métis at the meeting were based on socio-economic outcomes, including procurement opportunities and opportunities for promote their culture and funding for Métis activities.

Outcomes of the meeting included:

- If during the Stage Two Archaeological Study artefacts dating from 1600 to 1900's are located, the Métis Nation of Ontario will be contacted;
- The MNO will be consulted regarding construction, operating contracts and employment opportunities;
- NRWC will meet with local community colleges to discuss the employment requirements for the Project;
- NRWC will provide a list of employment opportunities and requirements early in Project development, so MNO candidates have time to get qualifications for the jobs they want; and,
- NRWC will reach out to MNO contractors so that they will have an opportunity to bid on the contracts.

It was agreed that NRWC would meet with the Métis Nation of Ontario and Niagara Region Métis Council annually, with the next meeting in the fall of 2012.

6.1.3 Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest: March 23, 2012

NRWC participated in the Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest on March 23, 2012. This event held in Hamilton, at the Mohawk campus, included 15 different industries and over 100 participants. The Aboriginal students, from a wide range of programs, visited the NRWC booth and were very interested in renewable energy. NRWC provided information on their Project and green renewable energy.

6.1.4 MNO and NRWC Project Update Meeting: June 29, 2012

MNO and NRWC met on June 29, 2012 to discuss the Project. NRWC described the Enercon Turbines and their two manufacturing facilities and employment opportunities that will be forthcoming in 2013 and 2014. Also discussed were best methods of communicating employment and contracts to the Métis community. It was decided to meet in the fall of 2012 to continue this discussion. No minutes were taken at this meeting.

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6.1.5 MNO and NRWC Project Update Meeting: October 19, 2012

The MNO and NRWC met on October 19, 2012 to discuss the Project and MNO community events. Stantec provided a copy of the storyboards from the community meeting held on September 20, 2012 (Appendices E1 and E2).

NRWC provided information on initiatives with First Nations, including the Six Nations/New Credit Employment and Contractors Seminars. The MNO suggested that a community seminar with both employment and contractor opportunities would be very helpful in the Niagara area in the spring of 2103. NRWC could publicize the meeting in the MNO paper. NRWC agreed to continue discussion on the Métis job fair.

The NRWC representative also discussed the success of bringing the Six Nations CAP Team on a tour of Enercon wind turbines. The Six Nations participants thought it was very helpful to actually stand beside a turbine that was turning and hear how quiet they were and with so little vibrations. It was also very educational to learn from the Enercon Representatives. MNO asked if the next meeting could include an Enercon tour. NRWC agreed and would organize a tour in November, 2012.

MNO requested that Stantec studies be provided electronically or on CDs with copies for the MNO and the local Councils. MNO requested all Draft REA Reports be provided on CD, as this was most beneficial to the environment and the MNO office does not have room for the reports.

As well, MNO requested that NRWC and the MNO work together to develop an "Adaptive Management Plan" for the construction and operation of the Project. This Plan will look at the Project Approval and consider opportunities to monitor environmental interactions and potential impacts of the Project. NRWC will develop a forum for discussion of an Adapted Management Plan.

6.1.6 Follow-up Correspondence to October 19, Meeting

NRWC emailed MNO to confirm the tour of Enercon turbines on November 9, 2012. As well, the NRWC would like to continue the discussion of a community Employment and Contractor's Job Fair in the Niagara Region in the Spring of 2013, and developing together an Adaptive Management Plan for the construction and operation periods of the Project.

6.1.7 Tour of Enercon Turbines, November 9, 2012

The Niagara Region Métis Council, the Hamilton Wentworth Métis Council, the Grand River Community Métis Council, the Windsor Essex Métis Council, the MNO, and NRWC toured the Boralex Wind Farm with Enercon turbines on November 9, 2012. The participants spent several hours with a senior Enercon representative, toured the wind turbines and were able to have many of their questions answered regarding construction methods, land requirements for cement bases, and sound and vibrations with Enercon technology.

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Tour participants were able to experience the wind turbines first-hand, by standing right below the turbine as the blades were turning. The consensus was surprise by how quiet the machines were and how little vibration they felt. The tour was considered very worthwhile and the best method for understanding the potential human impacts of a wind turbine.

6.1.8 Niagara Region Métis Council, MNO and NRWC Meeting: November 9, 2012

After the tour, attendees met for an update meeting on the Project. At this time the NRWC provided copies of the storyboards for the Public Community Meeting held on September 20, 2012 (Appendix E1). Discussion centred on the Project location and turbine technology, as well as health, bird and bat mortality, employment, and an overview of the Project schedule.

The MNO provided copies of:

- Métis Consultation and Accommodation: “A Guide for Government and Industry on Engaging Métis in Ontario;
- Métis Voyageur, Issue 73, Midwinter 2013; and
- 2011 Métis Nation of Ontario Annual Report (Appendix E1).

The participants agreed it was a good day and looked forward to meeting at the spring Employment and Contractors Job Fair. The meeting minutes would be distributed by NRWC. The MNO requested that an article with pictures be developed for the MNO Voyageur Newspaper describing the tour and reactions to the turbines. This article was published in the March 2013 edition of the Voyageur (Appendix E1).

6.1.9 Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest: January 21, 2013

NRWC participated in the Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest on January 21, 2013. This event held in Hamilton, at the Mohawk campus, included industries and approximately 35 students. The Aboriginal students, from a wide range of programs, visited the NRWC booth and were very interested in renewable energy. This year the College designed the event around a “Career Networking Dinner”. Students joined NRWC and a Six Nations representative for one course, and then moved to the next table for the next course. This round robin encouraged discussion on NRWC’s Project and green renewable energy employment opportunities.

6.1.10 MNO Review of the Draft REA Reports

The MNO was courier several CD’s of the Draft REA Reports on December 4, 2012. Telephone conversations with the MNO representative described how these reports would be distributed. Each local Council would receive the CD and discuss at their local committee meetings. If the Council(s) wished to discuss the Draft REA Reports in detail, they would contact the MNO representative, who would in turn contact NRWC. At this time, there have been no requests for additional information or further review meetings.

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6.1.11 MNO Employment and Contractor Job Fair: Spring 2103

The MNO sent an email (Appendix E2) requesting a meeting to further discuss the NRWC/Union Gas Employment and Contractors Job Fair for the spring of 2013. Some of the ideas put forward include:

- Three speakers; MNO, NRWC and Union Gas;
- Open to the public;
- Invite local colleges;
- Buffet dinner and entertainment; and,
- Communicate through the MNO and local papers.

A meeting has been booked with MNO, NRWC and Union Gas on April 9, 2013 to firm up plans for this event.

6.1.12 MNO and NRWC Meeting: April 9, 2013

A Project Update meeting was held on April 9, 2013 with the Métis Nation of Ontario (MNO) and Niagara Region Wind Corporation (NRWC). NRWC provided an update on the Project and the REA process. MNO requested a hard copy of the Draft REA Aboriginal Consultation Report with appendices in CD's. NRWC agreed to send seven (7) sets of CDs to the MNO office within the week.

An agenda and work plan was developed for the MNO, NRWC and Union Gas: Employment and Contractors Job Fair, to be held October 2, 2013. The Job Fair has a three-prong approach, to include: Aboriginal students in the Region, MNO Councils in the Region, and the MNO for Ontario.

The agenda would be in a trade show format with tables for each of the organizations. Visitors could speak directly with employers and contractors and the MNO, NRWC, and Union Gas would make presentation. A buffet with trays of meats, cheese, veggies, fruit, buns, salads, desserts and beverages would be provided, and MNO fiddlers will perform.

It was agreed that J. Wager of the MNO and NRWC would manage the logistics.

6.1.13 MNO, NRWC and Union Gas Meeting: May 8, 2103

The MNO, NRWC and Union Gas met to update the plan for the Métis Employment and Employment and Contractors Event to be held in the Fall of 2013.

Discussions included:

- Logistics of the meeting – date, location, food (including traditional corn and dried meat), Métis fiddlers, and invitations – all need to be confirmed by the MNO and local Council;

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- Name of the event - “MNO Employment and Contracting Community Gathering”; and,
- Advertisements: MNO Voyageur, and NRWC Newsletter.

It was agreed that once the venue and logistics were organized we would meet one more time to finalize the plans.

6.1.14 MNO Employment and Contractors Event Advertisement in Métis Voyageur: September 2013

After many revision the MNO Employment and Contractors Event has been changed to the “MNO– Employment and Contracting Community Gathering”, to be held on October 29, 2013 in St. Catharines Ontario. The advertisement flyer was signed off by all parties will be emailed to members in the vicinity of the Project as well as placed in the MNO newsletter.

6.1.15 MNO and NRWC Planning Meeting: September 10, 2013

MNO and NRWC met to finalize the details for the upcoming MNO, NRWC and Union Gas Employment and Contracting Community Gathering.

The discussion included:

- Confirmation from NRWC, Union Gas, and their contractors that they could participate at the Gathering;
- Logistics – date and facility confirmed, advertisement will be published in October MNO newsletter; and,
- Final administrative details confirmed.

It was agreed that closer to the date a meeting may be required to review the agenda and confirm logistics.

6.1.16 MNO and NRWC Planning Meeting: October 24, 2013

MNO and NRWC met to discuss the final details for the MNO Employment and Contracting Community Gathering. The discussion included:

- Protocol for the speeches;
- Timing and content of the speeches;
- Use of sign in sheets and who would have access to them;
- Timing of music; and,
- Schedule including set up and take down.

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There was lengthy discussion of potential attendees and the sending of reminder emails. It was agreed to meet at the venue at 1.00 pm on the day of the event.

6.1.17 MNO, Employment and Contracting Community Gathering: October 29, 2103

At the first NRWC and MNO meeting in November 2011, the Region 9 MNO Consultation Committee identified employment and contracts for MNO members as a key concern of the Project. The MNO, NRWC, and Union Gas, hosted the MNO Employment and Contracting Community Gathering on October 29, 2013 as the culmination of two years of preparation to provide jobs, contracts and education opportunities to MNO members in the vicinity of the Project. For this reason, the venue was located in St. Catharines, Ontario.

The Goals for the Gathering included:

- Identify employment opportunities consistent with the interests of MNO members;
- Provide specific lists of qualifications for available positions;
- Provide an opportunity for MNO members seeking jobs and contracts to meet one on one with industry;
- Identify business opportunities consistent with the capacity and business growth plan of MNO contractors; and,
- Support MNO youth with bursaries and information on educational opportunities.

The MNO Employment and Contracting Community Gathering was designed with these goals in mind.

Information dissemination:

The MNO sent out an electronic flyer describing the event to all members in Regions 8 and 9. In addition, the Region 8 and 9 Councils distributed a paper copy of the flyer at their local events. The MNO's Education and Training Branch distributed the flyers electronically through their channels. These flyers reached the Six Nations for distribution. All MNO families received the MNO Newspaper; "The Voyageur" where there was a half-page advertisement. A telephone tree was created to remind members of the event.

Participation at the Gathering:

The MNO Region 9 Consultation Committee attended the Employment and Contracting Community Gathering as well as senior MNO staff including:

- Peter Rivers: Chair, Region 9 Consultation Committee;
- Jo Anne Young: President, Hamilton Wentworth Métis Council;
- Derrick Pont: President, Niagara Region Métis Council;
- Cora Bunn: President, Grand River Community Métis Council;

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- Donna Grayer: Woman's Representative, Windsor/Essex/Kent Métis Council;
- James Wager: Manager of Natural Resources and Consultation, LRC, MNO;
- Kelly Honsberger: Education and Training Branch, MNO; and,
- Alex Young: Youth Representative, Region Nine.

The industries that attended are affiliated with either NRWC or their co-host, Union Gas, including NRWC, Union Gas, TSP Towers Canada, PCL, Enercon, LinkLine Contractors, and AECON Utilities.

A number of local colleges and universities attended including: the University of Guelph, Brock University, Conestoga College Niagara, the University of Waterloo, and Wilfred Laurier University.

The Community Gathering began with a prayer from an MNO Senator/Elder followed by a welcome by J. Wager, the Host and Manager at the MNO. The Chairman of the Region 9 Consultation Committee, P. Rivers told a story of how his father would not believe how far Aboriginal peoples have come, as in his day, being Aboriginal meant you would not be hired, and today, industry is here welcoming us. D. Pont, President of Niagara Region Métis Council thanked everyone for coming to his community. NRWC and Union GAS thanked the MNO for the opportunity to sponsor this event.

Forty participants attended, including: MNO contractors, members seeking employment, MNO youth and Six Nations members. Grand River Employment and Training (GREAT) provided a bus from Six Nations Reserve and also picked up students in Hamilton. A Six Nations CAP team representative also attended.

The event ran from 4 to 8 pm, with dinner provided in a buffet format, and tables were filled with people talking and listening to the fiddle music. Each participant had ample opportunity to talk with industry representatives, exchange resumes and gather employment and contracting information. Feedback was very positive and the event was both helpful and fun.

At the end of the meeting, NRWC discussed with members of the MNO executive the turnout. Several MNO members had received feedback that the lack of transportation was a problem for many that had wanted to attend. It was agreed that at the next NRWC MNO meeting, a post mortem of the Gathering and follow-up would be on the agenda.

The MNO, NRWC and Union Gas were very pleased with the event. It was agreed that if one member was successful in gaining employment then the effort was very worthwhile.

6.1.18 MNO and NRWC Update Meeting: December 2013

The MNO has requested that NRWC meet with J. Wager and P. Rivers to discuss next steps in the MNO NRWC consultation process. A meeting is currently being planned for December 2013.

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6.2 CONSIDERATION OF KEY COMMENTS/ISSUES RAISED BY THE NIAGARA REGION MÉTIS COUNCIL AND THE MNO

Table 6-1 provides key comments from the Niagara Region Métis Council, MNO and consideration by NRWC and Project Team. This Table will be updated with the MNO as required, prior to the commencement of the construction phase of the Project.

