



Friday, June 27, 2008

To: Giant Mine Remediation Project EA Distribution List

**Re: Preparations for the July 22 & 23, 2008 scoping hearing**

In advance of the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board's July 22 and July 23, 2008 scoping hearing on the Giant Mine Remediation environmental assessment (EA), the Review Board requests that parties to the EA confirm whether they intend on making presentations at the hearing.

Parties who wish to formally present to the Review Board should indicate their intentions by July 8, 2008, by contacting Tawanis Testart at the Review Board office. The Parties should also provide Review Board staff with an estimate of how much time will be required to give their presentations. Parties who may have specific requirements, such as audio-visual equipment, for their presentations should indicate as much to Review Board staff by July 8, 2008.

Parties who intend on providing written submissions, such as summary notes or Powerpoint presentations, should ensure that they are sent to the Review Board by July 15, 2008. The submissions will subsequently be placed on the public registry.

Members of the public who are not currently registered Parties to the assessment will also be provided with an opportunity to speak before the Review Board. It is preferable that such persons identify themselves to the Review Board staff prior to the hearing in order to secure them a place on the agenda. However, time permitting, all members of the public who request to speak will receive an opportunity to do so.

All submissions, as well as any questions regarding the aforementioned matters, should be directed to me by email at [ttestart@mveirb.nt.ca](mailto:ttestart@mveirb.nt.ca), by fax at (867) 766-7074 or by telephone at (867) 766-7066.

Sincerely,

(original signed by)

Tawanis Testart