

Appendix F-7-2

Indigenous Communities and Organizations

Notice of Commencement



Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Notice of Commencement - Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility

1 message

Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Tue, Sep 19, 2023 at 1:14 PM

To: hwilson@alderville.ca

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com, amcleod@cityofkingston.ca

Good Afternoon Hope,

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Kind Regards,

Avid Banihashemi
Environmental Assessment Lead

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Tue, Sep 19, 2023 at 1:14 PM

To: tsimpson@alderville.ca

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com, amcleod@cityofkingston.ca

Good Afternoon Chief Taynar,

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Subject: Kingston Regional Biosolids Biogas Facility



Julie Kapyrka <jkapyrka@alderville.ca>
to: Scandan, Lauren, UKBiogasFacility@dillon.ca, Taylor Simpson, Carrie Wilson

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Aarin Lauren and Betsy,

Please find attached correspondence.

Migwen,
All the best,

Dr. Julie Kapyrka
Consultation Coordinator



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VIA E-MAIL

October 23, 2023

Lauren Scanlan, M.A.Sc., P. Eng
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Betsy Varghese, P. Eng.
Partner, Dillon Consulting Ltd.
UKBiogasFacility@Dillon.ca
416-229-4647, ext. 2326

Dear Ms. Scanlan and Ms. Varghese,

RE: Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility

I would like to acknowledge receipt of your correspondence, which was received September 19, 2023, regarding the above noted project.

As you may be aware, the area in which your project is proposed is situated within the Traditional Territory of Alderville First Nation. Our First Nation's Territory is incorporated within the Williams Treaties Territory and was the subject of a claim under Canada's Specific Claims Policy, which has now been settled. All 7 First Nations within the Williams Treaties have had their harvesting rights legally re-affirmed and recognized through this settlement.

In addition to Aboriginal title, Alderville First Nation rights in its Reserve and Traditional Territory and/or Treaty Territory include rights to hunt, fish and trap, to harvest plants for food and medicine, to protect and honour burial sites and other significant sites, to sustain and strengthen its spiritual and cultural connection to the land, to protect the Environment that supports its survival, to govern itself, sustain itself and prosper including deriving revenues from its lands and resources, and to participate in all governance and operational decisions about how the land and resources will be managed, used and protected.

Alderville First Nation is requiring a File Fee for this project in the amount of \$300.00. This Fee includes administration, an initial meeting, project updates as well as review of standard material and project overviews. Depending on the number of documents to be reviewed by the Consultation Department, additional fees may apply. **Please make this payment to Alderville First Nation and please indicate the project name or number on the cheque.**

Proudly working together to build a prosperous and healthy environment that promotes independence, honours and respects our values, and enhances our way of life.

If you do not have a copy of Alderville First Nation's Consultation Protocol, it is available at: alderville.ca/wp-content/uploads/2017/02/AFNProtocol2.pdf. Please note that the mapping in this document needs updating to reflect the Williams Treaties First Nations Settlement Agreement 2018.

In order to assist us in providing you with timely input, please provide us with a Notice of Request to Consult containing relevant information and material facts in sufficient form and detail to assist Alderville First Nation to understand the matter in order to prepare a meaningful response. Guidance for giving notice can be found on pages 11-12 of our Consultation Protocol. Based on the information that you have provided us with respect to the notice of the **Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility**, Alderville First Nation may require a mutual agreement to establish a special consultation process for this project. After the information is reviewed it is expected that you or a representative will be in contact to discuss this matter in more detail and possibly set up a date and time to meet with Alderville First Nation in person.

Although we have not conducted exhaustive research nor do we have the resources to do so, there may be the presence of burial or archaeological sites in your proposed project area. Please note, that we have particular concern for the remains of our ancestors. Should excavation unearth bones, remains, or other such evidence of a native burial site or any other archaeological findings, we must be notified without delay. In the case of a burial site, Council reminds you of your obligations under the *Cemeteries Act* to notify the nearest First Nation Government or other community of Aboriginal people which is willing to act as a representative and whose members have a close cultural affinity to the interred person. As I am sure you are aware, the regulations further state that the representative is needed before the remains and associated artifacts can be removed. Should such a find occur, we request that you contact our First Nation immediately.

Furthermore, Alderville First Nation also has available, trained Archaeological Liaisons who can actively participate in the archaeological assessment process as a member of a field crew, the cost of which will be borne by the proponent. Alderville First Nation expects engagement at Stage 1 of an archaeological assessment, so that we may include Indigenous Knowledge of the land in the process. We insist that at least one of our Archaeological Liaisons be involved in any Stage 2-4 assessments, including test pitting, and/or pedestrian surveys to full excavation.

Although we may not always have representation at all stakeholders' and rights holders' meetings, it is our wish to be kept apprised throughout all phases of this project.

Should you have further questions or if you wish to hire a liaison for a project, please feel free to contact Julie Kapyrka, Consultation Coordinator, at 905-352-2662 or via email at jkapyrka@alderville.ca.

Yours sincerely,



Chief Taynar Simpson
Alderville First Nation



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Tue, Sep 19, 2023 at 1:14 PM

To: natalie.jacobs@akwesasne.ca

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com, amcleod@cityofkingston.ca, curtis.lazore@akwesasne.ca, bhill@mohawknation.org

Good Afternoon Natalie,

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Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Mon, Nov 6, 2023 at 10:51 AM

To: grand.chief@akwasasne.ca

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com, amcleod@cityofkingston.ca, mike.mccready@araheritage.ca, bhill@mohawknation.org, natalie.jacobs@akwasasne.ca, curtis.lazore@akwasasne.ca, megan.devries@araheritage.ca

Dear Grand Chief Abram Benedict,

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Warm regards,

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Environmental Assessment Lead

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Mon, Nov 6, 2023 at 1:34 PM

To: "Meness, Jim (Algonquins Of Ontario)" <jmeness@tanakiwin.com>

Cc: "Knight, Melissa (Algonquins Of Ontario)" <mknight@tanakiwin.com>, Algonquins of Ontario Consultation Office <algonquins@tanakiwin.com>, Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, "Scanlan, Lauren" <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>, megan.devries@araheritage.ca

Thank you Jim for your prompt response! Sure, we will notify you if anything of cultural significance is discovered.

