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Via email: [sao@dkfn.ca](mailto:sao@dkfn.ca)

## **RE: Pine Point Mine Project Environmental Assessment – Rescheduling a Public Scoping Meeting in Fort Resolution**

Dear Ms. Chaplin,

Review Board staff spoke with Richard Simon in your office last week about rescheduling the community scoping meeting for the environmental assessment of the Pine Point Mine Project. The April 26 letter from the Chief Louis Balsillie advises us that if an in-person meeting cannot occur then we should work together to arrange a virtual meeting.<sup>1</sup>

Richard Simon recommended that I correspond with you directly to find a date for this meeting and a way to conduct it that satisfies Covid protocols in Fort Resolution and keeps people safe.

Richard and Board staff discussed the following logistics for the community scoping meeting:

- Online public meeting – the one-day meeting will be virtual only with Review Board staff participating remotely using Zoom.
- Date – please suggest a date(s) within the following time blocks. May 25-28 or May 31 – June 4, except for June 3 which has been selected by Katl’odeeche First Nation.
- Coordinated meeting – **meeting date and time coordinated between all groups in Fort Resolution**, including Deninu Kué First Nation, Fort Resolution Metis Government and the Hamlet of Fort Resolution.
- Location – Mission Island meeting hall, and a second location at the community center in town.
- Participants – meeting hall can host up to 25 people to meet GNWT COVID restrictions. Both afternoon and evening meetings are proposed.
- Equipment – DKFN can provide some and we can also assist with providing equipment if needed.

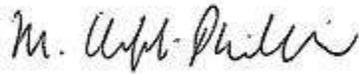
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<sup>1</sup> [Letter from DKFN Chief re of online meeting directive 26-apr-2021](#)

We have created an online poll for this meeting to select a date. The link for the poll is in the email that accompanies this letter. Please use the link to select multiple dates if possible that would work for you. The Review Board will then pick a date for the public community scoping meeting.

Please contact Chuck Hubert at 867-766-7052, or [chubert@reviewboard.ca](mailto:chubert@reviewboard.ca) if you have questions.

Sincerely,



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Cc. Richard Simon