Table 6.1: Comments and Responses from the MNO/Niagara Region Métis Council

Issue/Concern/Comment	Project Response	How Comments Were Considered by Project Team
<p>Aboriginal Interests</p> <p>Have any Aboriginal sensitive areas been recognized on or around the study area</p> <p>Archaeological Assessment 17th – 19th Century</p>	<p>Although 77 built resources and 34 cultural heritage landscapes were identified in the Heritage Impact Assessment, no direct operational impacts were identified.</p> <p>Two built heritage resources, the Elcho United Church Cemetery and West Lincoln McCaffrey Cemetery, have potential for operation-related indirect effects from visual impacts.</p>	<p>Work directly with Elcho Cemetery Board to design and install an appropriate visual barrier around the cemetery to protect views.</p> <p>Install transmission line poles on east side of Port Davidson Road (opposite side of road from the West Lincoln McCaffrey Cemetery).</p>
<p>The Study Area</p> <p>Crown Land within the Study Area</p>	<p>The Project is on private land.</p>	
<p>Monitoring</p> <p>Construction – Operation – Decommission</p> <p>Long term</p> <p>Flora, Fauna, Wildlife</p>	<p>The Project has been designed to minimize impacts on wildlife and wildlife habitat. The implementation of the Environmental Effects Monitoring Plan for the first three years of operation will assess the impacts to various bird species.</p> <p>The implementation of a mammal movement study will assess the impacts to mammals</p>	<p>See Natural Heritage Assessment. See Table 3.1 of Construction Plan Report under “Significant Wildlife and Wildlife Habitat” and “Other Wildlife and Wildlife Habitat”.</p> <p>See Table 5.1 of Design and Operation Report under “Significant Wildlife and Wildlife Habitat” and “Other Wildlife and Wildlife Habitat”.</p>
<p>Social Impacts</p> <p>Interested in contract and employment opportunities.</p>	<p>Seeking employment and contract opportunities.</p>	<p>MNO and NRWC Employment and Contractors Community Gathering was held on October 29, 2013.</p> <p>Employment opportunities will be identified to the community as they are available.</p>
<p>Interested in participating in archaeological fieldwork and the results of the archaeological studies.</p>	<p>If during the Stage Two Archaeological Study artefacts dating from 1600 to 1900’s are located the Métis Nation of Ontario will be contacted.</p>	<p>All Reports of Aboriginal artefacts will be sent to the MNO.</p>
<p>Legacy (environment & community)</p>	<p>Under discussion</p>	<p>Ongoing.</p>

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6.3 CONCLUSIONS

NRWC has met with the Niagara Region Métis Council, and the MNO since the Project was announced and will continue to meet as the Project moves forward. NRWC understands the importance of and is committed to maintaining a long-term sustainable relationship with the MNO. For this reason, NRWC sponsored the MNO Employment and Contracting Community Gathering in 2013 to support local members in finding jobs and contracts in the area. NRWC has committed to provide updates on Aboriginal artefacts found in the area, and developing a forum for discussion on an “Adapted Management Plan” for the construction and operating phases of the Project.

7.0 Conclusions

General comments received from Aboriginal communities have been summarized in Table 7.1 below.

Table 7.1: Summary of Aboriginal Communities Concerns/Questions and Responses

Concern/Question identified by Aboriginal Community	Summarized Response to Concern/Question	Report Reference Where Concern/Question is Addressed in Detail
Will there be toxic emissions if the turbines catch on fire?	The turbines contain a relatively low amount of combustible materials (12 L of grease) due to the design, which uses direct drive generator as well as tower sections made of concrete. Potential for fire is low and emissions in the case of a fire would be minimal.	Design & Operation Report under Table 5.1 “Air Quality”.
What are the stages of decommissioning?	The stages of decommissioning include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Equipment dismantling and removal (turbines, turbine foundations, electrical system, turbine laydown areas, crane pads, access roads); and, • Site Rehabilitation and Restoration (watercourses, agricultural lands, spills). 	Decommissioning Plan Report, Section 3.0.
Will government land become sterilized with turbine placement as the community would no longer be able to build a housing development on the land due to set backs?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There is no government land proposed to be used for the Project; however, wind turbines must be located a minimum of 550 m from any house. Houses are permitted to be built any distance from a turbine. • Most turbines are located along the back of agricultural fields and will not likely impact future development of land for housing developments. 	Appendix A of Project Description Report for Draft Site Plan showing location of turbines relative to existing roads and homes.
Concern that deer and wildlife movement will be impacted by turbine locations.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Potential for deer and wildlife movement to be impacted during construction will be short-lived and spatially limited. • There is potential for deer and wildlife movement to be impacted during operation. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Natural Heritage Assessment. • NRW has committed to participate in a winter mammal movements study to track deer proximity to turbines post-construction.

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Concern that bird, bat and turkey mortality will be high as result of impact with turbine blades.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There is potential for collision of avian species with wind turbine blades during operation. • The following monitoring will be conducted for the Project: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mortality monitoring for birds will be conducted twice weekly (3-4 day intervals) at ten turbines from May 1 - October 31 for 3 years post construction; - Raptor monitoring will be conducted weekly from November 1 - April 30 for 3 years post construction ; - Disturbance monitoring for wintering Short-eared Owls will occur for 3 years post-construction ; and, - Disturbance monitoring for migratory birds at significant migratory bird stopover areas will occur for 3 years post-construction. 	See Environmental Effects Monitoring Plan in Appendix E of Design and Operation Report.
Are the turbines causing health impacts through sound and vibrations?	The Project will be designed to meet all Ontario Ministry of the Environment noise emission guidelines including minimum setbacks of 550m from homes and ensuring that noise emissions do not exceed 40dBA at homes.	See Table 5.1 of Design and Operation Report under “ <i>Environmental Noise</i> ”
Concern regarding impacts to burial sites, sacred sites, and other archaeological artefacts.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Three aboriginal communities have been active participants of the archeological fieldwork completed to date. • If a new archaeological resource was discovered, work within the vicinity of the archaeological find would be suspended and aboriginal communities and a Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport archaeologist will be contacted. 	See Table 4.1 of Construction Plan Report and Stage 2 Archaeology Report.
Aboriginal communities should be notified if aboriginal artefacts, or remains are found.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If a new archaeological resource was discovered, work within the vicinity of the archaeological find would be suspended and aboriginal communities and a Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport archaeologist will be contacted. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Table 3.1 of Construction Plan Report and Stage 2 Archaeology Report.

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Concern/Question identified by Aboriginal Community	Summarized Response to Concern/Question	Report Reference Where Concern/Question is Addressed in Detail
Impacts to water quality including fish habitats, drinkability, discharge, groundwater and run-off/effluent.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • During construction, effects to surface water and water bodies would be both spatially and temporally limited. • No significant negative construction effects are anticipated to surface water, water bodies and fish and fish habitat. • A pre- and post- construction groundwater monitoring program will be conducted for any residences within 500m of a turbine and within 120m of any buried transmission line. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Table 3.1 of Construction Plan Report under “<i>Surface Water, Fish and Fish Habitat</i>” and “<i>Groundwater</i>”.
Impacts to air quality through emissions and dust.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any net effects to air quality during operation or construction are expected to be short-term in duration and highly localized. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Table 3.1 of Construction Plan Report under “<i>Dust & Odour Emissions</i>”. • See Table 5.1 of Design and Operation Report under “<i>Dust & Odour Emissions</i>”.
Impacts to wildlife, flora and fauna populations (including migratory species), endangered/threatened species and biodiversity initiatives.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Project has been designed to minimize impacts on wildlife and wildlife habitat. The implementation of the Environmental Effects Monitoring Plan for the first three years of operation will assess the impacts to various bird species. • The implementation of a mammal movement study will assess the impacts to mammals. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Natural Heritage Assessment. • See Table 3.1 of Construction Plan Report under “<i>Significant Wildlife and Wildlife Habitat</i>” and “<i>Other Wildlife and Wildlife Habitat</i>”. • See Table 5.1 of Design and Operation Report under “<i>Significant Wildlife and Wildlife Habitat</i>” and “<i>Other Wildlife and Wildlife Habitat</i>”.
How will the project impact access to waterfront?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The nearest project component is approximately 600 m from the waterfront of Lake Erie. No effects to the waterfront are expected. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Table 5.1 of the Design and Operation Report under “<i>Recreation Areas and Features</i>”.
What employment opportunities exist for Aboriginal communities?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MNO, NRWC and Union Gas Employment and Contractors Community Gathering was held on Oct 29, 2013, and allowed many members to speak directly with industry representatives. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Table 3.1 of Construction Plan Report under “<i>Local Economy</i>”. • See Table 5.1 of Design and Operation Report under “<i>Local Economy</i>”.

8.0 Plan for Ongoing Consultation

The following describes NRWC's plan for ongoing consultation activities following submission of the REA application to MOE, and that would occur during construction, operation and decommissioning of the Project. NRWC has documented the communication plan for emergencies, Project updates and activities and an on-going communications and issues protocol in the Design & Operations Report.

8.1 FINAL REA REPORTS

Once the MOE has deemed the REA application complete, NRWC would provide copies of the Final REA Reports on the Project website until the Director of the MOE makes a decision under section 47.5 of the *Environmental Protection Act*.

8.2 COMMUNITY UPDATES

NRWC and/or the Project Contractor would engage with community members (local community members, Aboriginal communities, and local Counties) during all phases of the Project, including providing updates on the Project website [www.nrwc.ca]. As a long-term presence and neighbour in the Townships of West Lincoln and Wainfleet and the Towns of Grimsby and Lincoln within the Niagara Region and within Haldimand County. NRWC would continue to develop contacts and maintain local relationships and channels of communication. Additional updates may be provided to community members via letters/Project Community Newsletters, local newspaper notices, and/or through direct contact.

NRWC will provide a status update to the public, Aboriginal communities and local Counties regarding the commencement of the Environmental Registry comment period. Within ten (10) days of NRWC's application for the Project being posted on the Environmental Bill of Rights (EBR) by the MOE, NRWC will publish a Notice in local newspapers and on the Project website [www.nrwc.ca] providing public notice that the Project application has been accepted for review by the Ministry. The notice will include Project information, the Project website where final documents can be viewed, and a statement that members of the public can submit comments to the MOE Approvals Director via the EBR. In addition, NRWC will provide written communication to the local Aboriginal communities and to the Townships of West Lincoln and Wainfleet and the Towns of Grimsby and Lincoln within the Niagara Region and Haldimand County informing them of the EBR posting.

8.3 COMMUNITY LIAISON COMMITTEE

NRWC is committed to continuing to maintain an open dialogue with the local community throughout its project lifecycle. To that end, NRWC will establish a Community Liaison Committee (CLC), as a forum to exchange ideas and share concerns with interested resident and members of the public. The CLC will also allow for a continuous vehicle for communications throughout the Project.

8.3.1 Objectives

- To have a meaningful and open dialogue between the community and NRWC, as the Project proceeds
- To better understand the issues of priority in the local community, with the goal of addressing them to everyone's satisfaction
- To inform the interested public about key issues related to the project, with energy in general, and any local matters, progress, or challenges
- To commit to the public that there will be a forum through which their priorities and concerns can be heard throughout the Project lifecycle.

The CLC will:

- Act as a liaison facilitating two-way communications between NRWC and members of the public with respect to issues relating to the construction, installation, use, operation, maintenance and retirement of the Niagara region Wind Farm
- Provide a forum for NRWC to provide regular updates on, and to discuss issues or concerns relating to, the construction, installation, use, operation, maintenance, and retirement of the Project with members of the public.
- Ensure that any issues or concerns resulting from the construction, installations, use, operation, maintenance or retirement of the Project are discussed and communicated to NRWC.

8.3.2 Membership

Recruitment for the CLC will be an open and impartial process. The CLC shall be established by:

- Publishing a notice in a newspaper with general circulation in each local municipality in which project infrastructure is located
- Posting a notice on NRWC's publicly accessible website
- Notifying members of the public about the proposal for the CLC and inviting residents that live within a 2 km radius of the Project to participate in the CLC

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- Direct invitations by NRWC to other stakeholders, including but not limited to local municipalities, federal or provincial agencies, and local community groups.
- Reviewing requested to participate from the public.

The CLC will be structures to include a broad and diverse range of community members. In order for the CLC to operate effectively and efficiently, it will be limited to 20 members, the exact proportion of which has yet to be determined. Ideally, the CLC will include representation from:

- Residents and landowners within 2 km of the wind farm
- Municipalities, including representatives from Niagara Region, Haldimand County, the Townships of West Lincoln and Wainfleet, and the Town of Lincoln
- Government and/or agencies, including the Niagara Escarpment Commission, Niagara Peninsula Conservation Authority, and Grand River Conservation Authority
- Business community representatives, including Chambers of Commerce, Niagara Industrial Association, Niagara College, and others
- Other interests or groups, including West Lincoln Wind Action Group, and others.

As well, at least one NRWC representative will be present at all meetings and one facilitator will be present at all meetings.

8.3.3 Meeting Structure and Format

While the composition of the CLC will be limited to 20 people, meetings will be open to the general public and members of the public will be able to participate. Members of the public will be able to address the committee (up to 5 per meeting) for up to 5 minutes per delegation. All delegations must be in relation to items on the agenda.

Agenda items may be submitted for the facilitator through the NRWC website at least 15 days in advance of a CLC meeting. All requests to speak must be submitted at least 7 days prior to the meeting. Delegations will be approved at the discretion of the facilitator and NRWC, in consultation with CLC members.

A minimum of two meetings will be held annually, and will continue for the first 5 years of the Project, with the option to continue at the discretion of NRWC. Meetings will be:

- Conducted in a local facility;
- Held for three hours in the evening; and,
- Run in a round table format.

Minutes will be made public and posted on the Project website.

8.4 COMMUNICATION PLAN FOR EMERGENCIES

In the event of an emergency, NRWC and/or the Project Contractor would initiate the Emergency Response Plan as outlined in the Design and Operations Report.

The plan would include key contact information for emergency service providers, a description of the chain of communications and how information would be disseminated between NRWC and/or the Contractor and the relevant responders. The plan would also indicate how NRWC and/or the Contractor would directly contact (via telephone or in-person) Project community members who may be directly impacted by an emergency so that the appropriate actions could be taken to protect community members' health and safety. The communication plan for emergencies would be developed in collaboration with local emergency responders, and would be prepared following consultations with the local Counties' Emergency Services Departments, including the local fire department. NRWC also intends to participate with local County staff in training sessions specific to the Project prior to Project construction.

8.5 COMMUNICATIONS AND ISSUE RESPONSE PROTOCOL

The following has been developed for all Project phases to address any reasonable concern from the public and would be implemented by NRWC and/or the Project Contractor.

A telephone number for contacting NRWC and/or the Project Contractor along with the mailing/e-mail address would be posted on the Project website www.nrwc.ca and provided directly to the local Counties and the MOE. These would be the direct contact points for NRWC and/or the Project Contractor during all phases of the Project. The Emergency Response and Communications Plan would include key contact information for emergency service providers, a description of the chain of communications and how information would be disseminated between NRWC and/or the Contractor and the relevant responders. This information would be obtained during consultations with the local Counties' Emergency Services Departments.

The telephone number provided for the reporting of concerns, issues and/or complaints would be equipped with a voice message system used to record the caller's contact information and the time, date and details of the concern and/or issue. All messages would be recorded in an Issue Response Document to maintain a record of all issues and concerns. NRWC and/or the Project Contractor would endeavour to respond to messages within 48 hours. All reasonable commercial efforts would be made to take appropriate action as a result of issues concerns, as soon as practicable. The actions taken to remediate the cause of the issue or complaint and the proposed actions to be taken to prevent reoccurrences of the same complaint in the future would also be recorded within the Issue Response Document. If appropriate, the MOE Spills Action Centre would be contacted to notify them of the issue. Correspondence would be shared with other stakeholders, such as the MOE, as required and/or as deemed appropriate.

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Ongoing communication with community members would allow NRWC and/or the Project Contractor to receive and respond to community issues on an ongoing basis.