Warm regards,
Avid

On Mon, Nov 6, 2023 at 1:27 PM Meness, Jim (Algonquins Of Ontario) <jmeness@tanakiwin.com> wrote:

Greetings Avid

Thank you for the notification of your upcoming stage 2 archeological assessment fieldwork that is to be conducted for the proposed Kingston Regional Biosolids and Biogas facility. The proposed project is located outside of the Algonquins Traditional Territory. We will not be participating in the assessment but would like to be notified if anything of cultural significance is discovered. With this project being so closely situated to the Algonquin territory there may be some overlapping interest.

Regards

Jim Meness

Executive Director

Algonquins of Ontario Consultation Office

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From: abanihashemi@dillon.ca <abanihashemi@dillon.ca> **On Behalf Of** Facility, UK Biogas
Sent: Monday, November 6, 2023 11:53 AM
To: Meness, Jim (Algonquins Of Ontario) <jmeness@tanakiwin.com>
Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>; lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com; amcleod@cityofkingston.ca; Algonquins of Ontario Consultation Office <algonquins@tanakiwin.com>; mike.mccready@araheritage.ca; megan.devries@araheritage.ca
Subject: Re: Notice of Commencement - Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility

Dear Mr. Jim Meness,

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Tue, Sep 19, 2023 at 1:14 PM

To: JulieK@curvelake.ca

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com, amcleod@cityofkingston.ca, katieyh@curvelake.ca

Good Afternoon Julie,

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Mon, Nov 6, 2023 at 1:33 PM

To: ShannonD@curvelake.ca

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, "Scanlan, Lauren" <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>, Elizabeth Wittmann <ewittmann@dillon.ca>, megan.devries@araheritage.ca

Hello Shannon,

We heard back from Audrey that she has moved on from her position to another role. Kindly please see the email (and the attachment) below regarding the upcoming Stage 2 Archaeological Assessment fieldwork.

Thank you,

Warm regards,
Avid

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From: Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Date: Mon, Nov 6, 2023 at 11:51 AM

Subject: Re: Notice of Commencement - Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility

To: <keithk@curvelake.ca>

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>, <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>, <audreyp@curvelake.ca>, <JulieK@curvelake.ca>, <megan.devries@araheritage.ca>

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Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Thu, Nov 9, 2023 at 9:17 AM

To: kaitlinh@curvelake.ca

Cc: "Scanlan, Lauren" <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>, Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>

Hi Kaitlin,

We were advised that Julie is no longer working as a consultation liaison with Curve Lake First Nation and that you would be an appropriate alternative contact. Kindly please see the email (and the attachment) below regarding the upcoming Stage 2 Archaeological Assessment fieldwork.

Thank you,
Elizabeth Wittmann

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Tue, Sep 19, 2023 at 1:14 PM

To: consultation@mbq-tmt.org

Cc: lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com, Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, amcleod@cityofkingston.ca, cao@mbq-tmt.org, toddk@mbq-tmt.org

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Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Mon, Nov 6, 2023 at 10:51 AM

To: rdonm@mbq-tmt.org

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Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Mon, Nov 6, 2023 at 10:52 AM

To: orihwa@gmail.com

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Tue, Sep 19, 2023 at 1:14 PM

To: consultation@pikwakanagan.ca

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Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Mon, Nov 6, 2023 at 11:29 AM

To: consultation@scugogfirstnation.com

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com, amcleod@cityofkingston.ca, info@scugogfirstnation.com, mike.mccready@araheritage.ca, megan.devries@araheritage.ca

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Mon, Nov 6, 2023 at 10:51 AM

To: chiefdoreendavis@gmail.com

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Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Tue, Sep 19, 2023 at 1:14 PM

To: lonnybomberry@sixnations.ca

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com, amcleod@cityofkingston.ca

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Mon, Nov 6, 2023 at 10:52 AM

To: markhill@sixnations.ca

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To: inquiries@williamstreatiesfirstnations.ca

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Mon, Nov 6, 2023 at 11:17 AM

To: chiefcarr@hiawathafn.ca

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Fwd: Notice of Commencement - Kingston Regional Bio solids & Biogas Facility

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Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Wed, Nov 8, 2023 at 3:22 PM

To: sdavison@hiawathafn.ca

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, "Scanlan, Lauren" <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>

Hi Sean,

As discussed, please see below for information on the Notice of Commencement. I will also forward you the email sent earlier this week about the Stage 2 Archaeological Assessment field work.

Thank you,
Elizabeth Wittmann

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Date: Wed, Oct 4, 2023 at 4:13 PM

Subject: Re: Notice of Commencement - Kingston Regional Bio solids & Biogas Facility

To: Tom Cowie <tcowie@hiawathafn.ca>

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>

Thank you Tom! The project team will keep you updated on the EA as the study progresses.

Kind regards,
Avid

On Wed, Oct 4, 2023 at 3:53 PM Tom Cowie <tcowie@hiawathafn.ca> wrote:

Aaniin Avid,

Chi miigwech for the update on the bio solid and biogas facility. At this moment we have no questions or concerns. If any should arise we will not hesitate to contact your office. Have a great week.

Gichi manaadendamowin

Tom Cowie

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Lands/Resources Consultation

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From: ewittmann@dillon.ca <ewittmann@dillon.ca> **On Behalf Of** Facility, UK Biogas

Sent: Wednesday, October 4, 2023 2:35 PM

To: Tom Cowie <tcowie@hiawathafn.ca>

Cc: Chief Laurie Carr <chiefcarr@hiawathafn.ca>; Sean Davison <sdavison@hiawathafn.ca>; Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>; lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com; amcleod@cityofkingston.ca

Subject: Notice of Commencement - Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility

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Avid Banihashemi

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Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Wed, Nov 8, 2023 at 2:24 PM

To: sdavison@hiawathafn.ca

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, "Scanlan, Lauren" <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>

Hi Sean,

Please see below for information on the upcoming Stage 2 Archaeological Assessment fieldwork.

