

The following information can be placed in the public registries for the above project:

Request for additional information: email of June 22, 2016 (1 page)

Public Comments on the Environment Act Proposal: no public comments received

Technical Advisory Committee Comments on the Environment Act Proposal (11 pages):

Manitoba Sustainable Development – Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Branch, June 6, 2016

Manitoba Sustainable Development – Wildlife and Fisheries Branch, June 2, 2016

Manitoba Sustainable Development – Parks and Protected Spaces Branch, May 20, 2016

Manitoba Sustainable Development – Lands Branch, June 21, 2016

Manitoba Sustainable Development – Office of Drinking Water, May 18, 2016

Manitoba Sustainable Development – Water Use Licensing Section, May 17, 2016

Manitoba Sustainable Development – Water Control Works and Drainage Licensing Section, May 18, 2016

Manitoba Infrastructure – Highway Planning and Design Branch, Environmental Services Section, May 25, 2016

Manitoba Health, Seniors and Active Living – Environmental Health Unit, May 19, 2016

Bruce.

To: Vitt, Cory (MMG)
Subject: Municipality of Russell-Binscarth Water Treatment Plant Upgrade File: 5832.00

The preliminary review of the above project has been completed. No public comments were received on the Environment Act Proposal. Additional information is requested to address comments from the Technical Advisory Committee:

1. No biological surveys were discussed along the pipeline routes. Are there any naturally vegetated areas along any of the routes? Are any areas of tree clearing anticipated to be required for the project?
2. Were any reject water disposal options considered other than Conjuring Creek and Spear Lake?

In addition, the following items are provided for your information. No additional information is required to address these items.

Manitoba Sustainable Development – Office of Drinking Water

The owner of this system will have to apply for and get a Permit to Construct or Alter a Public Water System for the proposed work.

Manitoba Infrastructure – Highway Planning and Design Branch, Environmental Services Section

MIT has reviewed the proposal under the *Environment Act* noted above and has the following concerns/comments associated with the proposed development:

1. The proposed project may require a permit. As such, the proponent should be informed that, under the Highways Protection Act, any new, modified or relocated access connection onto a PTH will require a permit from the Highway Traffic Board for PTHs. A permit may also be required for:
 - Any construction (above or below ground level) within 38.1 m (125 ft.);
 - Any plantings within 15.2 m (50 ft) from the edge of the right of way of PTH 16 and 83; or
 - Discharge of water or other liquid materials into the ditch of PTH 16 and 83.
2. The proposed project may require a permit. As such, the proponent should be informed that, under the Highways and Transportation Act, any new, modified or relocated access connection onto a PR will require a permit from the Manitoba Infrastructure and Transportation. A permit may also be required for:
 - Any construction (above or below ground level) within 38.1 m (125 ft.);
 - Any plantings within 15.2 m (50 ft) from the edge of the right of way of PR 478 (on drawings it states 476), PR 579 and PA 668 (03668010HU); or
 - Discharge of water or other liquid materials into the ditch on PR 478, PR 579 and PA 668 (03668010HU).
3. Where the proposed water lines will be within highway right-of-way along and across PTH 16, PTH 83, PR 478, PR 579 and PA 668 (03668010HU) an underground utility agreement will be required.

From: Lavallee, Nicole (CWS)

Sent: June-06-16 3:16 PM

BW

To: Webb, Bruce (CWS)

Subject: FW: Request for review/comment - Mun. Russell-Binscarth Water Treatment Plant EAP - File: 5832.00

Hi Bruce,

I have reviewed this proposal and don't see any red flags for ECE.

Thank you,

Nicole Lavallee, Environment Officer
Manitoba Sustainable Development
Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Branch
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From: Kiss, Brian (CWS)

Sent: June-02-16 11:24 AM

BW

To: Webb, Bruce (CWS)


Subject: RE: Request for review/comment - Mun. Russell-Binscarth Water Treatment Plant EAP - File: 5832.00

No wildlife related concerns.

-Brian Kiss

From: +WPG1212 - Parks Circulars (CWS)

Sent: May-20-16 10:34 AM

To: Webb, Bruce (CWS) 

Subject: RE: Request for review/comment - Mun. Russell-Binscarth Water Treatment Plant EAP - File: 5832.00

Parks and Protected Spaces Branch has reviewed the proposal submitted pursuant to *The Environment Act* for Request for review/comment - Mun. Russell-Binscarth Water Treatment Plant EAP - File: 5832.00. The Branch has no comments or concerns to offer.