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Six Nations Correspondence Summary

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Niagara Region Wind Project - Correspondence with the Six Nations of the Grand River

	Date of Correspondence	Method of Communication	From	To	Contact Information	Contents of Correspondence	Project Response
	Six Nations						
1	April 11, 2011	telephone call	NRWC	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discuss being awarded the FIT contract.	Wish to continue to discuss Project with Six Nations.
2	April 11, 2011	email	M. Croghan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Received FIT contract on Feb 25, 2011 for a 230 Mw wind project to be located in the Niagara Region and would like to meet to discuss.	April 19 or 20, Six Nations to confirm.
3	April 11, 2011	email	J. Thomas	M. Croghan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirmed meeting for April 19, 2011	
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5	April 11, 2011	email	J. Thomas	M. Croghan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Suggested meetings dates between NRWC and CAP team.	NRWC needs to confirm dates.
6	April 12, 2011	email	M. Croghan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirmed meeting and asked for directions.	
7	April 19, 2011	Meeting	M. Croghan	CAP team	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discussed Project plans, schedule. CAP team requested moving forward with a joint venture.	NRWC requested names and addresses of landowners with plots of land on Stantec project site.
8	April 19, 2011	email	M. Croghan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	NRWC requested names and addresses of landowners with plots of land on Stantec project site.	
9	April 27, 2011	email	M. Croghan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Forward the landowner information so that we can complete title searches.	
10	May 9, 2011	telephone	M. Croghan	L. Bomberry	lbomberry@sixnations.ca	No answer left message.	Please forward the landowner information so that we can complete title searches.
11	May 17, 2011	email	J. Thomas	M. Croghan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Forwarded the landowner information so that we can complete title searches.	
12	May 20, 2011	email	M. Croghan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	We have completed the title searches, can we book another meeting.	Will follow-up.
13	May 20, 2011	email	J. Thomas	M. Croghan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Suggested meeting date of May 31 or June 1.	
14	May 20, 2011	email	M. Croghan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Will confirm next week.	Will follow-up.
15	May 27, 2011	email	J. Thomas	M. Croghan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	We are meeting with the Minister regarding Samsung and will get back to you next week.	Will follow-up.
16	May 28, 2011	email	M. Croghan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Please let me know NRWC believes we can work very positively together.	Will follow-up.
17	July 13, 2011	telephone	NRWC	J. Thomas and P. General	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discussed The Notice of a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and a Notice for the Community Meeting to be held on July 26, 2011 were emailed to aboriginal communities that may have an interest in the Project.	Will follow-up with email and courier copy of Notice.
18	July 13, 2011	email	NRWC	J. Thomas and P. General	jthomas@sixnations.ca	The Notice of a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and a Notice for the Community Meeting to be held on July 26, 2011 were emailed to aboriginal communities that may have an interest in the Project.	
19	July 13, 2011	Couriered	R. Allan	P. General & J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	The Notice of a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and a Notice for the Community Meeting to be held on July 26, 2011 were emailed to aboriginal communities that may have an interest in the Project.	Left messages.
20	July 18, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discussed next meeting date and tentative agenda.	Will provide draft agenda via email.
21	July 26, 2011	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Thomas and P. General	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Developed agenda for meeting on August 3, 2011	Required to vet agenda with our respective organizations.
22	July 29, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Provided draft agenda for meeting on August 3, 2011	
23	August 2, 2011	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Provided changes to draft agenda.	
24	August 2, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Thanks for the changes looking forward to the meeting.	
25	August 3, 2011	Meeting	Stantec & NRWC	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	NRWC provided a copy of the Notice, Project Description, Map of site and an update on the Project. Six Nations provided Six Nations Consultation and Accommodation Process, communications hierarchy.	Planned to build a Six Nations/NRWC engagement process.

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26	August 4, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Sent minutes of August 3 meeting for review and to discuss next steps. Key topics included: Notification of Project, Six Nations requested next step is a meeting with Consultation and accommodation team (CAP) which she would book for early October. Discussion included developing an Elders dinner to provide traditional knowledge of the Project site, Six Nations participation in archaeology, the importance of employment and contracts for members. Six Nation provided a handout on lines of authority in the band, a flow chart of the Consultation and Accommodation Process.	Will wait to get Six Nations confirmation on minutes.
27	August 4, 2011	email	M. Croghan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Looking forward to working together.	
28	August 8, 2011	email	J. Thomas	Stantec	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Looking for more dates for next meeting	To be discussed further.
29	August 11, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Tentative meeting date suggested with CAP team for Nov 8, 2011 and provided a draft agenda.	
30	August 11, 2011	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Meeting date booked for next CAP meeting and the Elders Dinner.	
31	August 12, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirmation that Six Nations is on the Project Distribution List.	
32	August 15, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Lickers	joannelickers@sixnations.ca	Confirmation of availability of Main Hall for Elders Dinner	
33	August 15, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Lickers	joannelickers@sixnations.ca	Confirmation of Elders Meeting facility.	
34	August 15, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	L. Skye		Discussion of best approach for Elders Dinner. Silver Fox will support the event, provide transportation and assist Elders needing support. Ads will be put in al Elders mailboxes, in papers, in posters around the reserve and radio slots.	Expect any where from 90 to 125 Elders.
35	August 15, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Lickers	joanne.lickers@sixnations.ca	Confirmed all facilities.	
36	August 15, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	V. General		Developed traditional feast with V. General as the menu for the Elders Dinner.	
37	August 16, 2011	email	J. Lickers	R. Allan	joannelickers@sixnations.ca	Provided contract information.	
38	August 16, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Lickers	joannelickers@sixnations.ca	Confirmed contract.	Sign and return.
39	August 22, 2011	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Thomas and P. General	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Design the Elders Meeting agenda and who will be the facilitators and how they will be trained.	Confirm NRWC and Stantec facilitators for Elders Dinner.
40	August 24, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Finalize date for CAP team meeting.	
41	August 24, 2011	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Finalize date for CAP team meeting.	Inform Project Team of CAP meeting date.
42	September 8, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirm meeting to plan agenda for CAP meeting and finalize details for Elders Dinner.	
43	September 22, 2011	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Develop draft agenda for CAP/NRWC meeting, determine Six Nations facilitators, and finalize agenda for Elders Dinner.	
44	October 5, 2011	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Changes made by Six Nations for Elders ad.	Make changes as suggested.
45	October 5, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Finalize ad for papers on Elders Dinner.	Send to M. Spano for formatting.
46	October 12, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Final review of invitation for Elders Dinner.	
47	October 18, 2011	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Develop MOU between Six Nations and NRWC.	Draft MOU and send to Project Team.
48	October 31, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	MOU Draft 3.	MOU Draft 3 sent to Project Team.
49	October 31, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	MOU 4th draft and discussion of appendix that will include funding numbers.	Discuss funding numbers with Project Team.
50	November 1, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Finalize agenda for CAP team meeting on November 8.	Inform Project Team of CAP agenda and latest draft of MOU.
51	November 4, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discussion of financial amounts for appendices.	Discuss with Project Team.
52	November 4, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Lickers	joannelickers@sixnations.ca	Discuss details for Elders dinner.	Confirm details with Project Team.
53	November 4, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	V. General		Confirm banquet details for Elders dinner.	
54	November 4, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	L. Skye		Confirm transportation for Elders Dinner.	
55	November 7, 2011	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discussion of financial numbers for appendices to MOU.	
56	November 7, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Price higher then expected.	Pass information on to Project Team.
57	November 8, 2011	Meeting	CAP Team, NRWC & Stantec			NRWC provided a presentation on the Project, discussions of site location, discussion of building a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) and engagement with Elders at an Elders dinner.	Decision to rewrite the MOU, include appendices for funding for the Project development phase.
58	November 8, 2011	Meeting	Facilitators for Elders Dinner	6 - Six Nation facilitators, 2- Stantec & 2 - NRWC		Training on facilitation for Elders dinner, reviewing maps, gathering information, answering questions and supporting the Elders.	All information gathered would be provided to Stantec for the Project Team.

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59	November 8, 2011	Elders Dinner	100 Six Nations members attended	NRWC & Stantec		Elders Dinner included presentation by NRWC on Project, each table had storyboard size maps of the site plan and a larger map including the surrounding areas. Questions were asked regarding traditional knowledge of the area.	All information was gathered on clipboards and given to Stantec for inclusion in their study.
60	November 15, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Lets meet to clean up and draft a final MOU.	Follow up with a meeting.
61	November 28, 2011	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Meeting to change MOU to a Capacity Agreement with Appendices that would be private.	Follow up with Project Team.
62	November 30, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	NRWC will sign draft of the Capacity Agreement, can we book a signing ceremony with Chief and Council.	
63	December 3, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Trying to develop a date for the signing ceremony.	
64	December 5, 2011	telephone	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirmed signing ceremony on December 12, 2011.	Inform Project Team with date for signing ceremony.
65	December 6, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Decide on agenda for Chief and Council meeting, and signing ceremony.	Prepare hard copies for signing, and buy special pen set for signing.
66	December 6, 2011	telephone	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca		
67	December 12, 2011	Meeting	Six Nations Elected Council	NRWC & Stantec		Presentation by NRWC to update on the Project and a Capacity Funding Agreement was signed by NRWC Chairman and CEO M. Croghan and Six Nations Chief W. Montour	Additional appendices will be added to the Capacity Agreement as required. NRWC wished to learn the amount being paid to the Vibrancy Fund.
68	December 19, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Vibrancy Fund has not been signed and will not happen this year, amounts not finalized.	
69	December 20, 2011	email	M. Croghan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Holiday greetings.	
70	December 20, 2011	email	J. Thomas	M. Croghan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Holiday greetings.	
71	January 6, 2012	email	M. Croghan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confusion on appendices to Capacity Agreement	Follow-up required for clarification.
72	January 6, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Plan meeting to finalize appendices.	
73	January 9, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Requested changes agreed to by CAP team.	
74	January 10, 2012	email	M. Croghan	R. Allan		Signed image for changes in appendices.	
75	January 11, 2012	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Signed by L. Bomberly.	Final changes signed off by NRWC and Six Nations.
76	January 25, 2012	Meeting	Stantec & NRWC	CAP members, J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discussion of consultation with Six Nations and established protocol.	
77	January 26, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Need to contact Grand River Employment and Training (GREAT) to develop a employment and contractor MOU.	Inform Project Team on employment and contractors MOU.
78	February 1, 2012	Meeting	R. Allan	Representatives from GREAT		Review NRWC project, employment and contractor opportunities and an overview of the role of GREAT in the community.	Inform Project Team of GREATS involvement in employment and contractors opportunities.
79	February 1, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Prepare for next quarterly meeting with CAP team, get dates.	Remind Project Team of next quarterly CAP meeting.
80	February 8, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Planned meeting with E. Hannigan from GREAT on Feb 16, do you want to join us.	
81	February 16, 2012	Meeting	R. Allan	Representatives from GREAT	jthomas@sixnations.ca	GREAT is willing to discuss undertaking a joint MOU with Six Nations and NRWC.	Informed Project Team of developments.
82	February 21, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas and Representatives from GREAT		Discussing the draft of the MOU.	Open discussion with Enercon as a partner in the MOU.
83	February 22, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discuss dates for next CAP meeting.	
84	March 3, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discuss Mohawk College Smoochfest.	J. Thomas will let members know and attend.
85	March 14, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discuss agenda for next CAP meeting and review GREAT MOU.	
86	March 23, 2012	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Attended Mohawk College Aboriginal Smoochfest.	Worked on agenda for CAP meeting and the role of GREAT.
87	March 25, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Attached draft agenda for CAP meeting.	
88	March 26, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Changes to the agenda?	
89	March 27, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Finalize CAP meeting agenda.	
90	March 29, 2012	Meeting	Six Nations CAP Team	NRWC & R. Allan		Discussed Project Update, successfully obtained land required for the Project, environmental studies, turbine locations finalized types of turbines and discussions with HONI. Six Nations discussed community consultation for Samsung deal, and concerns regarding the Project.	Concerns identified were: toxic air emissions if turbines are on fire, decommissioning, government land will become sterilized with turbine placement and they will not be able to build a housing development on the land in the future.
91	March 29, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Lets book time to discuss meeting results and next steps.	
92	March 30, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Attached minutes from CAP meeting.	Follow up for sign off.

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93	March 30, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Revised minutes, and sign off by both groups.	Pass meeting minutes to Project Team.
94	March 30, 2012	email	R. Allan	E. Hannigan (GREAT)	ed@greatsn.com	Book GREAT, NRW, Six Nations meeting.	
95	March 31, 2012	email	E. Hannigan	R. Allan, J. Thomas and B. Logan (GREAT)	becky@greatsn.com	Booked meeting April 11, 2012.	
96	April 4, 2012	email	E. Hannigan	E. Monture (GREAT)	erin@ostc.com	Confirmation of GREAT attendance at meeting.	
97	April 4, 2012	meeting	NRWC, Stantec and CAP Team			Continued discussions on Project updates, transmission routes and term sheets	Follow-up with Project Team.
98	April 8, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca		
99	April 11, 2012	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Thomas and representatives from GREAT		Discussed MOU and developed objective of employment and contractors seminars.	Pass information on to Project Team.
100	April 11, 2012	email	E. Hannigan	J. Thomas and R. Allan	ed@greatsn.com	Attached minutes from planning meeting to develop an agenda for next meeting.	Develop agenda.
101	April 12, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	When will the archaeology field work begin?	
102	April 12, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Who is the field director?	
103	April 12, 2012	email	J. Thomas	NRWC	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Can we change CAP meeting date?	
104	April 12, 2012	email	M. Croghan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Yes, we can change date to June 6, 2012.	Inform Project Team of new date.
105	April 12, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas and representatives from GREAT		Made some changes of agenda for GREAT MOU, please review.	Follow-up.
106	April 13, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan, and B. Logan (GREAT)	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Changes made to agenda,	
107	April 13, 2012	email	E. Hannigan	R. Allan, J. Thomas and B. Logan (GREAT)	ed@greatsn.com	Determine who will be attending GREAT meeting,	
108	April 16, 17, 18, 19, 2012	emails	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	When will archaeology work begin.	
109	May 1, 2012	emails	C. Varley	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Archaeology field work hopes to begin on May 8, 2012	
110	May 1, 2012	emails	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Determining cost of utilities for members on the reserve.	Pass information on to Project Team.
111	May 3, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	May 8, confirmed for archaeology field work, and Six Nations monitors will be in the field.	Pass information to C. Varley (Stantec).
112	May 4, 2012	email	C. Varley	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Location for archaeology monitors to start on May 8, 2012.	
113	May 4, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirmation of Six Nations monitors.	
114	May 4, 2012	Meeting	Six Nations & GREAT	R. Allan & Enercon		Enercon made a presentation on state of the art wind turbine manufacturing and service including jobs and contracts for the members.	Agreement that we need to plan a meeting with members seeking employment opportunities and contracts.
115	May 7, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Logistics for archaeology monitors.	
116	May 11, 2012	email	C. Varley	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Return of archaeologists to field on May 15, 2012.	
117	May 15, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirmation of location for CAP meeting on May 16, 2012	Inform Project Team of meeting location.
118	May 16, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirm meeting.	
119	May 16, 2012	Meeting	NRWC, Stantec, and CAP Team	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discussed meeting with HONI and transmission routes.	Inform Project Team of outcome of meeting.
120	May 17, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Booked meeting for Stantec and J. Thomas.	
121	May 20, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Archaeology work will resume on May 23, 2012.	
122	May 25, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas and the GREAT team		Clarified meeting plans.	
123	May 25, 2012	email	E. Hannigan	J. Thomas, R. Allan and GREAT team	ed@greatsn.com	Confirmed availability of June 4 or 5th for meeting.	
124	May 31, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Agenda for CAP meeting on June 6, 2012 including updates on Project, archaeology work, Samsung deal, GREAT meetings and MOU and transmission lines.	Inform Project Team of meeting location and agenda.
125	May 31, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirmation of CAP team attendees to meeting.	
126	June 5, 2012	meeting	R. Allan, Six Nations and GREAT			Discussion of employment and contractors seminars.	
127	June 6, 2012	Meeting	Six Nations CAP Team	NRWC & R. Allan		Update on the Project by NRW, discussion of HONI meetings, an update on the Samsung negotiations, and review of the progress on employment and contracts with GREAT.	Agreement that employment and contracts was a critical priority and if GREAT does not want to proceed go ahead without them.
128	June 7, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Email to C. Varley suggesting that if there was a lot of additional archaeology works Six Nations could provide more monitors.	