Thank you,
Elizabeth Wittmann

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From: Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Date: Mon, Nov 6, 2023 at 12:17 PM

Subject: Re: Notice of Commencement - Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility

To: <chiefcarr@hiawathafn.ca>

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>, <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>, <info@hiawathafn.ca>, <mike.mccready@araheritage.ca>, <megan.devries@araheritage.ca>

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Warm regards,

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Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Wed, Nov 8, 2023 at 2:53 PM

To: kawarthanishnawbecouncil@outlook.com

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com, amcleod@cityofkingston.ca, mike.mccready@araheritage.ca, megan.devries@araheritage.ca

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Fwd: Kingston Biosolids and Biogas Facility Consultation Opportunity

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Wittmann, Elizabeth <ewittmann@dillon.ca>
To: UK Biogas Facility <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Thu, Nov 9, 2023 at 2:29 PM

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From: **Banihashemi, Avid** <abanihashemi@dillon.ca>
Date: Thu, Nov 9, 2023 at 3:21 PM
Subject: Fwd: Kingston Biosolids and Biogas Facility Consultation Opportunity
To: Elizabeth Wittmann <ewittmann@dillon.ca>

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From: **Scanlan, Lauren** <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>
Date: Thu, Nov 9, 2023 at 3:05 PM
Subject: RE: Kingston Biosolids and Biogas Facility Consultation Opportunity
To: Thieffaine Terrier <Thieffaine.Terrier@wendake.ca>
Cc: McLeod, Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>, Mario Gros Louis <Mario.GrosLouis@wendake.ca>, Roberts, Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>, Lori-Jeanne Bolduc <Lori-Jeanne.Bolduc@wendake.ca>, Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, Dominic Ste-Marie <Dominic.Sainte-Marie@wendake.ca>, Avid Banihashemi <abanihashemi@dillon.ca>, Mike McCready <mike.mccready@araheritage.ca>, megan.devries@araheritage.ca <megan.devries@araheritage.ca>

Hello again Thieffaine,

Just following up to confirm that you received my e-mail below last week? Please note that we have pushed the field work schedule to the week of **Nov 20**. Please give me a call if you, or someone from your group would like to discuss participating. Alternatively, we can keep you informed of any findings and can pass along draft reporting for your information and review if desired.

Thank you,

Lauren.



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From: Scanlan, Lauren

Sent: Thursday, November 2, 2023 1:38 PM

To: Thiefaïne Terrier <Thiefaïne.Terrier@wendake.ca>

Cc: McLeod, Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>; Mario Gros Louis <Mario.GrosLouis@wendake.ca>; Roberts, Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>; Lori-Jeanne Bolduc <Lori-Jeanne.Bolduc@wendake.ca>; Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca>; Dominic Ste-Marie <Dominic.Sainte-Marie@wendake.ca>; Avid Banihashemi <abanihashemi@dillon.ca>; Mike McCready <mike.mccready@ar heritage.ca>; megan.devries@ar heritage.ca

Subject: RE: Kingston Biosolids and Biogas Facility Consultation Opportunity

Hi Thiefaïne,

Apologies for the delay in reaching out. Referring to our correspondence below, our archaeological team is hoping to get out to site before the ground freezes to undertake the Stage 2 Archaeological work for the Knox Farm property in Kingston – as early as the week of **November 13** if possible.

Are you available for a quick call tomorrow to discuss your availability, interest and costs to attend at some point during that week?

Thank you,

Lauren.



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From: Scanlan, Lauren
Sent: Friday, September 1, 2023 8:45 AM
To: Dominic Ste-Marie <Dominic.Sainte-Marie@wendake.ca>
Cc: McLeod, Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>; Mario Gros Louis <Mario.GrosLouis@wendake.ca>; Roberts, Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>; Lori-Jeanne Bolduc <Lori-Jeanne.Bolduc@wendake.ca>; Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca>; Thiefaine Terrier <Thiefaine.Terrier@wendake.ca>
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Hello Dominic,

Thank you very much for following up. Our consulting team will reach out to Thiéfaine when the schedule is firmed up for the fall.

Kind Regards,

Lauren.



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From: Dominic Ste-Marie <Dominic.Sainte-Marie@wendake.ca>
Sent: Wednesday, August 30, 2023 3:12 PM
To: Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>
Cc: McLeod, Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>; Mario Gros Louis <Mario.GrosLouis@wendake.ca>; Roberts, Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>; Lori-Jeanne Bolduc <Lori-Jeanne.Bolduc@wendake.ca>; Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca>; Thieffaine Terrier <Thieffaine.Terrier@wendake.ca>
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Kwe Lauren,

Since fall is now soon approaching, I would like to e-introduce you to Thiéffaine who is our archeologist and should be your point of contact once we know when the archology is supposed to take place to send our archaeological monitors.

Tiawenhk chia' õnenh

Dominic Ste-Marie



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Courriel : dominic.ste-marie@wendake.ca

ATTENTION: Any new consultation from Ontario must be sent to Mario Gros-Louis (mario.groslois@wendake.ca), Lori-Jeanne Bolduc (lori-jeanne.bolduc@wendake.ca), Naomi Leduc (Naomi.Leduc@wendake.ca) and Dominic Ste-Marie (dominic.ste-marie@wendake.ca).

For inquiries relating specifically to archaeology (fieldwork planning, monitoring, reports review, etc.), please contact Thieffaine Terrier (thieffaine.terrier@wendake.ca), Isabelle Lechasseur (Isabelle.Lechasseur@wendake.ca) and Jean-François Richard (jean-francois.richard@wendake.ca).

De : Scanlan, Lauren <iscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>

Envoyé : 24 juillet 2023 12:00

À : Naomi Leduc <Naomi.Leduc@wendake.ca>

Cc : Administration <Administration@wendake.ca>; Dominic Ste-Marie <Dominic.Sainte-Marie@wendake.ca>; McLeod, Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>; Mario Gros Louis <Mario.GrosLouis@wendake.ca>; Roberts, Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>; Lori-Jeanne Bolduc <Lori-Jeanne.Bolduc@wendake.ca>; Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca>

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Good Morning Naomi,

I hope this note finds you well. My apologies for not following up on this email train sooner, but I wanted to give you a bit of an update on the project discussed below. We are at a point where our archaeology consultant is planning to file the Stage 1 archaeology report for the Knox Farm property with the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks in the next couple of weeks. Please let me know if your group is intending to review and whether that timeline is sufficient. As noted below, we welcome your participation at this and future stages.

Please also note that we are currently advancing the project and do intend to undertake a Stage 2 assessment within some extents of the property in the fall. Noting your interest in participating in this stage, please let me know how best to discuss the scope of your participation. I'm happy to set up a meeting to discuss this with you later in August.

Kind Regards,

Lauren.