From: +WPG1212 - Conservation_Circulars (CWS)

Sent: June-21-16 1:32 PM

To: Webb, Bruce (CWS) *BW*

Subject: Request for review/comment - Mun. Russell-Binscarth Water Treatment Plant EAP - File: 5832.00

Hi Bruce,


I am re-directing Myles' comments to EAP File 5832.00 to you.

Kind regards

Winifred Frias

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From: Kopytko, Myles (CWS)

Sent: June-21-16 11:24 AM

To: +WPG1212 - Conservation_Circulars (CWS)

Subject: FW: Request for review/comment - Mun. Russell-Binscarth Water Treatment Plant EAP - File: 5832.00 Due Date June 15, 2016

To whom it may concern:

Review of the proposal that the Proposal is for the development of new water treatment for the communities of Russell and Binscarth. Comments from the IRMT with regard to the proposal are as follows:

- It is noted that there is no biological survey completed for the study area and no justification has been provided to indicate why it has not been done. It is recommended that a survey of vegetation, and breeding bird surveys

option for the mine.

- Was there consideration to other methods of disposal for reject material to accommodate water treatment. IRMT has asked why consideration was given to Spear Lake only, and not other nearby lakes like Moon and Lauder.
- There is no mention of what the accumulated volumes or identified types of minerals anticipated from the reject pipeline into Spear Lake.
- Within the section of Mitigation Measure and Residual Environmental Effects, it is noted that there is no discussion about the long-term implications to the fish or their flesh as to exposure to the accumulated levels of iron, arsenic, and magnesium (elements identified bases on current water chemistry). IRMT would like to ask if that can be provided.

Thank you, and if you require any clarification on these, please don't hesitate to call me.

Sincerely,
Myles Kopytko
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To: Webb, Bruce (CWS) *UVV*
Subject: Re: 5832.00 R.M. of Russell Binsgarth WTP Expansion and Upgrades, EAP

Hello, Bruce,

The Owner for this system will have to apply for and get a Permit to Construct or Alter a Public Water System for the proposed work. Apart from this, ODW has no further concerns respecting drinking water quality or safety with this EAP.

If you have any questions, please call.

Regards,

James Stibbard P. Eng.

Approvals Engineer

Office of Drinking Water

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From: Matthews, Rob (CWS)

Sent: May-17-16 9:12 PM

To: Webb, Bruce (CWS)

Cc: McCombe, Christopher (CWS); Miranda, Ronaldo (CWS); Thibert, Lorraine (CWS); Toma, Bob (CWS); Fisher, Amanda (CWS)

Subject: RE: Request for review/comment - Mun. Russell-Binscarth Water Treatment Plant EAP - File: 5832.00

Bruce,

The last sentence of Section 1.2.5 needs some attention:

“A new Water Rights License will be applied the new raw water supply system.”

As they have complied with our process, the WULS has no concerns with this project.

Rob Matthews, Manager, WULS, SD.

To: Webb, Bruce (CWS) ✓✓
Subject: Request for review/comment - Mun. Russell-Binscarth Water Treatment Plant EAP - File: 5832.00

On behalf of the *Water Control Works and Drainage Licensing Section*, there are no concerns.

Dan Roberts

Water Resource Officer

Water Control Works and Drainage Licensing Section

Department of Sustainable Development

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May 25, 2016

BW
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Director, Environmental Approvals Branch
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RE: Municipality of Russell-Binscarth Water Treatment Plant
Client File No. 5832.00

Dear Ms. Braun:

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agreements will be required.
Permit applications and underground agreements can be obtained by contacting Ashley Beck at the Brandon Office (204) 726-7000 or by email. Ashley.Beck@gov.mb.ca

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Coulter", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Ryan Coulter, M. Sc., P. Eng.
Manager of Environmental Services

From: Frykoda, Amy (HHLS)

Sent: May-19-16 10:03 AM

To: Webb, Bruce (CWS)

Subject: FW: Request for review/comment - Mun. Russell-Binscarth Water Treatment Plant EAP - File: 5832.00

BW

No further comments from myself,

Dr. Amy Frykoda, MD, CCFP, MSc

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