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	Six Nations						
129	June 7, 2012	email	M. Croghan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	If there is a need to increase crews in the field for archaeology we would commit to supporting this program.	
130	June 11, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas and GREAT	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirm meeting on June 18, 2012.	
131	June 11, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan		Change date of meeting to July 3, 2012.	
132	June 12, 2012	email	GREAT	R. Allan and J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Agreed to new date.	
133	June 13, 2012	email	GREAT	R. Allan and J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	GREAT is considering the MOU/partnership agreement and will get back to Six Nations and NRW.	
134	June 16, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas and GREAT	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Activities that need to be completed for GREAT Six Nations partnership including: draft final agreement, determine PCL and Enercon will participate, and determine type and numbers of jobs and contracts.	Contact Enercon and PCL for details.
135	June 18, 2012	Meeting	Stantec & Six Nations & GREAT			Drafted MOU/Partnership agreement and agenda for first official GREAT meeting.	
136	June 20, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas and GREAT	jthomas@sixnations.ca	NRWC has signed the MOU/Partnership agreement, please have your organization and review and sign.	
137	June 25, 2012	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Preparing contingency plan if GREAT does not sign the MOU/Partnership agreement.	Discuss with Project Team.
138	July 4, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Review agenda and who will be attending the GREAT meeting on July 10, 2012	Discuss with our teams.
139	July 10, 2012	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Thomas and GREAT	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Feedback on the Enercon presentation describing the company's history, different opportunities with maintenance of the turbines, in manufacturing and in the cement plant. Discussion of the MOU/Partnership and next steps. Lack of confidence in GREAT signing off on the agreement.	
140	July 11, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	NRWC trying to confirm tour of turbines.	Contact Six Nations when tour of turbines is confirmed.
141	July 17, 2012	email	Enercon	All		Information on tour of wind turbines booked for July 26, 2012 for Six Nations CAP team and GREAT members.	Inform all that that tour of turbines in booked for July 28, 2012.
142	July 20, 2012	email	M. Croghan	L. Bomberly		Provided a Project update on term sheet and HONI.	NRWC will follow-up with HONI meeting and term sheet.
143	July 20, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Preparation and plans for site tour of Enercon turbines with the CAP team.	Verify with Enercon tour information.
144	July 22, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Who will be attending tour of turbines.	
145	July 23, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Clarifying protective equipment required for tour of turbines.	
146	July 24, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan		Further clarification of PPE.	
147	July 24, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirming date of next GREAT meeting.	
148	July 24, & 25, 2012	emails				Confirming tour and GREAT meeting dates.	
149	July 26, 2012	Enercon Tour of Turbines	CAP and GREAT members	R. Allan & Enercon		Tour of Enercon Turbines located on the Bisnett Wind Farm in /Chatham-Kent. Six members of the Six Nations attended. Enercon spoke of the technology, sound and health concerns, relationship with neighbors and community, and visitors can entered and see inside turbines.	
150	July 30, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas and GREAT	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Attempt to determine meeting date.	
151	July 30, 2012	meeting	NRWC, R. Allan, CAP Team and HONI			Discussion of alternative transmission lines for the project	CAP Team to meet again with HONI.
152	July 31, 2012	emails	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Attempt to determine meeting date.	
153	July 31, 2012	emails	J. Thomas	R. Allan		Attempt to determine meeting date.	
154	August 2, 2012	email	B. Logan (GREAT)	R. Allan and J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirmed meeting date.	
155	August 15, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	C. Smith		Informed C. Smith that due to J. Thomas absence I wanted to confirm that Six Nations received our Notice going out today.	
156	August 15, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	J. Thomas was on holidays, email to let Joanne know courier was coming with The Notice of a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and a Notice for the Community Meeting to be held on September 20, were sent to J. Thomas.	Will follow-up on return of J. Thomas on holidays.

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157	August 15, 2012	emails	R. Allan	CAP team		The Notice of a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and a Notice for the Community Meeting to be held on September 20, were sent to J. Thomas.	
158	August 20, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	J. Thomas has received the Notice and Six Nations will attend the community meeting on September 20, 2012	Stantec will meet Six Nations representatives at the community meeting and provide a hard copy of the storyboards.
159	August 21, 2012	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Reviewed the Notice and provided an update of the Project. Reviewed draft maps of site of turbines. Prepared agenda for next CAP meeting on August 27, 2012.	Inform team of agenda for CAP meeting on August 27, 2012.
160	August 21, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Follow up from the Notice, and location of documents for the project on the website.	Follow up to see if Six Nations wants hard copies of the studies and if yes print and deliver.
161	August 27, 2012	Meeting	NRWC, R. Allan and CAP team			Updated on the Project, turbine locations and draft site plan, schedule, environmental studies, archaeological fall program, community meeting September 20, 2012 and term sheet. CAP team update on HONI meeting, term sheet and GREAT not to be included in MOU/Partnership. NRWC presented the Draft Site Plan, turbines selection, updated schedule, environmental studies, archaeological filed work, community meeting planned for September 20, and the term sheet. CAP Team provided an update on their HONI meeting, term sheet and GREAT involvement. Seeking employment and contracts seminars planned for October.	Develop MOU between NRWC and Six Nations and develop employee and contractors seminars.
162	August 28, 2012	Meeting	J. Thomas and R. Allan		jthomas@sixnations.ca	Developed strategy for contractors and employment seminars with out the involvement of GREAT.	Follow-up with all organization involved in sub contracting, manufacturing of components and construction.
163	August 28, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	When will the fall archaeological work begin?	Follow-up on date of archaeological work to begin and notify Six Nations.
164	August 28, 2012	email	B. Logan (GREAT)	R. Allan		Change in job will no longer be working with J. Thomas on NRW Project, will notify when replacement has been announced.	Wait for name of replacement.
165	August 28, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirmation of Six Nation archaeological monitor.	Follow-up with C. Varley.
166	August 28, 2012	email	J. Thomas	C. Varley and R. Allan		Name of monitor, and please keep me informed.	
167	August 29, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Clarification of payment of monitors.	
168	August 29, 2012	email	R. Allan	C. Xie & J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Invitation to attend Six Nation Employment Seminar on October 23rd.	Follow-up with C. Xie.
169	August 29, 2012	email	R. Allan	A. Downey & J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Invitation to attend Six Nation Employment Seminar on October 23rd.	Follow-up with A. Downey.
170	August 29, 2012	email	R. Allan	T. Olynk & J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Invitation to attend Six Nation Employment Seminar on October 23rd.	Follow-up with T. Olynk.
171	August 29, 2012	Telephone	R. Allan	J. Bonin & J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Invitation to attend Six Nation Employment Seminar on October 23rd.	Follow-up with J. Bonin.
172	September 4, 2012	email	R. Allan	A. Downey & J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirmed attendance at Employment Seminar	
173	September 10, 2012	email	NRWC	L. Bomberly & J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Booking dates for the next CAP meeting.	Follow-up on dates.
174	September 10, 2012	email	J. Thomas	NRWC		Discussion on meeting location and time.	Need to determine next date.
175	September 10, 2012	Telephone	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discussion on meeting location and time.	Need to determine next date.
176	September 11, 2012	email	NRWC	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Will discuss with M. Croghan when he returns.	Need to determine next date.
177	September 18, 2012	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Thomas, C. Smith & J. Bonin	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Planning for the seminars, develop agenda, handouts, schedule.	Communicate plans to all participants and Project Team.
178	September 12, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Book next CAP meeting for October and book a mini Six Nation/NRWC golf tournament on September 21, 2012.	Need to determine next date.
179	September 19, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Draft poster for the employment and contractors seminars.	Submit draft to Project Team for review.
180	September 20, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirm location for meeting today.	
181	September 20, 2012	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Meet with Six Nation graphic designer K. Martin to design posters for seminars.	First draft ready in a few days

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182	September 20, 2012	Meeting	C. King (MNCFN) & R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Invite Mississaugas of New Credit First Nation to join in the Six Nations Employment and Contractors Seminars in October. C. King said yes.	Revise posters to include Mississaugas of New Credit First Nation.
183	September 20, 2012	Community Open House	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Toured the storyboards, introduction to Project Team and provided several hard copies of the storyboards.	
184	September 21, 2012	Golf Tournament	NRWC	Six Nations CAP Team, Stantec		Updated on recent activities.	
185	September 24, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas, C. King, M. King, Enercon, PCL, K. Martin, J. Bonin	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Overview of objective of seminars which included provide information on employment and contract opportunities, review resumes and contractor profiles to provide feedback on likely success in obtaining job/contracts, identifying "gaps" and preparing plans to bridge pages where possible.	Each participant prepare a 5 -10 minute presentation and email to Stantec.
186	September 24, 2012	emails	J. Bonin	J. Thomas, C. King, M. King, Enercon, PCL, K. Martin, J. Bonin	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discussion of wording on ads for seminars.	
187	September 24, 2012	emails	J. Bonin	J. Thomas & Stantec	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Caterer for seminars is booked.	
188	September 24, 2012	emails	K. Martin	J. Thomas, C. King, M. King, Enercon, PCL, K. Martin, J. Bonin	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Latest draft of Posters for Seminars	
189	September 24, 2012	emails	M. King	J. Thomas, C. King, M. King, Enercon, PCL, K. Martin, J. Bonin	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Approved poster.	
190	September 24, 2012	emails	J. Thomas	R. Allan		Payment of facility for seminars.	
191	September 24, 2012	emails	R. Allan	J. Thomas, C. King, M. King, Enercon, PCL, K. Martin, J. Bonin	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Changes to be made to posters for seminars.	
192	September 24, 2012	emails	K. Martin	J. Thomas, C. King, M. King, Enercon, PCL, K. Martin, J. Bonin	jthomas@sixnations.ca	New draft of posters for review	
193	September 25, 2012	email	R. Allan	C. Xie & J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Invitation of TSP Canada to participate in seminar.	
194	September 28, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan		Please forward this email which is an invitation to M. Croghan and D. Croghan on behalf of Chief and Council to attend meeting with them on October 5, 2012.	Passed on to M. Croghan, R. Daniels and D. Croghan.
195	October 2, 2012	email	B. Daniels	R. Allan		Confirming attendance at Six Nations Chief and Council meeting on October 5, 2012.	
196	October 2, 2012	email	R. Allan	R. Daniels & J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirm posters with K. Martin, sign contracts with supplies for seminars and finalize agenda.	Inform all participants of changes to seminar program.
197	October 2, 2012	email	R. Daniels	R. Allan		Will report on findings after the meeting.	
198	October 9, 2012	email	K. Martin	J. Thomas, C. King, M. King, Enercon, PCL, K. Martin, J. Bonin	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Final draft for review of posters for seminars.	
199	October 9, 2012	email	J. Thomas	J. Thomas, C. King, M. King, Enercon, PCL, K. Martin, J. Bonin	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Please make a change on poster.	
200	October 10, 2012	email	K. Martin	R. Allan		Confirming advertisement in papers costs and size.	
201	October 10, 2012	email	R. Allan	K. Martin		Approved, please submit to papers	Ads will be placed in TEKA and Turtle Island News for two consecutive weeks.
202	October 11, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan		Names from GREAT of B. Logans replacements.	Contact GREAT re; attendance to seminars.
203	October 11, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	L. Froman		Invitation to attend Six Nations employment/contractors seminars, update on progress and agreement GREAT would send representatives.	
204	October 15, 2012	email	R. Allan	K. Martin		Can we have a progress report on ads and posters.	Call E. Hanigan at GREAT.
205	October 15, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Status of placement of posters in the community.	
206	October 15, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas		Distribute more of the posters to M. King and C. King	
207	October 15, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas, C. King, M. King, Enercon, PCL, K. Martin, J. Bonin	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Reminder of employment and contractors seminar.	
208	October 16, 2012	email	J. Lickers	R. Allan		Confirmation of facility for seminars.	
209	October 22, 2012	email	GREAT	NRWC		Invitation to attend Green Employment Workshop.	Stantec to follow-up.
210	October 25, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Request meeting with Stantec to discuss Stage 3 Archaeology work.	Contact Stantec Archeology office to determine meeting logistics.
211	October 29, 2012	email	B. Rogers	R. Allan	brogers@pcl.com	Appreciation to Six Nations.	Continue sending resumes.
212	October 31, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discussion of dates for Stage 3 meeting.	