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From: Scanlan,Lauren
Sent: Monday, April 17, 2023 10:40 AM
To: Naomi Leduc <Naomi.Leduc@wendake.ca>
Cc: Administration <Administration@wendake.ca>; Dominic Ste-Marie <Dominic.Sainte-Marie@wendake.ca>; McLeod,Alan <arncleod@cityofkingston.ca>; Mario Gros Louis <Mario.GrosLouis@wendake.ca>; Roberts,Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>; Lori-Jeanne Bolduc <Lori-Jeanne.Bolduc@wendake.ca>; Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca>
Subject: RE: Kingston Biosolids and Biogas Facility Consultation Opportunity

Good Morning Naomi,

Apologies for the late reply as we had a team member on holidays last week. I am the project manager for Utilities Kingston, so thought I would reply directly.

Utilities Kingston would be happy to support your review of the Stage 1 assessment up to around \$800. Would that be sufficient for your needs?

Please note that we haven't procured the services associated with the Stage 2 assessment, so propose to defer that conversation until that work is planned.

Thank you,

Lauren.



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From: Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca>
Sent: 12 April 2023 8:21 AM
To: Naomi Leduc <Naomi.Leduc@wendake.ca>
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Good morning,

Thank you for your email. We will discuss and get back to you next week.

Many thanks for your interest,

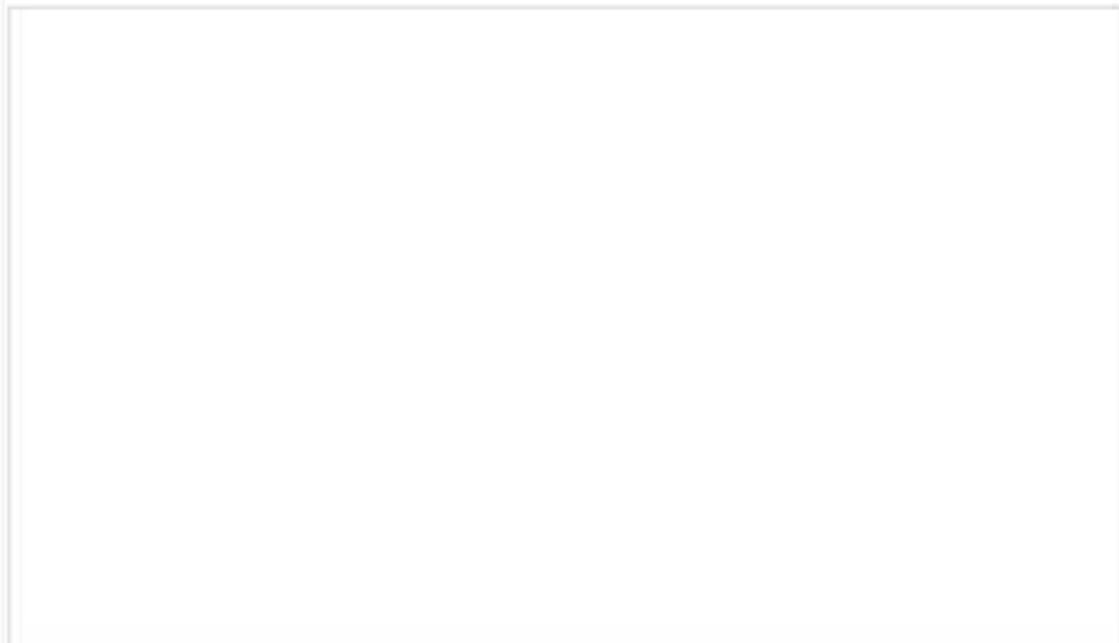
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On Tue, Apr 11, 2023, 1:12 PM Naomi Leduc <Naomi.Leduc@wendake.ca> wrote:

Kwe Betsy,

Is there funding available for the Huron-Wendat Nation to be involved in the review of the Stage 1 and participating in the stage 2 archeological assessment ?

Tiawenhk inenh chia' entio'



De : Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca>

Envoyé : 6 avril 2023 08:30

À : Naomi Leduc <Naomi.Leduc@wendake.ca>; Administration <Administration@wendake.ca>

Cc : Dominic Ste-Marie <Dominic.Sainte-Marie@wendake.ca>; McLeod, Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>; Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>; Mario Gros Louis <Mario.GrosLouis@wendake.ca>; Roberts, Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>; Lori-Jeanne Bolduc <Lori-Jeanne.Bolduc@wendake.ca>

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Good morning Naomi,

Please find the draft Stage 1 Archaeology Assessment Report attached for your review. Once you have reviewed, we will update and finalize before submitting to the Ministry. Should the project proceed to the next stage, we would welcome participation in the Stage 2 assessment.

I will follow up in two weeks to check in on the review process.

Many thanks,

Betsy



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Tue, Sep 19, 2023 at 1:14 PM

To: naomi.leduc@wendake.ca

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Wittmann, Elizabeth <ewittmann@dillon.ca>
 To: UK Biogas Facility <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>
 Cc: Avid Banihashemi <abanihashemi@dillon.ca>

Wed, Oct 11, 2023 at 11:30 AM

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From: **consultations** <consultations@wendake.ca>
 Date: Wed, Oct 11, 2023 at 11:27 AM
 Subject: TR: Notice of Commencement - Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility
 To: ewittmann@dillon.ca <ewittmann@dillon.ca>

Good morning,

Thank you for your email. Please note that we have updated our way of processing consultations. Any new consultation or project notice must be sent to the following email address: consultations@wendake.ca.

Could you please let us know if any archaeological studies or fieldwork will be necessary as part of this project?

Tiawenhk,

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De : ewittmann@dillon.ca <ewittmann@dillon.ca> **De la part de** Facility, UK Biogas
Envoyé : 19 septembre 2023 14:15
À : Administration <Administration@wendake.ca>
Cc : Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>; lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com; amcleod@cityofkingston.ca
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On Tue, Mar 14, 2023 at 7:14 PM Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca> wrote:

Dear Naomi,

We would like to inform you of an upcoming Public Drop In Session for the proposed Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility to be held on Tuesday, March 28 from 4 to 8 pm. Please find the Notice attached with more information and our initial email below.

We have included additional contacts in this email that we found online.

As we have continued on with this project, we will send through the draft Stage 1 Archaeology Assessment Report shortly.

Thank you,

Betsy



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On Tue, Dec 20, 2022 at 5:50 PM Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca> wrote:

Hi Naomi,

Thank you very much for your email and interest in the project. I have included Alan McLeod from the City of Kingston, Lauren Scanlan from Utilities Kingston and Mike McCready from ARA Heritage in this email as well.

The draft Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment report is currently being reviewed by Utilities Kingston and the City of Kingston. We expect to receive comments in early January. We would be happy to share the revised draft Stage 1 report afterwards.

We are in the midst of confirming the next steps of the project and should we proceed, we would welcome Huron-wendat Nation's participation in future work.

Many thanks,

Betsy



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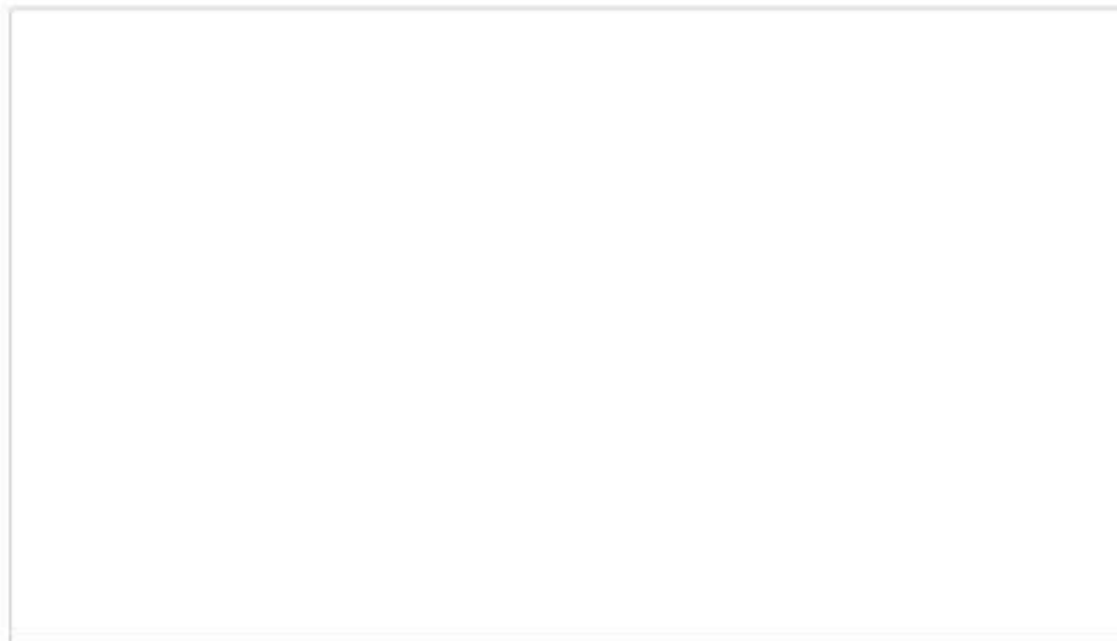


On Fri, Dec 16, 2022 at 8:59 AM Naomi Leduc <Naomi.Leduc@wendake.ca> wrote:

Kwe Betsy,

Thank you for your email and informing us about the Kingston Biosolids and Biogas Facility Project. We are indeed interested in participating in every stage of the Archeological Assessment, whether it be to review the reports or sending a field representative for the Huron-wendat Nation. Can you tell us when is the Archeological Assessment scheduled to begin?

Tiawenhk inenh chia' entio'



De : Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca>

Envoyé : 28 novembre 2022 18:03

À : Mario Gros Louis <Mario.GrosLouis@wendake.ca>; Lori-Jeanne Bolduc <Lori-Jeanne.Bolduc@wendake.ca>

Cc : McLeod, Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>; Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>

Objet : Kingston Biosolids and Biogas Facility Consultation Opportunity

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Dear Ontario Consultation Team,

We received your contact information through Alan McLeod from the City of Kingston (cc'd on this email).

This email serves as a brief notification from Utilities Kingston of a project called the Kingston Regional Biosolids and Biogas Facility Municipal Class Environmental Assessment. You are being contacted as part of our municipal Indigenous consultation process which Utilities Kingston and the City of Kingston undertakes both under their obligations as well as their community interest in strengthening relations with Indigenous communities. After you have reviewed this email please feel free to contact me or our team members listed at the end of this email if you would like to receive more information. If you prefer a hard copy of any project information mailed to you, please let us know so that we can prepare and send it to you.

Utilities Kingston manages the water and wastewater infrastructure for the City of Kingston. As part of those duties, Utilities Kingston undertakes long range planning and studies to provide the community with continuous, safe and reliable services. Utilities Kingston is now in the early stages of this study which will assess the environmental, technical and financial feasibility of developing the City-owned Knox Farm property with a biosolids/biogas facility. The Knox Farm property is 73.42 ha (181.44 ac) in size and is located to the north of Highway 401 in the central area of the municipality as can be seen on the map provided. The specific location of the facility is targeting a 9 ha, previously cleared parcel of the property next to the City's snow dump facility (shown as a red hatched area in the attached map). If approved in the future, such a facility would play a key role in the community's enhanced management of the settled organic solid material from wastewater treatment processes, as well as the City's management of residential green bin organics.

The overall study is in the form of an Environmental Assessment (EA) and includes a number of areas of research. Utilities Kingston has hired Dillon Consulting Limited to lead the EA process which is expected to continue into 2023. As part of the EA study team, Archaeological Research Associates Ltd. will be preparing two assignments: (i) a Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment and (ii) a Cultural Heritage Assessment Report. A Stage 1 Archaeological Assessment describes the archaeology, history, geography, and current land conditions in the area including known archaeological sites.

Recommendations related to further possible archaeological requirements will also be identified through that work. The goal of the Cultural Heritage Assessment Report is to map all cultural heritage resources within the study area which may be affected by the project. Any mitigation measures that the project should adopt to protect those cultural heritage resources will be described along with recommendations, if any, for further studies.

If the Huron-Wendat Nation wishes to participate in a consultation on the archaeological, cultural or any other aspects of the project we would be happy to discuss what interests you may have and how we can assist. For more information related to this project, please go to the project's website at:

<https://utilitieskingston.com/Projects/Detail/RegionalBiosolidsBiogasFacility>.