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213	October 31, 2012	email	J. Thomas	Stantec	jthomas@sixnations.ca	List of tentative dates for Stage 3 meeting.	Stantec to confirm dates for meeting.
214	November 1, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Dates for next meeting.	Confirm dates.
215	November 5, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Resume for member.	Send to PCL and Enercon
216	November 5, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Meeting planned to discuss Stage 3.	Confirm with J. Thomas.
217	November 5, 2012	email	A. Downey	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Resume for Six Nations members.	
218	November 5, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Stage 3 Arch meeting agenda.	Confirm dates with Stantec.
219	November 16, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Draft REA Reports.	Inform Stantec.
220	November 16, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Confirmation of next CAP meeting.	Agenda to follow.
221	November 16, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	NRWC draft REA reports.	Confirm numbers with Stantec.
222	November 21, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Monitors are available for next meeting.	Contact Stantec.
223	November 21, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	GREAT will distribute postings.	Let PCL and Enercon know.
224	November 21, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Archaeology meeting agenda.	Confirm details with Project Team.
225	November 21, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan & CAP Team & NRWC Team		CAP meeting Agenda.	Confirm details with Project Team.
226	November 21, 2012	email	E. Hannigan	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	GREAT Green Career Workshop.	
227	November 21, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan & CAP Team & NRWC Team		Archaeology meeting agenda.	
228	November 21, 2012	Meeting	J. Thomas	R. Allan & C. Varley		Archaeology Meeting Agenda Final.	
229	November 21, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan & C. Varley	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Monitors required for further Stage 2 work.	Provide to Stantec.
230	November 26, 2012	Meeting	J. Thomas and Six Nation Monitors & Stantec Archaeologists		jthomas@sixnations.ca	Review Stage 2 sites and discussion on which will be Stage 3 sites.	
231	November 26, 2012	Meeting	GREAT	R. Allan & NRWC		Employment opportunities.	
232	November 21, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan & CAP team & NRWC Team		Finalized CAP agenda for Dec 6, 2012.	Minutes to be distributed to Project Team.
233	December 3, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Discuss meeting dates.	Confirm.
234	December 4, 2012	Hand delivered letter	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Draft REA reports and Project Summary.	2 CD's as requested.
235	December 6, 2012	Meeting	CAP Team, NRWC & Stantec		jthomas@sixnations.ca	NRWC reviewed REA reports status, invitation to final public meetings in February term sheets and transmission lines, Six Nations update included: Do we need to book annual meeting with Chief and Council, review of NRWC reports, participation in adaptive management plan,	Distribute meeting minutes to all
236	December 9, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Minutes CAP meeting please review.	
237	December 10, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Employments and Contractors Seminar Follow-up.	Book a meeting to discuss.
238	December 11, 2012	email	R. Allan	E. Hannigan (GREAT)		NRWC respond to Six Nation member seeking employment.	Follow-up.
239	December 13, 2012	email	R. Allan	E. Hannigan (GREAT)		Follow-up on Six Nations member.	
240	January 14, 2013	email	Collin	Mohawk College		Information on Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest.	NRWC will attend.
241	January 14, 2013	Telephone Call	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Review of Agenda fro Meeting on Jan 18.	
242	17-Jan-13	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Finalize meeting agenda for tomorrow.	Confirmed.
243	January 18, 2013	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Employments and Contractors Seminar Follow-up.	
244	January 21, 2013	Meeting	R. Allan	Mohawk College		Participated in Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest.	J. Thomas attended with NRWC.
245	January 23, 2013	email	R. Allan & J. Thomas	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Invite to NRWC Public Information sessions.	Follow-up.
246	February 3, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	NRWC public meetings.	invitation.
247	February 4, 2013	Meeting	R. Allan & J. Thomas		jthomas@sixnations.ca	Review of NRWC draft REA reports, discussion of review and if the review can be completed with public review period. Third party reviewer is away.	Book Stantec, NRWC and Six Nations review.
248	February 11, 2013	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Not available for meeting this week.	
249	February 11, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Book draft REA review meeting.	Confirm
250	February 11, 2013	Telephone Call	J. Thomas	R. Allan		Discussion on agenda for REA Review Meeting.	
251	February 11, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Can we get C. Hostovsky's comments prior to meeting.	Confirm
252	February 11, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Sent link to storyboards from last weeks public information meeting.	
253	February 11, 2013	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Link for storyboards does not work.	
254	February 11, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Booked meeting for March 18.	Bring hard copy of storyboards
255	February 14, 2013	Telephone Call	R. Allan	J. Thomas		Confirming NRWC review of draft REA reports with CAP members and third party consultant.	
256	March 5, 2013	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Attached to email "NRWC Peer Review" by Dr. Hostovsky.	Distributed to NRWC Team
257	March 6, 2013	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Cancel meeting on March 18, rebook for March 27.	Inform Project Team of new date.
258	March 8, 2013	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	CAP meeting date changed.	Inform Project Team of new date.
259	March 11-16	emails	R. Allan & J. Thomas			Finalize CAP date.	
260	March 16, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Article on health study and wind turbines.	
261	March 20, 2013	emails	R. Allan & J. Thomas			Confirming meetings.	

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	Date of Correspondence	Method of Communication	From	To	Contact Information	Contents of Correspondence	Project Response
	Six Nations						
262	March 21, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Draft CAP Meeting Agenda for review by Six Nations.	Contact J. Thomas for approval.
263	March 27, 2013	Meeting	NRWC, Stantec and CAP Team			Review of Draft REA Reports with Dr. Hostovsky.	
264	March 28, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Draft Meeting Minutes for March 27, 2013.	Contact J. Thomas for approval.
265	March 28, 2013	Telephone Call	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Can we meet to plan next CAP meeting.	
266	April 3, 2013	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Tuesday or Thursday next week?	
267	April 12, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Can we discuss the agenda today?	
268	April 12, 2013	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan		Approved agenda by J. Thomas and L. Bomberry	
269	April 16, 2013	Meeting	NRWC and CAP Team			NRWC update, Six Nations update, Next Steps discuss equity position and contact GREAT re: employment and c contracts.	
270	April 17, 2013	Telephone Call	R. Allan	GREAT		Trying to find correct contact.	
271	April 19, 2013	Telephone Call	R. Allan	GREAT		Trying to find correct contact.	
272	April 19, 2013	email	R. Allan	S. Monture (GREAT)		Are you the best GREAT contact for NRWC?	
273	April 24, 2013	email(s)	R. Allan	S. Monture (GREAT), J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Booking meeting GREAT, CAP AND NRWC.	
274	April 24, 2013	email	S. Monture (GREAT)	R. Allan and J. Thomas		I am the correct contact.	
275	April 25, 2013	email (s)	J. Thomas	R. Allan & S. Monture		May 9th is good.	
276	April 25, 2013	email	R. Allan	S. Monture (GREAT), J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	May 9th is good.	
277	May 8, 2013	email	S. Monture (GREAT)	R. Allan and J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Determine location of meeting.	
278	May 8, 2013	email	S. Monture (GREAT)	R. Allan and J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Cancelled meeting.	
279	June 17, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Can we meet?	
280	June 18, 2013	Telephone Call	R. Allan	GREAT		Trying to find contact.	
281	June 25, 2013	email	R. Allan	E. Garlow	Director, GREAT	Would like to meet.	
282	June 25, 2013	email	E. Garlow	R. Allan	Director, GREAT	Yes, meet June 26, 2013.	
283	June 25, 2013	email	R. Allan	E. Garlow	Director, GREAT	Can we pick another date?	
284	June 25, 2013	email	E. Garlow	R. Allan	Director, GREAT	How is July 9, 2103.	
285	June 26, 2013	email	R. Allan	E. Garlow & J. Thomas	Director.GREAT.J.Thomas	Perfect.	
286	July 9, 2103	Meeting	R. Allan & J. Thomas	E. Garlow, I. Wright, L. Froman, M. Henhawk, P. Davis, B. Jonathan, K. Bomberry, Y. Beaver & E. Hannigan	Director, GREAT	NRWC Update, GREAT Update, Next Steps: E. Garlow would like to sit at the CAP table, GREAT wants tours of NRWC contractors and ENERCON turbines, GREAT will attend MNO Gathering and NRWC to present.	
287	July 10, 2013	email	R. Allan	E. Garlow	Director, GREAT	Please review meeting minutes.	
288	July 12, 2013	email	R. Allan	E. Garlow, I. Wright, L. Froman, M. Henhawk, P. Davis, B. Jonathan, K. Bomberry, Y. Beaver & E. Hannigan	Director, GREAT	Distributed meeting minutes.	
289	July 13, 2013	email	E. Garlow	R. Allan		Withdraw invitation for NRWC presentation, will provide a new date.	
290	July 15, 2013	email	K. L. Martin	R. Allan		Offer of consulting services.	
291	July 15, 2013	email	R. Allan	K. L. Martin		Not at this time.	
292	July 17, 2013	email	R. Allan	E. Garlow	Director, GREAT	NRWC tour of TSP Towers and ENERCON turbines on Aug 7?	
293	July 17, 2013	email	E. Garlow	R. Allan		That works thanks.	
294	July 18, 2013	email	A. Bolduc (ENERCON)	R. Allan, I. Wright & E. Hannigan		ENERCON will work with GREAT on job opportunities, right now there are none.	
295	June 18, 2013	email	E. Hannigan	R. Allan		GREAT Corporate Challenge	
296	July 18, 2013	email	R. Allan	E. Garlow	Director, GREAT	NRWC tour is confirmed for Aug 7 and attached is the schedule for the day.	
297	July 18, 2013	email	E. Garlow	R. Allan	Director, GREAT	I will distribute and get back to you with numbers.	
298	July 19, 2013	email	M. Croghan	L. Bomberry		Please review press release re: Six Nations Signing Letter of Intent to Invest in NRWC.	
299	July 19, 2013	email	L. Bomberry	M. Croghan		Tidying up.	
300	July 21, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Attached copy of the Six Nations Press Release.	
301	July 21, 2103	email	R. Allan	E. Garlow	Director, GREAT	Need to start tour earlier to be able to get to both sites in one day.	
302	July 22, 2013	email	E. Garlow	R. Allan	Director, GREAT	Time change is fine, I will let people know.	
303	July 29, 2013	email	A. Bolduc (ENERCON)	I. Wright & E. Hannigan		Two ENERCON postings.	
304	July 23- 31, 2013	email(s)	N. Martin	B. Jonathan		Application for GREAT golf tournament.	
305	July 29, 2013	email	N. Martin	R. Allan		Addresses for the tour bus driver.	
306	July 30, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas		Can we meet for lunch on August 9, 2013?	
307	July 30, 2013	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan		That works.	
308	July 31, 2013	email	R. Allan	NRWC		No application form for tournament.	
309	July 31, 2013	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan		Can you book CAP & NRWC golf tournament for August 9?	

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	Six Nations						
310	August 2, 2013	Letter	NRWC	Chief W. Montour		Leave to Construct.	
311	August 2, 2013	Letter	NRWC	J. Thomas		Leave to Construct.	
312	August 2, 2013	Letter	NRWC	P. General		Leave to Construct.	
313	August 6, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	TEKA is closed can we replace with Two Row Times?	
314	August 6, 2013	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan		OK.	
315	August 6, 2013	email	N. Martin	R. Allan		GREAT number attending tour.	
316	August 7, 2013	email	N. Martin	R. Allan		Attached invitation to GREAT Golf Tournament.	
317	August 6, 2013	email	R. Allan	N. Martin		Schedule for tour.	
318	August 7, 2013	Tour	R. Allan	GREAT		TSP Presentation	
319	August 7, 2013	Telephone Call	R. Allan	J. Thomas	jthomas@sixnations.ca	Briefing on the Tour.	
320	August 8, 2013	Telephone Call	R. Allan	P. Monture (CAP)		Can you provide NRWC with a presentation of the Oneida Six Nations Business Park.	
321	August 8, 2013	email	E. Hannigan	TSP Towers		GREAT thank you for the excellent tour and looking forward to working together.	
322	August 13, 2013	email	N. Martin	R. Allan		Confirmation of attendance at GREAT golf tournament.	
323	August 13, 2013	email	R. Allan	N. Martin		D. LaForme from CAP will be attending with one other person.	
324	August 12, 2013	email	P. Monture	R. Allan		Six Nations Oneida Business Park presentation.	
325	August 15, 2013	email	D. La forme	R. Allan		Confirmation for golf tournament.	
326	August 18, 2013	Telephone Call	R. Allan	J. Thomas		Update on equity meetings.	
327	August 20, 2013	Telephone Call	R. Allan	J. Thomas		Confirm CAP attendance for NRWC/Six Nations golf tournament tomorrow.	
328	August 22, 2013	Telephone Call	R. Allan	J. Thomas		Feedback on golf tournament.	
329	August 30, 2013	email	E. Hannigan	R. Allan		GREAT Corporate Challenge	
330	August 30, 2013	email	R. Allan	E. Hannigan (GREAT)		NRWC unable to attend GREAT Corporate Challenge.	
331	August 30, 2013	email	R. Allan	E. Garlow	Director GREAT, J. Thomas	Invitation to attend MNO Employment and Contracting Community Gathering.	
332	September 3, 2013	email	E. Hannigan	R. Allan		Can we confirm best method of sending resumes to TSP Towers?	
333	September 3, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas		Can we meet and plan next CAP meeting?	
334	September 4, 2013	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan		Will check.	
335	September 4, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas		ok, will pick you up.	
336	September 4, 2013	email	A. Bolduc (ENERCON)	E. Hannigan (GREAT)		Follow-up on candidates looking for jobs.	
337	September 4, 2013	email	R. Allan	A. Bolduc		GREAT is looking for feedback on their members applications.	
338	September 4, 2013	email	M. Healey (TSP Towers)	R. Allan		Yes, we will try and provide feedback.	
339	September 16, 2013	Telephone Call	R. Allan	J. Thomas		Follow-up on equity meetings and Six Nations consultation schedule.	
340	September 23, 2013	Telephone Call	J. Thomas	R. Allan		Update on schedule.	
341	September 30, 2013	email	S. Monture (GREAT)	R. Allan		Presentation for Aboriginal Apprenticeship Board of Ont. Link Steering Committee.	
342	October 1, 2013	email	R. Allan	E. Garlow	Director, GREAT	Do you want me to present at this LINK meeting?	
343	October 4, 2013	email	M. Jerry (ENERCON)	GREAT, R.Allan		Job opening, Beamsville.	
344	October 9, 2013	email	S. Monture (GREAT)	R. Allan		Will you be attending next LINK meeting.	
345	October 9, 2013	email	R. Allan	S. Monture (GREAT)		No, I will attend the next one closer to Toronto.	
346	October 17, 2013	Telephone Call	R. Allan	J. Thomas		We should update on the NRWC can we meet?	
347	October 23, 2013	Meeting	R. Allan & J. Thomas			Update on Project, invitation to MNO event and Six Nations.	
348	October 30, 2013	MNO event	J. Thomas			Attended MNO event.	