You may also reach out to the following contacts:

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- Alan McLeod, City of Kingston - amcleod@cityofkingston.ca
- Lauren Scanlan, Utilities Kingston - lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com

Thank you,

Betsy



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Notice of Public Information Centre



Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

RE: Notice of Public Information Centre – Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility

1 message

Tom Cowie <tcowie@hiawathafn.ca>

Wed, Mar 13, 2024 at 8:11 AM

To: "Facility, UK Biogas" <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>, Chief Laurie Carr <chiefcarr@hiawathafn.ca>

Cc: Sean Davison <sdavison@hiawathafn.ca>, "Scanlan, Lauren" <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>, Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, "amcleod@cityofkingston.ca" <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>

Aaniin Avid,

Chi miigwech for the update and invitation to the PIC. Have a great week.

Gichi manaadendamowin

Tom Cowie

Tom Cowie

Lands/Resources Consultation

Hiawatha First Nation

431 Hiawatha Line,

Hiawatha, On

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We, the Michi Saagig of Hiawatha First Nation, are a vibrant, proud, independent and healthy people balanced in the richness of our culture and traditional way of life.

From: ewittmann@dillon.ca <ewittmann@dillon.ca> **On Behalf Of** Facility, UK Biogas
Sent: Tuesday, March 12, 2024 2:42 PM
To: Chief Laurie Carr <chiefcarr@hiawathafn.ca>
Cc: Tom Cowie <tcowie@hiawathafn.ca>; Sean Davison <sdavison@hiawathafn.ca>; Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>; Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>; amcleod@cityofkingston.ca
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1 message

Doreen Davis <shabotobaadjiwan@gmail.com>
To: "Facility, UK Biogas" <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Tue, Mar 19, 2024 at 11:57 AM

Kwey
Miigwetch for the update
Connie Deroneth
Community Outreach Coordinator
Shabot Obaadjiwan First Nation

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Re: Notice of Public Information Centre – Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility

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Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Mon, Mar 25, 2024 at 1:33 PM

To: grand.chief@akwesasne.ca

Cc: natalie.jacobs@akwesasne.ca, curtis.lazore@akwesasne.ca, charmaine.david@akwesasne.ca, "Scanlan, Lauren" <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>, Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, amcleod@cityofkingston.ca

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Mon, Mar 25, 2024 at 1:36 PM

To: "Meness, Jim (Algonquins Of Ontario)" <jmeness@tanakiwin.com>

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To: kawarthanishnawbecouncil@outlook.com

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RE: Notice of Public Information Centre – Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility

1 message

Marie-Sophie Gendron <Marie-Sophie.Gendron@wendake.ca>

Thu, Apr 4, 2024 at 3:41 PM

To: "Facility, UK Biogas" <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Cc: Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, "Scanlan, Lauren" <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>, "amcleod@cityofkingston.ca" <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>

Kwe Avid,

Thank you for your email. Please send me the Stage 2 AA report once it is ready to be review.

Önenh,

Marie-Sophie



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De : abanihashemi@dillon.ca <abanihashemi@dillon.ca> **De la part de** Facility, UK Biogas
Envoyé : 4 avril 2024 10:23
À : consultations <consultations@wendake.ca>
Cc : Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>; Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>; amcleod@cityofkingston.ca
Objet : Fwd: Notice of Public Information Centre – Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility

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Date: Thu, Apr 4, 2024 at 10:16 AM
Subject: Re: Notice of Public Information Centre – Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility
To: Dominic Ste-Marie <DominiC.Sainte-Marie@wendake.ca>
Cc: Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>, Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, McLeod, Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>, Mario Gros Louis <Mario.GrosLouis@wendake.ca>, Lori-Jeanne Bolduc <Lori-Jeanne.Bolduc@wendake.ca>

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De : ewittmann@dillon.ca <ewittmann@dillon.ca> **De la part de** Facility, UK Biogas

Envoyé : 12 mars 2024 14:40

À : consultations <consultations@wendake.ca>

Cc : Thiefaine Terrier <Thiefaine.Terrier@wendake.ca>; Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>; Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>; amcleod@cityofkingston.ca

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Mon, Apr 15, 2024 at 12:55 PM

To: "Facility, UK Biogas" <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Cc: "Scanlan, Lauren" <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>, Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, "McLeod, Alan" <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>

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Onen,

Marie-Sophie

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De : abanhashemi@dillon.ca <abanhashemi@dillon.ca> **De la part de** Facility, UK Biogas

Envoyé : 11 avril 2024 16:31

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Re: Kingston Regional Biosolids Biogas Facility

1 message

Roberts, Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>

Thu, Jun 13, 2024 at 6:44 PM

To: Julie Kapyrka <jkapyrka@alderville.ca>

Cc: "UKBiogasFacility@Dillon.ca" <UKBiogasFacility@dillon.ca>, "McLeod, Alan" <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>, Avid Banihashemi <abanihashemi@dillon.ca>, "MacLatchy, Paul" <PMacLatchy@cityofkingston.ca>, "Varghese, Betsy" <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, "Scanlan, Lauren" <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>

Dear Dr. Kapyrka,

Thank you for your email below, and I apologize for the delay. Thank you for confirming that retaining your narrative as part of our records for sharing with our staff as information, as well as for consideration for Utilities Kingston's work going forward, is the right thing to do.

With regards to your question, Utilities Kingston's land acknowledgement was finalized in May 2023. The acknowledgment was prepared by senior UK staff before being reviewed with the Board of Director. The same group will be reviewing and considering revisions based on your comments.

Warm regards,
Heather



Heather Roberts (she/her), C.E.T.

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From: Julie Kapyrka <jkapyrka@alderville.ca>

Sent: Thursday, May 16, 2024 11:13 AM

To: Roberts, Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>

Cc: UKBiogasFacility@Dillon.ca <UKBiogasFacility@dillon.ca>; McLeod, Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>; Avid Banihashemi <abanihashemi@dillon.ca>; MacLatchy, Paul <PMacLatchy@cityofkingston.ca>; Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca>; Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>

Subject: RE: Kingston Regional Biosolids Biogas Facility

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Aaniin Heather,

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Utilities Kingston is located on TREATY territory – it is NOT located on unceded territory. It is located within the Crawford Purchase – part of the preconfederation treaties – in which harvesting rights of the Williams Treaties First Nations were reaffirmed by the Federal and Provincial governments in 2018. The Williams Treaties First Nations include 4 Michi Saagiig communities and 3 Chippewa communities. These are the treaty rights holders in the Kingston area – and have harvesting rights in the region. We would encourage Utilities Kingston to acknowledge and honour the treaty that covers the area and the people who have called this place home for thousands of years.