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HDI Correspondence Summary

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	Date of Correspondence	Method of Communication	From	To	Contact Information	Contents of Correspondence	Project Response
	HDI						
1	August 3, 2011	Couriered and emailed	R. Allan	L. Hill	Secretary to Haudenosaunee Council	The Notice of a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and a Notice for the Community Meeting to be held on July 26, 2011 were emailed to First Nations that may have an interest in the Project.	Follow-up with a telephone call
2	August 11, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	L. Hill	Secretary to Haudenosaunee Council	Called to determine if he had received the Notice and to discuss a meeting	Left message, follow-up up with another call.
3	August 16, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	L. Hill	Secretary to Haudenosaunee Council	Called to determine if he had received the Notice and to discuss a meeting	Left message, follow-up up with another call.
4	August 19, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	L. Hill	Secretary to Haudenosaunee Council	Called to determine if he had received the Notice and to discuss a meeting	Left message, follow-up up with another call.
5	August 22, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	L. Hill	Secretary to Haudenosaunee Council	Called to determine if he had received the Notice and to discuss a meeting	Left message, follow-up up with another call.
6	August 31, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	L. Hill	Secretary to Haudenosaunee Council	Called to determine if he had received the Notice and to discuss a meeting	Left message, follow-up up with another call.
7	September 1, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	L. Hill	Secretary to Haudenosaunee Council	Called to determine if he had received the Notice and to discuss a meeting	Left message, follow-up up with another call.
8	September 21, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	L. Hill	Secretary to Haudenosaunee Council	Called to determine if he had received the Notice and to discuss a meeting	Left message, follow-up up with another call.
9	September 27, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	L. Hill	Secretary to Haudenosaunee Council	Called to determine if he had received the Notice and to discuss a meeting	Was told L. Hill was on family leave and to contact H. Hill the Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute.
10	September 27, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Called to discuss Project, H. Hill requested all notices be sent to her.	Requested NRWC to resend all information to H. Hill.
11	September 30, 2011	emailed	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Forward the Notice of a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and a Notice for the Community Meeting that had been sent to L. Hill	Follow-up with a telephone call.
12	October 4, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Called to determine if HDI had received the Notice and to discuss a meeting.	Left message, follow-up with a telephone call.
13	October 12, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Called to determine if HDI had received the Notice and to discuss a meeting.	Left message, follow-up with a telephone call.
14	October 18, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Called to determine if HDI had received the Notice and to discuss a meeting.	Left message, follow-up with a telephone call
15	October 21, 2011	letter emailed	Hazel Hill	Mr. Robert Daniels, Vice President NRWC	NRWC Project Office	Cease and desist meeting with Six Nations until a meeting has been arranged with HCCC and HDI.	Due to holidays letter was received by Project Team on October 23, 2011.
16	October 24, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Discussed the letter that was sent to R. Daniels requesting postponement of Six Nations Elder's dinner. Suggested that NRWC would like to meet with HCC and HDI ASAP and to follow the HDI process of engagement. H. Hill said she would request a meeting once the application form had been filled in and the application fee played. NRWC will fill in the application form, pay the fee immediately and will be on call for a meeting.	H. Hill to send application form via email, and requested a meeting with HCCC and HDI.
17	October 26, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Thanked H. Hill for application form, clarified payment and requested meeting.	H. Hill to request a meeting with HCCC and HDI and let me know.
18	October 28, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Requested confirmation of a meeting.	Left message, follow-up with a telephone call.
19	November 1, 2011	email & fax	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Faxed completed HDI application fee and will courier payment. Requested a meeting and with HDI.	Follow-up with a telephone call.
20	November 1, 2011	courier & email confirmation	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Fee payment sent to HDI	

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	HDI						
21	November 2, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Confirmed receipt of the application, the fee and that there was discussion of booking a meeting with HDI.	NRWC stated that notices had been placed in three local papers over the past three weeks, invitation had been delivered to Elders homes, and posters were all over the community; at this time it would be impossible to notify the Elders properly of a change in date.
22	November 3, 2011	Letter/email	Hazel Hill	R. Allan		Decision on the HCC Board that the Six Nations Elders dinner should be postponed.	R. Allan would inform the NRWC Project team immediately.
23	November 7, 2011	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Thank you for accepting the NRWC application form and fee. We were unable to cancel the Elders dinner at this point. We had not understood the HDI protocol requiring consultation prior to holding meetings in the community, and we sincerely apologize for this discretion.	Will follow-up with telephone call and attempt to book a meeting.
24	November 8, 2011	Six Nations Elder's Dinner	R. Allan			Two Elders self identified themselves as HCCC and were concerned that adequate consultation had not occurred with HCCC & HDI. Stantec and NRWC staff sat and discussed in depth the engagement process with both Six Nation Elected Council and HCC/HDI.	Elders stated they would discuss the Project further with their HCC & HDI staff.
25	November 10, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Called to book a meeting with NRWC and HDI.	Left a message.
26	November 22, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Called to book a meeting with NRWC and HDI.	left a message
27	November 24, 2011	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Suggested a meeting date of November 30, 2011.	Left a message.
28	November 28, 2011	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Dates were in conflict, suggested we wait till early in the new year.	Call back to confirm dates of meeting.
29	December 9, 2011	email	H. Hill	R. Allan		Potential meeting date of January 11, 2012.	Need to confirm dates with NRWC Project Team.
30	December 9, 2011	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Confirming meeting of January 11, 2012.	
31	January 6, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Confirm meeting and agenda for January 25, 2012.	
32	January 6, 2012	telephone call	H. Hill	R. Allan		Change of meeting times, new date January 25, 2012.	
33	January 17, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Confirm meeting and agenda for January 25, 2012.	
34	January, 25, 2012	Meeting NRWC and HCC, HDI			Presentation from NRWC was given in hard copy.	NRWC presentation on Project, benefits of wind, Enercon technology, schedule, community benefits and FIT contracts. HDI provided an overview of their history, benefits of working with First Nations, Community Vibrancy fund, cease and desist letters form HDI and training and development of members.	R. Allan will provide a schedule of events for the Project, and HDI will review the environmental reports.
35	January 26, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Thank you for the meeting, will start the archaeology work soon.	
36	January 28, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Provided schedule of likely availability of written environmental reports.	Left a message.
37	January 29, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Provided schedule of likely availability of written environmental reports.	
38	January 29, 2012	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Understood schedule of environmental reports and identified W. Hill, an HDI archaeologist, to review reports and work in the field.	
39	March 24, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Need to get information on W. Hill as archaeological field work will begin soon.	Left a message.
40	April 10, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	confirmed contact information for Wayne Hill	Will keep H. Hill aware of progress of field work.	Pass on to Stantec Archaeologist contact information for W. Hill.
41	April 13, 2012	email	H. Hill	Stantec and W. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Confirmation that HDI monitors will be on Project site and HDI will also send us dates for the next meeting. HDI requires an engagement memorandum.	Will pass information on to Project Team.
42	April 17, 2012	email	R. Allan	W. Hill	tworowarchaeology@rogers.com	Will contact W. Hill upon clarification of archaeology dates in the field.	
43	April 18, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Confirmed meeting dates.	Will pass information on to Project Team.

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44	April 18, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Finalized meeting dates and times.	Will pass information on to Project Team.
45	April 19, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	confirmation of meeting on April 26, 2012.	Inform team of meeting.
46	April 21, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	conditions too wet to start archaeology field work and will keep you posted.	Project Team to keep First Nations posted on changes to archaeology schedule.
47	April 24, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Confirmed meeting dates.	Inform team of meeting.
48	April 24, 2012	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Finalized meeting times.	
49	April 25, 2012	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Cancel meeting and rebook for May 4, 2012.	
50	May 1, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Changes of dates for archaeological field work.	
51	May 1, 2012	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Cancel meeting and changes dates.	
52	May 2, 2012	email	R. Allan	Wayne Hill	tworowarchaeology@rogers.com	plans to start archaeological field work on May 8, 2012	Request Stage 1 Archaeological Report sent to Wayne Hill.
53	May 2, 2012	email	W. Hill	Stantec	tworowarchaeology@rogers.com	confirmed availability and rate	Passed on confirmation and rate to Project Team.
54	May 2, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Change meeting dates and time.	
55	May 4, 2012	email	R. Allan	W. Hill	tworowarchaeology@rogers.com	Discussed rates as higher then expected for archaeological work and payment methods.	Informed Project Team of email to discuss rates.
56	May 4, 2012	email	W. Hill	R. Daniels	tworowarchaeology@rogers.com	Request for additional information, Stage 1AA report, and Project layout.	
57	May 7, 2012	Altercation at field site	Stantec	W. Hill	tworowarchaeology@rogers.com	HDI request cease and desist archaeological field work as W. Hill has not received Stage 1AA Archaeology Reports.	Project Team ensured report was made available.
58	May 10, 2012	Letter/email	M. Croghan	W. Hill	tworowarchaeology@rogers.com	Apologized for any confusion on providing appropriate materials.	Requested Draft Stage 1AA Report be sent to W. Hill
59	May 11, 2012	email	M. Croghan	W. Hill	tworowarchaeology@rogers.com	Will review the Stage 1AA Draft Arch Report and will resume field work.	Inform Project Team W. Hill will resume field work.
60	May 12, 2012	email	W. Hill	M. Croghan, C. Varley, C. Powell, R. Allan	tworowarchaeology@rogers.com	Archaeology work will begin again on May 8, need contact information in the field.	
61	May 21, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Confirm W. Hill has the information he needed.	Agreement that HDI will be participating in field work.
62	June 11, 2012	email	W. Hill	M. Croghan	tworowarchaeology@rogers.com	Concern that Six Nations Elected Council would have more archaeology monitors on site then HDI.	
63	June 13, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Discussed archaeological monitors and next meeting.	H. Hill will provide dates.
64	June 13, 2012	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Confirmation that HDI monitors will be on Project site and HDI will also send us dates for the next meeting. HDI requires an engagement memorandum.	Will pass information on to Project Team.
65	June 15, 2012	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Dates do not work, suggesting alternative dates.	Will pass information on to Project Team.
66	June 15, 2012	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Timing of next meeting.	
67	June 16, 2012	email	M. Croghan	W. Hill	tworowarchaeology@rogers.com	At this time NRWC is not providing additional monitors from Six Nations.	Follow-up with H. Hill.
68	June 25, 2012	Meeting	NRWC and HCC, HDI			Discussed update of Project, Draft Site plan, interest in meeting with HONI to discuss alternative transmission routes, and financing of the Project.	NRWC will book discuss a meeting with HONI.
69	June 25, 2012	letter email	A. Detlor	M. Croghan	aarondetlor@gmail.com	HDI is prepared to address the impact of the Project by way of potential ownership in the Project.	Project Team will pass on interest to financial experts.
70	June 25, 2012	letter email	A. Detlor	M. Croghan	aarondetlor@gmail.com	HDI is prepared to enter into discussions with HDI.	NRWC will contact and book meeting with HONI.
71	July 12, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Call to discuss next steps.	Left message, follow-up with a telephone call.
72	July 23, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Would like to book a meeting to discuss Six Nations CAP team and GREAT potential Memorandum of Understanding.	

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	HDI						
73	July 25, 2012	telephone call	A. Detlor	M. Croghan	aarondetlor@gmail.com	To discuss next meeting and the intention to become partners on the Project.	
74	July 25, 2012	email	A. Detlor	M. Croghan	aarondetlor@gmail.com	Wish to become partners in the Project and do not believe there is any role for six Nations Elected Council.	Discuss with Project Team and Six Nations Elected Council.
75	July 26, 2012	email	M. Croghan	A. Detlor	aarondetlor@gmail.com	Unable to book meeting next week, son getting married.	
76	July 26, 2012	email	A. Detlor	M. Croghan	aarondetlor@gmail.com	Understood, will discuss later.	
77	July 30, 2012	Meeting	NRWC, HCC, HDI, HONI, Stantec			Discussion of alternative transmission routes for the Project.	HCCC and HDI to book another meeting with HONI in the near future.
78	August 7, 2012	email	M. Croghan	A. Detlor	aarondetlor@gmail.com	Brookfield Financial will finalize the Project financing package and then we can further our discussions.	Discuss with Brookfield Financial.
79	August 15, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Discussed Notice of Draft Site Plan and upcoming Community Public Information sessions to be held September 20, 2012.	Follow up with email and courier.
80	August 15, 2012	email and courier	Stantec	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Notice of Draft Site Plan, Revised Study Area and Public Information Sessions.	Follow up with telephone call.
81	August 23, 2012	email	A. Detlor	M. Croghan	aarondetlor@gmail.com	Not getting assistance from Brookfield and would like some help.	Will discuss with Brookfield.
82	August 24, 2012	email	M. Croghan	Aaron Detlor	aarondetlor@gmail.com	Meeting with Brookfield next week which will put us in a better position to discuss partners.	
83	August 24, 2012	email	A. Detlor	M. Croghan	aarondetlor@gmail.com	We are seeking a 50% (percent) position.	Will discuss with Brookfield.
84	September 18, 2012	email & letter	H. Hill	A. Leggett	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Thank you for correspondence and documentation of August 21, 2012 and we are waiting on NRWC of the Project's infringement upon Haudenosaunee Treaty Rights.	Pass letter on to Project Team for review.
85	September 30, 2012	email and attached invoice	W. Hill	R. Allan	worowarchaeology@rogers.com	Please pay invoice.	Passed on to C. Varley for signature and then to NRWC for payment
86	September 20, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Reminder of Public Information Session on September 20, 2012.	No answer will call again.
87	October 1, 2012	email & letter	A. Leggett	Hazel Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Thank you for agreeing to review NRWC draft documents, your comments are important to the team.	
88	October 11, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	As discussed in HDI meetings employment and contracts are very important to the community and attached is the poster for seminars, please review and provide questions and suggestions.	
89	October 11, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Information on NRWC Employment and Contractors Seminars.	Left message.
90	October 12, 2012	email	H. Hill	R. Allan and J. Bonin, Union Gas	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	NRWC and Union Gas have not followed HCCC engagement process and poster must be revised to read HDI as part of the hosting party.	Confirm with Project Team and respond.
91	October 15, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	We can meet and discuss changes to the posters please let us know time and date.	
92	November 2, 2012	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Discussion of the involvement with GREAT on employment and contractors initiatives.	Follow-up with Project Team
93	November 5, 2012	email	Enercon	GREAT		Distribution of Six Nations resumes.	
94	November 6, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Meetings with GREAT over past 6 months.	
95	November 16, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Draft REA reports.	HDI preference hard copies or CD's?
96	November 20, 21, 2012	email	Enercon	R. Allan		Enercon and Six Nation resumes.	
97	November 26, 2012	attendance	R. Allan	NRWC		GREAT Employment Seminar.	Presentation by HDI.
98	November 27, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Review of draft REA Reports.	
99	November 28, 2012	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Cancel meeting.	
100	December 4, 2012	Hand delivered	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Draft REA Reports Summary Report and Notice of Public information Sessions.	
101	December 10, 2012	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Capacity funding for Review of draft REA Reports.	
102	December 20, 2012	email	C. Varley	W. Hill		Invoice for stage 2 field work.	

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	HDI						
103	January 4, 2013	email	C. Varley	W. Hill		Re invoice for stage 2 work.	
104	January 9, 2013	email	W. Hill	R. Allan		Re invoice for stage 2 work.	
105	January 10, 2013	email	R. Allan	W. Hill		Re invoice for stage 2 work.	
106	January 21, 2013	Attendance	R. Allan	NRWC		Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest.	Participated in Mohawk College employment event.
107	January 22, 2013	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Review of Draft REA Reports.	Follow-up with HDI.
108	January 23, 2013	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Invitation to NRWC Public Information Meetings.	
109	February 1, 2013	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Review of Draft REA Reports.	no additional capacity funding required
110	February 3, 2013	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Invitation to NRWC public Information Meetings.	
111	February 4, 2013	email	NRWC	H. Hill		Can we discuss meeting dates next week.	follow-up with HDI
112	February 5, 2013	email	H. Hill	M.Croghan, and NRWC team	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Is NRWC prepared to provide opportunity to HDI to become a 50% partner in the project.	
113	February 7, 2013	email	M.Croghan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Have not gone to market with full discussions on partnerships.	
114	February 7, 2013	email	H. Hill	M.Croghan, and NRWC team		Please arrange meeting with HDI secretary.	
115	February 11, 2013	email	A. Detlor	M. Croghan		Request meeting in near future with Brookfield and Access.	
116	February 11, 2013	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Request to book meeting with HDI.	Call Ms. Mitten tomorrow to book.
117	February 11, 2013	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Provided link to last weeks public information storyboards.	
118	February 11, 2013	telephone call	R. Allan	B. Mitten		Confirmed Meeting for REA review on March 6	Inform NRWC Team.
119	February 13, 2013	telephone call	B. Mitten	R. Allan		Changed meeting dates to March 7.	Inform NRWC Team.
120	February 13, 2013	email	B. Mitten	R. Allan		Confirmed change in meeting date.	Inform NRWC Team.
121	February 14, 2013	email	R. Allan	B. Mitten		Confirmed meeting dates.	
122	March 2, 2013	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Book draft REA meeting date.	
123	March 2, 2013	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	HDI wants to discuss equity position not REA documents.	
124	March 4, 2013	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	NRWC has not finalized term sheets yet and cannot discuss equity positions.	
125	March 6, 2013	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	HDI wants to discuss equity position.	
126	March 7, 2013	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Schedule meeting to discuss equity position.	
127	March 7, 2013	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	NRWC not able to discuss equity until term sheets are finalized.	
128	March 7, 2013	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	HDI understands NRWC is selling its position in the Project.	
129	March 7, 2013	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Can we book a meeting near end of March as term sheets will be completed.	
130	March 14, 2013	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Can we book a meeting to discuss term sheets.	
131	March 20, 2013	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Can we book a meeting to discuss term sheets.	
132	April 5, 2013	email	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Can we book our next meeting?	
133	April 5, 2013	email	H. Hill	R. Allan	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Provided dates for the next meeting.	
134	April 5, 2013	email	A. Detlor	R. Allan		Waiting to hear if NRWC accepts HDI proposal of 50% ownership of the Project.	
135	April 10, 2013	email	M. Croghan	A. Detlor		NRWC is in the process of developing pre-qualification process and would the Haudenosaunee like to participate?	

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	HDI						
136	April 10, 2013	email	A. Detlor	M. Croghan		Project does not have our consent ...we have treaty rights...finalize your earlier commitment to undertake this Project in partnership with the Haudenosaunee.	
137	April 15, 2013	Letter	M. Croghan	A. Detlor		Recommend we meet to discuss.	
138	June 11, 2013	email	W. Hill	R. Allan		Invoice for Archaeology work completed on May 15, 2013.	
139	June 12, 2013	email	C. Varley	R. Allan		Please sign off on invoice.	
140	August 2, 2013	Letter	NRWC	L. Hill		Leave to Construct.	
141	August 2, 2013	Letter	NRWC	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	Leave to Construct.	
142	August 2, 2013	telephone call	R. Allan	H. Hill	Interim Director Haudenosaunee Development Institute	left message re: Leave to Construct.	

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Mississaugas of New Credit Consultation Summary

Niagara Region Wind Project - Correspondence with the Mississaugas of New Credit First Nation							
	Date of Correspondence	Method of Communication	From	To	Contact Information	Contents of Correspondence	Project Response
	Mississaugas of New Credit						
1	July 13, 2011	Courier, email and followed up with a telephone call	R. Allan	New Credit First Nation, Chief B. LaForme	debaaron@newcreditfirstnation.com	The Notice of a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and a Notice for the Community Meeting to be held on July 26, 2011 were emailed to First Nations that may have an interest in the Project.	Left message.
2	July 20, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	Receptionist, New Credit FN	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Asked best contact, was told to call Margaret Sault.	Call M. Sault.
3	July 20, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	M. Sault	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Request person to be liaison, was told to contact Caroline King.	Updated Contact information.
4	July 20, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Left message.	Need to call back.
5	July 21, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Left message.	Need to call back.
6	July 22, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Invited C. King to Community Meeting on Tuesday July, 26, 2011.	C. King will attend and R. Allan will meet her at the function for a tour of the storyboards.
7	July 26, 2011	Community meeting	R. Allan and C. King		Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Attended Community Meeting, met members of Project Team, had questions answered.	
8	August 3, 2011	Meeting on reserve	NRWC, R. Allan and C. King		Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	M. Croghan, R. Allan and C. King discussed Project, NRWC made presentation of Project Update, C. King provided materials on history of New Credit FN.	New Credit FN wished to be engaged as an interested party on the Project. Provided NRWC with copy of Indian Claims Commission for Mississaugas of New Credit Inquiry into Toronto. Purchase Claim 2003
9	August 3, 2011	Couriered, email and followed up with a telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	The Notice of a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and a Notice for the Community Meeting to be held on July 26, 2011 were emailed to First Nations that may have an interest in the Project.	Follow-up with telephone call.
10	August 4, 2011	email	C. King	R. Allan	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Please to meet with us and have received the Notices.	Will prepare an information contact sheet for R. Allan.
11	August 4, 2011	email	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Verification of materials sent Aug 4, 2011.	Placed Notice in Eagle press Newsletter.
12	August 8, 2011	email and attached Minutes from the Meeting on August 3, 2011	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Minutes of Aug 3 meeting to be reviewed by C. King.	Follow-up so minutes can be distributed.
13	August 8, 2011	telephone call	C. King	R. Allan	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Minutes are approved by C. King.	Minutes can be placed in ROC.
14	August 9, 2011	email	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Unable to get permission for staff at Mississaugas of New Credit FN to place ad in Eagle press Newsletter.	Follow-up with C. King.
15	August 9, 2011	email	BPG	BPG, Stantec	dkelly@bridgepointgroup.com	I spoke to Mississaugas of the New Credit who represent the Eagle press News, they informed me they only publish information or ads from Band Members because it is a free publication. They told me they will post it on their bulletin board and check with others to see if they can make an exception.	Follow-up with C. King.
16	August 15, 2011	email	C. King	R. Allan	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Will meet with Council to discuss placement of ad in newsletter.	Follow-up with C. King.
17	October 3, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Discuss update to the Project.	Away for the week, left message.

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	Mississaugas of New Credit						
18	October 12, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Book next meeting on October 25, 2011 on the reserve.	Plan agenda for meeting.
19	October 21, 2011	telephone call	C. King	R. Allan	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Change date of meeting to November 11, 2011.	Change date of meeting.
20	October 25, 2011	meeting	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Update on Project Description, Draft Site Plan, Schedule and REA Process.	Follow-up with meeting in 3 months.
21	November 11, 2011	Meeting on reserve	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Update on the Project, Update on activities planned with Six Nations, update from C. King.	Provided C. King with Traditional Knowledge book, "Footprints on the Land", Six Nations Elders Dinner Invitation, and NRWC Update materials.
22	November 11, 2011	email and attached Minutes from the Meeting on November 11, 2011	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Will follow-up with telephone call, to confirm minutes.	Call again to follow-up.
23	November 28, 2011	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Confirmed that minutes from meeting were approved.	Provide minutes for ROC.
24	December 12, 2011	Christmas card	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Wishing C. King good holiday season.	
25	January 10, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Asked how the election went, Chief was re-elected.	Provide update to Project Team.
26	February 21, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Provide an update and book next meeting.	Left message.
27	March 13, 2012	telephone call	C. King	R. Allan	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Invitation to participate in Mohawk College Aboriginal Smoochfest.	Will discuss with NRWC and get back to Michelle King.
28	March 14, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	M. King		NRWC will participate in Mohawk College event.	Received Mohawk College contact information
29	March 23, 2012	attended Mohawk College Aboriginal Smoochfest	R. Allan	M. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Provided a booth with information on Project and Wind Energy.	Provided a booth and staff.
30	April 2, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Plan next meeting.	Agreed on April 20, 2012.
31	April 20, 2012	Meeting on reserve	R. Allan	C. King and M. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Update on NRWC-Turbines signed, Enercon review schedule, archaeological monitors from the community and environmental reports. Miss of New Credit discussed Career Fair April 26 and asked NRWC to provide booth.	R. Allan to confirm booth for April 26, 2012.
32	April 23, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	M. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Confirmed NRWC will provide staff and booth for Community Career Fair.	Prepared materials for booth and giveaways for children.
33	April 23, 2012	email	R. Allan	M. King		Requesting more details on career fair.	Follow-up with M. King.
34	April 26, 2012	Career Fair	R. Allan	Community	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Spent the day discussing wind and the Project with members of the community and from Hagersville.	Handout wind facts sheets and Project newsletters
35	May 2, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	M. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	M. King provide an archaeological monitor for the Stage 2 field work for the Project.	M. King will provide a name and contact information.
36	May, 3, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	M. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirsnation.com	Confirm names of monitor.	M. King to confirm.

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	Mississaugas of New Credit						
37	May 4, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	M. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Confirm method of payment for monitor.	M. King to confirm.
38	May 8, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	Archaeology Monitor	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Report to work, arch field work to begin.	M. King to confirm payment method.
39	July 11, 2012	email	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Did C. King review the NRWC newsletter.	Follow-up with C. King.
40	August 6, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Book next meeting.	Agreed on meeting date.
41	August 14, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Discussed date for next meeting.	Tentative date August 22, 2012.
42	August 15, 2012	email and courier	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Notice of Draft Site Plan, Revised Study Area and Public Meeting.	Follow up with telephone call
43	August 22, 2012	Meeting on reserve	R. Allan	C. King, G. Sault	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	NRWC update including; draft Map of site and next community meeting. MNCFN update including; wish to enter into an MOU with NRWC (C. King to send a draft), archeological training, received copy of TEKA newspaper and MNCFN newsletter.	C. King will attend community meeting on September 20, 2012.
44	August 27, 2012	email and attached Minutes from the Meeting on August 22, 2012	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Draft Minutes from meeting of August 22, 2012 need to be confirmed by C. King.	
45	August 29, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Confirm minutes from meeting.	Left message.
46	September 12, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Confirm minutes from meeting.	Left message.
47	September 18, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Confirm minutes and asked if MNCFN would like to participate in NRWC and Six Nations employment and contractors seminars in October.	C. King agreed to minutes and participation in employment and contractors seminars.
48	September 19, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Confirm C. King plan to attend community meeting on Sept 20.	Left message.
49	September 20, 2012	Community Meeting	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Provided a tour of storyboards and 2 copies of storyboards.	Introduced C. King to the Project Team to answer her questions.
50	September 20, 2012	Meeting	C. King	J. Thomas and R. Allan		Invite Mississaugas of New Credit First Nation to join in the Six Nations Employment and Contractors Seminars in October. C. King said yes.	Revised posters to include Mississaugas of New Credit First Nation.
51	September 24, 2012	emails	R. Allan	J. Thomas, M. King, C. King, K. Martin, J. Bonin		Changes to be made to posters for seminars.	
52	September 24, 2012	emails	K. Martin	J. Thomas, M. King, C. King, K. Martin, J. Bonin		New draft of posters for review.	
53	September 26 - October 8 2012	emails	R. Allan	J. Thomas, M. King, C. King, K. Martin, J. Bonin	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Employment and contractor's posters - drafts.	Finalized posters for placement in newspapers and posters to be placed around the community...posters will be delivered to C. King.
54	October 9, 2012	email	K. Martin	J. Thomas, M. King, C. King, K. Martin, J. Bonin	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Final draft for review of posters for seminars.	
55	October 9, 2012	email	J. Thomas	J. Thomas, M. King, C. King, K. Martin, J. Bonin	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Please make a change on poster	

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56	October 10, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas, M. King, C. King, K. Martin, J. Bonin	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Final poster to be sent to press.	TEKA and Turtle Island News.
57	October 11, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	J. Thomas, M. King, C. King, K. Martin, J. Bonin	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Reminder of Posters coming to the community and we need list of locations to hang them.	
58	October 15, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas, M. King, C. King, K. Martin, J. Bonin	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Can we have a progress report on ads and posters.	Call E. Hanigan at GREAT.
59	October 15, 2012	email	J. Thomas	R. Allan		Status of placement of posters in the community.	
60	October 15, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas, M. King, C. King, K. Martin, J. Bonin	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Lets distribute more of the posters to M. King and C. King.	
61	October 15, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Thomas, C. King, M. King, Enercon, PCL, K. Martin, J. Bonin	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Reminder of employment and contractors seminar.	
62	October 16, 2012	email	J. Lickers	R. Allan		Confirmation of facility for seminars.	
63	October 15, 2012	email	R. Allan	M. King & C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Reminder of employment and contractors seminar.	
64	October 22, 2012	email	C. King	R. Allan, C. Varley		Archaeology monitors required.	Update Project team.
65	November 20 & 21, 2012	emails	E. Hannigan	R.Allan, C.King & Enercon	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Employment and resumes distribution.	
66	November 27, 2012	email	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Draft REA studies, distribution.	Update Project team.
67	December 4, 2012	Hand delivered	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Draft REA reports on cds, Summary report and Notice of Public Meeting.	
68	December 4, 2012	Meeting	R. Allan	C. King & Fawn Sault	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Discussion of update on the Project, review of draft REA reports, invitation to open houses, arch fieldwork to resume, turbine location MNCFN discussed commitment by signing MOU, new advisory committee, donation to community, please with results from contractors/employment seminars.	book review meeting with NRWC and Stantec
69	December 12, 2012	email and minutes	R. Allan	C. King & Fawn Sault	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Please review Dec 4 Meeting Minutes.	Follow up with telephone call.
70	January 21, 2013	Workshop	R. Allan	NRWC	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Attended Mohawk College Aboriginal Shmoozefest.	Inform students of employment opportunities.
71	January 22, 2013	email	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Book meeting to review Draft REA Reports.	
72	January 22, 2013	email	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Notice of Public Information Meetings.	Follow up with telephone call.
73	February 3, 2013	email	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Invitation to Public Meetings.	
74	February 7, 2013	email	C. King	R. Allan		Planning to attend Public information session this afternoon	
75	February 7, 2013	email	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Sorry missed you at meeting.	