It should be noted that the Kingston area is extremely significant for Alderville First Nation and there is a much more specific and larger history here (Grape Island) – as well as Alderville traditional hunting grounds north of the City.

We are curious to know how this current land acknowledgement was created and when, by whom?

Alderville First Nation would be pleased to assist Utilities Kingston in addressing the current land acknowledgement which promotes disrespect to not only the rights holders of the area, but also to the treaty itself and the reaffirmation of rights that were denied for almost 100 years.

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All the best,

Dr. Julie Kapyrka
Consultation Coordinator



Alderville First Nation

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From: Roberts, Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>

Sent: Thursday, May 9, 2024 9:32 AM

To: Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>; Julie Kapyrka <jkapyrka@alderville.ca>

Cc: McLeod, Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>; Avid Banihashemi <abanishashemi@dillon.ca>; MacLatchy, Paul <PMacLatchy@cityofkingston.ca>; Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca>; Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>

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From: abanishashemi@dillon.ca <abanishashemi@dillon.ca> on behalf of Facility, UK Biogas
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Sent: Wednesday, April 24, 2024 9:54 AM

To: Julie Kapyrka <jkapyrka@alderville.ca>

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From: abanihashemi@dillon.ca <abanihashemi@dillon.ca> on behalf of Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Sent: Wednesday, April 24, 2024 9:54 AM

To: Julie Kapyrka <jkapyrka@alderville.ca>

Cc: Roberts, Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>; McLeod, Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>; Avid Banihashemi <abanihashemi@dillon.ca>; MacLatchy, Paul <PMacLatchy@cityofkingston.ca>; Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca>; Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>

Subject: Re: Kingston Regional Biosolids Biogas Facility

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Thank you Dr. Kapyrka,

We have passed the historical context to ARA to be included in the report.

Have a wonderful day,

Best,
Avid

On Thu, Apr 18, 2024 at 4:10 PM Julie Kapyrka <jkapyrka@alderville.ca> wrote:

Aaniin Avid,

Thanks for this. We have no comments or concerns regarding the Stage 2 Report. We would, however, ask that the attached historical context be included in the report proper. And we would ask ARA to include this context in ANY archaeological reports completed on Williams Treaties First Nations territories.

Miigwech.

All the best,

Dr. Julie Kapyrka

Consultation Coordinator



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From: abanihashemi@dillon.ca <abanihashemi@dillon.ca> **On Behalf Of** Facility, UK Biogas

Sent: Thursday, April 11, 2024 4:38 PM

To: Julie Kapyrka <jkapyrka@alderville.ca>

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Subject: Re: Kingston Regional Biosolids Biogas Facility

Hello Dr. Julie Kapyrka,

Kindly please find attached the draft Stage 2 AA report for UK Biosolids Municipal Class EA study, for you review. We would appreciate it if you could complete your review within the next 3 weeks and let us know of any potential comments that you may have.

Warm regards,

Avid

On Tue, Dec 19, 2023 at 2:42 PM Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com> wrote:

Thank you, Dr. Kapyrka,

Invite has been circulated.

Lauren.



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From: Julie Kapyrka <jkapyrka@alderville.ca>
Sent: Tuesday, December 19, 2023 11:22 AM
To: Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>
Cc: Taynar Simpson <tsimpson@alderville.ca>; UKBiogasFacility@Dillon.ca; Roberts, Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>; McLeod, Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>; Avid Banihashemi

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Aaniin Lauren,

I would be available on Feb 5th at 1pm. Please send meeting invite and link as soon as possible.

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All the best,

Dr. Julie Kapyrka

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From: Scanlan,Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>

Sent: Friday, December 15, 2023 11:29 AM

To: Julie Kapyrka <jkapyrka@alderville.ca>

Cc: Taynar Simpson <tsimpson@alderville.ca>; UKBiogasFacility@Dillon.ca; Roberts,Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>; McLeod,Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>; Avid Banihashemi <abanihashemi@dillon.ca>; MacLatchy,Paul <PMacLatchy@cityofkingston.ca>; Varghese, Betsy <bvarghese@dillon.ca>

Subject: RE: Kingston Regional Biosolids Biogas Facility

Hello Dr. Kapyrka,

I wanted to follow up on our December 4 call related to the Kingston Regional Biosolids and Biogas Facility Class EA project and provide written acknowledgement of our conversation and next steps for everyone's information. Please

see attached letter addressed to Chief Taynar Simpson. Please let me know if you have any comments or questions. I'm also re-attaching the Stage 1 Archaeology Assessment Report mentioned below for your files.

Further to the letter attached, I'm proposing we set up a tentative date to meet in early February with our technical team. Please let me know if you are able to accommodate a 1.5-2hr window any time between **1 to 4pm on Monday, February 5, 2024** and if so, I will circulate a calendar invite to secure time in our schedules.

Thank you,

Lauren.



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From: Scanlan,Lauren
Sent: Thursday, November 16, 2023 11:21 AM
To: Julie Kapyrka <jkapyrka@alderville.ca>
Cc: Taynar Simpson <tsimpson@alderville.ca>; UKBiogasFacility@Dillon.ca; Roberts,Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>; McLeod,Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>; Avid Banihashemi <abanihashemi@dillon.ca>; Mike McCready <mike.mccready@araheritage.ca>; megan.devries@araheritage.ca; Roberts,Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>
Subject: RE: Kingston Regional Biosolids Biogas Facility

Hello Dr. Kapyrka,

Thank you for your reply below.

Re: Stage 2 Arch field work – the crew is planning for up to 4 days of field work, all to be undertaken next week. Our archaeology firm (ARA) has included you in their work planning distribution list for information in the event you are able to pop by. We can also circulate draft reports for comment if interested.

Re: Meeting on the project in general – proposing that you and I connect informally and if we feel a larger group meeting with our consultant and/or their archaeology firm is warranted to review specifics, I can absolutely set that up at a later date. I will send you a virtual meeting invite within the time offerings below and plan to provide you with an overview of the project history to date, as well as discuss other logistics in your letter.

Please let me know if you have any additional questions or comments.

Thank you very much,

Lauren.



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Sent: Wednesday, November 15, 2023 3:07 PM
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Aaniin Lauren,

Thank you for following up and apologies for my delayed response. At this time, we do not have any available liaisons to participate in the Stage 2 – but this can change quickly. Would you happen to know how long the crew is slated to be working on the Stage 2 fieldwork?