Niagara Region Wind Project - Correspondence with the Mississaugas of New Credit First Nation							
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	Mississaugas of New Credit						
76	February 7, 2013	Attendance	C. King, D. Sault	NRWC	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Attendance at Public Information Session.	
77	February 7, 2013	email	C. King	R. Allan	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Session was interesting, lets discuss.	
78	February 7, 2013	Telephone call	R. Allan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Follow-up to attendance at meeting.	
79	February 8, 2013	email	R. Allan	C. King & F. Sault	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Review completed, potential dates for review of Draft REA Reports.	
80	February 11, 2013	email	R. Allan	C. King & F. Sault	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Booking meeting to review Draft REA Reports.	Follow-up with telephone call.
81	February 13, 2013	email	C. King	Project Team	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Directions to the meeting.	
82	March 4, 2103	Meeting	C. King, F. Sault, D. Croghan, R. Allan, C. Powell		Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Review of Draft REA Reports.	
83	March 7, 2013	Public Information Meeting		C. King & F. Sault	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	Toured storyboards and talked with technical staff.	
84	March 25, 2013	Letter (email March 27)	M. Croghan	C. King	Lands, Membership & Resources carolyn.king@newcreditfirstnation.com	NRWC Good Neighbour Letter.	
85	June 7, 2013	Telephone call	M. King	R. Allan		Invitation to attend MNCFN Career Fair	Yes, NRWC would provide a booth.
86	June 13, 2013	email	M. King	R. Allan		Invitation to attend MNCFN Career Fair	
87	June 13, 2013	email	R. Allan	M. King		Will bring Stantec Biologist with us.	
88	June 13, 2013	email	R. Allan	M. King		Filled in Career Fair application Form	
89	June 14, 2013	email	M. King	R. Allan		Thank you for response.	
90	July 9, 2013	email	R. Allan	M. King		Is the Career Fair still a go.	
91	July 10, 2013	email	M. King	R. Allan		Correct, for August 1, 2013.	
92	July 10, 2013	email	R. Allan	M. King		Confirm attendance.	
93	July 29, 2013	email	M. King	R. Allan		New location for Career Fair.	
94	July 29, 2013	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King		Can we meet while at the Career Fair.	
95	July 29, 2013	email	M. King	R. Allan		Career Fair Agenda.	
96	August 2, 2013	Letter	NRWC	Chief LaForme		Leave to Construct.	
97	August 2, 2013	Letter	NRWC	M. Sault		Leave to Construct.	
98	August 2, 2013	Letter	NRWC	C. King		Leave to Construct.	
99	Aug 22, 2013	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King		Can we discuss Term sheets?	
100	Sept 16, 2013	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King		Can we discuss Term sheets?	
101	October 1, 2013	email	R. Allan	C. King		Can we discuss Term sheets?	
102	October 23, 2013	email	R. Allan	C. King & F. Sault		Invitation to attend Metis event.	
103	October 23, 2013	telephone call	R. Allan	C. King		Can we discuss Term sheets?	
104	October 23, 2013	telephone call	C. King	R. Allan		Meeting booked for October 31, 2013/	

Appendix E3

Métis Nation of Ontario/Niagara Region Métis Council Correspondence Summary

Niagara Region Wind Project - Correspondence with the Metis Nation of Ontario / Niagara Regional Council							
	Date of Correspondence	Method of Communication	From	To	Contact Information	Contents of Correspondence	Project Response
	Metis Nation						
1	July 14, 2011	Couriered, email and followed up with a telephone call	R. Allan	Metis Nation, B. Tucker, Dept. of Lands and Resources	consultations@metisnation.org	The Notice of a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and a Notice for the Community Meeting to be held on July 26, 2011 were emailed to aboriginal communities that may have an interest in the Project.	Left messages.
2	July 20, 21, 22, and 25, 2011	telephone calls	R. Allan	B. Tucker	consultations@metisnation.org	Discuss Project.	Left messages.
3	July 25, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	Metis Nation of Ontario	Receptionist	Suggested contacting J. Wager.	Left message with J. Wager.
4	July 25, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	He will be our contact person and would like to be consulted on the Project.	Email and couriered the Notice of a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project, Notice for the Community Meeting to be held on July 26, 2011 were emailed to J. Wager that may have an interest in the Project.
5	July 25, 2011	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	J. Wager emailed the Metis Nation of Ontario steps to ensure that the Metis rights are being meaningfully observed. As well as an outline of Metis rights and the Regional Protocol Committees Consultation	Confirmed with NRWC staff that the Metis Nation of Ontario wishes to be considered as an interested party for the Project.
6	August 11, 2011	email and courier	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Email and courier the Notice of a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project and a Notice for the Community Meeting to be held on July 26, 2011 were emailed to J. Wager that may have an interest in the Project.	Added J. Wager to Project mailing list.
7	August 11, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Confirmed courier and email of notices.	Follow-up completed, next step to book a meeting.
8	August 29, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Lets meet to discuss how best to engage Metis Nation of Ontario.	Booked a meeting.
9	September 19, 2011	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Proposed Sept 30, 2011 for meeting.	Meeting Booked.
10	September 19, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Agreed to meeting date.	Meeting confirmed.
11	September 19, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Establish date for next meeting.	Meeting confirmed.
12	September 20, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Establish date for next meeting.	Meeting date changed.
13	September 20, 2011	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Email clarified "as a staff support, speaking with me does not constitute consultation. By meeting, we will discuss how to consult with the Metis Community".	R. Allan called back to confirm that this was our understanding as well.
14	September 21, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Booking dates for meeting.	Dates confirmed.
15	September 30, 2011	telephone	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Cancelled meeting, and rescheduled for October 3, 2011.	Rebooked meeting.
16	October 3, 2011	meeting	J. Wager and R. Allan	n/a		J. Wager provided information on Metis Nation of Ontario, their consultation approach and stated the Metis Nation of Ontario and the Region 9 Protocol Committee would like to be engaged on this NRWC Project.	Plan meeting with Region 9.
17	October 11, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Draft agenda for November 11, 2011 meeting.	Prepare materials for presentation on Project.
18	October 13, 25, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Confirming location of meeting, honorariums, food and agenda.	Confirm funding for meeting.
19	November 8, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Confirm method of payments for meeting room and honorariums.	Prepare handouts and cheques.
20	November 21, 2011	meeting	M. Croghan, D. Croghan, R. Allan	P. Rivers, JoAnne Young, S. Quesnelle, C. Bunn, R. Leboeur, S. Labelle, J. Wager		NRWC Project Update Presentation on Project including site location, type of turbines, Project schedule, archaeological studies, construction method and timelines and good neighbour initiatives.	Metis provided List of Metis General Concerns. Concerns given to Project Team for consideration in environmental studies. Commitment made to ensure the local Metis community is aware of employment and contractor opportunities as a result of the Project.

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	Metis Nation						
21	November 21, 2011	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Minutes of November 21, 2011 meeting.	Minutes added to Record of Consultation.
22	December 13, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Confirm meeting minutes.	Minutes added to Record of Consultation.
23	December 14, 2011	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Confirmed meeting minutes.	Minutes added to Record of Consultation.
24	December 12, 2011	card	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Christmas greetings.	
25	December 14, 2011	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Thank you for confirmation.	Minutes added to Record of Consultation.
26	March 6, 2011	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Invite Metis to Mohawk College Aboriginal Smoochfest.	Left message.
27	March 15, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Checking in to Update on Project.	Agreed no need to meet at this time.
28	June 16, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Suggested an update meeting.	Prepare materials for presentation on Project.
29	June 19, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Book meeting date.	Suggested July 3, 2011
30	June 29, 2012	Meeting	J. Wager and R. Allan			Update on aboriginal consultation, the Project studies and schedule, plan for draft site plan, role of Enercon and best methods for further consultation. Ads were placed in both the TEKAwennake and Turtle Island (local aboriginal) newspapers.	Copies for Record of Consultation
31	August 15, 2012	email and courier	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Notice of Draft Site Plan, Revised Study Area and Public Meeting.	Follow up with telephone call
32	August 22, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Confirm receipt of Notice.	Left message with J. Wager.
33	September 14, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Invite to Community Meeting on Sept 30, 2012.	Left message.
34	September 18, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Invite to Community Meeting on Sept 30, 2012.	Left message.
35	October 1, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Sorry you were unable to attend the community meeting, would you like a copy of the story boards.	Will contact J. Wager if no response.
36	October 1, 2012	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Book a meeting with NRW re: employment in November.	Emailed response.
37	October 1, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Agreed to meeting in November, request planning session first.	Emailed response.
38	October 15, 2012	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Change of time for meeting on October 19, 2012.	Can change time.
39	October 16, 2012	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Finalized meeting on October 19, 2012.	Agree to meeting format.
40	October 19, 2012	Meeting	J. Wager and R. Allan	P. Rivers, J. Young, S. Quesnelle, C. Bunn, R. Leboeur, S. Labelle, J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Update on Project, provided a hard copy of the storyboards from the Community meeting on September 20, 2012 MNO provided a copy of the latest Metis Voyageur with Lands insert and R. Allan provided a copy of storyboards from the Community meeting on Sept. 20, 2012	Plan a site tour and next meeting with the Niagara Region Metis Council and MNO.
41	October 19, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Please review and return draft minutes.	
42	October 22, 2012	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Provide copy of Minutes to Project Team.	Discuss tour with Enercon and discuss Management Plan with Project Team.
43	October 25, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Follow-up on the logistics for turbine tour.	
44	October 30, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Follow-up for tour.	
45	October 31, 2012	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	consultations@metisnation.org	Contact Enercon to confirm dates.	Send confirmation to all.

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	Metis Nation						
46	November 2, 2012	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Follow-up for tour and meeting.	
47	November 5, 2012	email	R. Allan	Enercon		Follow-up with agenda for meeting.	
48							
49	November 5, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	consultations@metisnation.org	Site Tour updates.	Confirm logistics.
50	November 6, 2012	email	Jo Anne Young	R. Allan	president@metishamilton.org	Update on logistics for site tour.	Confirm logistics.
51	November 5, 2012	email	J. Wager	Metis Presidents	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Site Tour Update.	Confirm logistics.
52	November 9, 2012	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Site Tour Budget.	Confirm budget with NRWC.
53	November 9, 2012	Meeting	R. Allan & Enercon	D. Pont, P. Rivers, J. Young, C. Bunn, R. Leboeur, J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Update on Project, schedule, issues that have arisen from the community, and draft REA reports schedule. Discussed Metis Councils request for a south west Ontario employment and contractors job fair and NRWC agreed to provide this. As well discussed MNO's participation in a adapted management plan and NRWC agreed. NRWC agreed to support local cultural activities.	Agenda attached.
54	November 9, 2012	Tour of Enercon Turbines	R. Allan & Enercon	D. Pont, P. Rivers, J. Young, C. Bunn, R. Leboeur, J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Tour of Enercon Turbines.	Discussion of how quiet and little vibrations from the turbines.
55	November 13, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Review draft Meeting Minutes.	Distribute to Project Team.
56	November 15, 2012	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Feedback on Meeting Minutes.	
57	November 16, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Distribution on draft REA Reports.	Notify Project team.
58	November 16, 2012	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Discussion of draft REA reports.	Request REA in CD's.
59	November 16, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Follow-up draft REA reports.	
60	November 20, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Edits to meeting minutes.	Notify Project team.
61	November 27, 2012	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Draft REA studies.	
62	December 4, 2012	Letter, and CD's couriered	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Couriered Draft REA Reports, Notice of Public Meetings and Project Summary Report.	
63	December 5, 2012	telephone call	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Confirmation of receipt of draft REA reports.	Confirmed by secretary.
64	December 17, 2012	Discussion	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Review of draft REA reports.	Follow-up with Project Team.
65	January 21, 2013	Meeting Aboriginal Schmoozefest	R. Allan & NRWC	Mohawk College		Participated in event for employment opportunities for aboriginal students at Mohawk college.	
66	January 22, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Metis Employment- Contractors Seminar.	Follow-up with Project Team.
67	January 23, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Invitation to NRWC Public information Meeting.	Attached notice.
68	January 30, 2103	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Invitation to NRWC Public information Meeting.	
69	February 3, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Invitation to NRWC Public information Meeting.	
70	February 6, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	MNO newsletter article on Turbine Tour.	Prepare article on turbine tours.
71	February 11, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Provided link to public information session storyboards.	
72	February 14, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Provided approved newsletter article re tour of turbines.	

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	Metis Nation						
73	March 1, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Published MNO newsletter article on Turbine Tour.	
74	March 3, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Response to published story.	
75	March 4, 2013	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Discussed Draft REA Reports, and if local Presidents want to discuss.	
76	March 18, 2013	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	No answer left message.	
77	March 22, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Education and Training (MNO) approved job fair, can we meet.	
78	March 25, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager & J. Bonin	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Can we book a meeting to discuss job fair.	
79	March 26 - March 28	emails	R. Allan	J. Wager & J. Bonin	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Booked job fair meeting for April 9, 2013.	
80	April 9, 2013	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Decided on three-prong approach to Job Fair, draft agenda and budget and next steps.	
81	April 10, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Congratulation on promotion and will draft an ad for the Job Fair.	
82	April 18, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager & J. Bonin	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Attempt to book next meeting.	
83	April 18, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Review Job Fair ad.	
84	April 24, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Meet for lunch prior to meeting.	
85	April 25, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Lets book it.	
86	April 25, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Perfect.	
87	April 27, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager & J. Bonin	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Can we change date of Job Fair?	
88	April 29, 2013	email	J. Bonin	R. Allan and J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Date change is fine for me.	
89	April 29, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager & J. Bonin	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Does that work for the MNO?	
90	April 29, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan and J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Would prefer a weekend date.	
91	April 29, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager & J. Bonin	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Works for me.	
92	April 29, 2013	email	J. Bonin	R. Allan and J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Will that work for the MNO?	
93	April 30, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan and J. Bonin	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Works for us.	
94	May 1, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan and J. Bonin	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	May 8, 2013 10:30 MNO offices.	
95	May 1, 2013	email	J. Bonin	R. Allan, J. Wager and K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Will be there.	
96	May 8, 2013	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Wager, J. Bonin & K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Discussion: should event be held on a week day or weekend, new names MNO Employment and Contractors Community Gathering, outlined budget, logistics and schedule.	
97	May 13, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager, J. Bonin & K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Please review the ad information.	
98	June 7, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan and J. Bonin	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Budget for MNO expense fees provide .	
99	June 10, 2013	email	J. Bonin	R. Allan and J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Union Gas will not pay expenses.	
100	June 17, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan and J. Bonin	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	October 28-30 are good dates and the MNO have reduced the ad price to assist the budget.	

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June 17, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager & J. Bonin	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Ok We will go with a 1/2 page ad and I will look for an venue.	
August 2, 2013	Letter	NRWC	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Leave to Construct.	
August 2, 2013	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Left message re: Leave to Construct.	
August 2, 2013	Letter	NRWC	MNO Ottawa	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Leave to Construct.	
August 16, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan, J. Wager and K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Region 9 Consultation Team recommends holding the Gathering in St. Catharines.	
August 17, 2013	telephone call	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Booked Holiday Inn in St. Catharines.	
August 30, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager & J. Bonin	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Contract from the hotel.	
August 30, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Call me.	
August 30, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	ok.	
August 30, 2013	telephone	R. Allan	J. Wager	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Catering will not let us bring in our own foods.	
August 30, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan, J. Wager and K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	October 29 is preferred date for Region 9.	
August 30, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager, J. Bonin & K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	October 29 confirmed at hotel.	
September 3, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan, J. Wager and K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Draft of ad.	
September 4, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Confirm new date.	
September 4, 2103	email	R. Allan	J. Wager, J. Bonin & K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Change date of meeting.	
September 4, 2103	email	J. Wager	R. Allan, J. Bonin and K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	next Tuesday works.	
September 4, 2103	email	R. Allan	J. Wager, J. Bonin & K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Next Tuesday confirmed.	
September 10, 2013	Meeting	R. Allan	J. Wager & K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Confirm attendance, invitations, email campaign, logistics and materials.	
September 6, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Invoicing information.	
September 16, 2013	email	A. Akoodie	R. Allan & NRWC	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Ad invoice.	
September 26, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager, J. Bonin & K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Minutes of meeting.	
October 2, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager, J. Bonin & K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	NRWC will be making table tags, please provide information.	
October 2, 2013	email	K. Honsberger	R. Allan	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Names.	
October 21, 2013	email	J. Wager	J. Wager, J. Bonin & K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org		
October 21, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager, J. Bonin & K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Do we want to order food for 100? 80? 75?	
October 21, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan, J. Bonin & K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	100!	
October 21, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Wager & K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	OK!!!!	
October 21, 2013	email	J. Wager	R. Allan, J. Bonin & K. Honsberger	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	MNO has sent out flyers, emails and newspaper. Kelly bring fiddle music.	

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Date of Correspondence	Method of Communication	From	To	Contact Information	Contents of Correspondence	Project Response
Metis Nation						
October 21, 2013	email	R. Allan	J. Bonin, K. Honsberger, N. Essop, J. Wager, MeeSun, jwang, A. Downey, L. Labrecque	Consultation Assessment Manager, JamesW@metisnation.org	Reminder of schedule.	