In terms of a call to discuss the finer details of the project I could be available for a virtual meeting at the following times: Nov 30th – afternoon, Dec 4,5,6 – anytime.

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All the best,

Dr. Julie Kapyrka

Consultation Coordinator



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From: Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>

Sent: Thursday, November 9, 2023 3:07 PM

To: Julie Kapyrka <jkapyrka@alderville.ca>

Cc: Taynar Simpson <tsimpson@alderville.ca>; Carrie Wilson <cwilson@alderville.ca>; UKBiogasFacility@Dillon.ca; Roberts, Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>; McLeod, Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>; Avid Banihashemi <abanihashemi@dillon.ca>; Mike McCready <mike.mccready@araheritage.ca>; megan.devries@araheritage.ca; Roberts, Heather <hroberts1@utilitieskingston.com>

Subject: RE: Kingston Regional Biosolids Biogas Facility

Good afternoon Dr. Kapyrka,

Just reaching out to confirm that you received my e-mail below? Please note that we have moved our Stage 2 field work to the week of **November 20**.

Please let me know if you, or another contact in your group, are available for a call to discuss your participation in the Stage 2 work, as well as other details in your correspondence letter?

Thank you,

Lauren.



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From: Scanlan, Lauren

Sent: Thursday, November 2, 2023 1:38 PM

To: Julie Kapyrka <jkapyrka@alderville.ca>

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Subject: RE: Kingston Regional Biosolids Biogas Facility

Hello Dr. Julie Kapyrka,

Thank you very much for the reply letter and your interest in participating in the study area review. Your reply is timely as we are in the process of arranging our archaeology team to undertake a Stage 2 Archaeology Assessment of the subject site. Our team is hoping to schedule field work before the ground freezes this year and as early as the week of **November 13**.

Please note that a Stage 1 Archaeology report was already completed last year and is attached for your information. Alderville First Nation was included in prior correspondence on this work over the past year (via Chief Mowat).

Are you available for a quick call tomorrow to discuss your availability, interest and costs of attending the Stage 2 work at some point during that week, as well as other details in your correspondence letter as required?

Thank you,

Lauren.



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From: Julie Kapyrka <jkapyrka@alderville.ca>

Sent: Wednesday, October 25, 2023 3:17 PM

To: Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>; UKBiogasFacility@Dillon.ca

Cc: Taynar Simpson <tsimpson@alderville.ca>; Carrie Wilson <cwilson@alderville.ca>

Subject: Kingston Regional Biosolids Biogas Facility

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Aanin Lauren and Betsy,

Please find attached correspondence.

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All the best,

Dr. Julie Kapyrka

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Michi Saagiig Historical/Background context:

The traditional homelands of the Michi Saagiig (Mississauga Anishinaabeg) encompass a vast area of what is now known as southern Ontario. The Michi Saagiig are known as “the people of the big river mouths” and were also known as the “Salmon People” who occupied and fished the north shore of Lake Ontario where the various tributaries emptied into the lake. Their territories extended north into and beyond the Kawarthas as winter hunting grounds on which they would break off into smaller social groups for the season, hunting and trapping on these lands, then returning to the lakeshore in spring for the summer months.

The Michi Saagiig were a highly mobile people, travelling vast distances to procure subsistence for their people. They were also known as the “Peacekeepers” among Indigenous nations. The Michi Saagiig homelands were located directly between two very powerful Confederacies: The Three Fires Confederacy to the north and the Haudenosaunee Confederacy to the south. The Michi Saagiig were the negotiators, the messengers, the diplomats, and they successfully mediated peace throughout this area of Ontario for countless generations.

Michi Saagiig oral histories speak to their people being in this area of Ontario for thousands of years. These stories recount the “Old Ones” who spoke an ancient Algonquian dialect. The histories explain that the current Ojibwa phonology is the 5th transformation of this language, demonstrating a linguistic connection that spans back into deep time. The Michi Saagiig of today are the descendants of the ancient peoples who lived in Ontario during the Archaic and Paleo-Indian periods. They are the original inhabitants of southern Ontario, and they are still here today.

The traditional territories of the Michi Saagiig span from Gananoque in the east, all along the north shore of Lake Ontario, west to the north shore of Lake Erie at Long Point. The territory spreads as far north as the tributaries that flow into these lakes, from Bancroft and north of the Haliburton highlands. This also includes all the tributaries that flow from the height of land north of Toronto like the Oak Ridges Moraine, and all of the rivers that flow into Lake Ontario (the Rideau, the Salmon, the Ganaraska, the Moira, the Trent, the Don, the Rouge, the Etobicoke, the Humber, and the Credit, as well as Wilmot and 16 Mile Creeks) through Burlington Bay and the Niagara region including the Welland and Niagara Rivers, and beyond. The western side of the Michi Saagiig Nation was located around the Grand River which was used as a portage route as the Niagara portage was too dangerous. The Michi Saagiig would portage from present-day Burlington to the Grand River and travel south to the open water on Lake Erie.

Michi Saagiig oral histories also speak to the occurrence of people coming into their territories sometime between 500-1000 A.D. seeking to establish villages and a corn growing economy – these newcomers included peoples that would later be known as the Huron-Wendat, Neutral, Petun/Tobacco Nations. The Michi Saagiig made Treaties with these newcomers and granted them permission to stay with the understanding that they were visitors in these lands. Wampum was made to record these contracts, ceremonies would have bound each nation to their respective responsibilities within the political relationship, and these contracts would have been renewed annually (see Gitiga Migizi and Kapyrka 2015). These visitors were extremely successful as their corn economy grew as well as their populations. However, it was understood by all nations involved that this area of Ontario were the homeland territories of the Michi Saagiig.

The Odawa Nation worked with the Michi Saagiig to meet with the Huron-Wendat, the Petun, and Neutral Nations to continue the amicable political and economic relationship that existed – a symbiotic relationship that was mainly policed and enforced by the Odawa people.

Problems arose for the Michi Saagiig in the 1600s when the European way of life was introduced into southern Ontario. Also, around the same time, the Haudenosaunee were given firearms by the colonial governments in New York and Albany which ultimately made an expansion possible for them into Michi Saagiig territories. There began skirmishes with the various nations living in Ontario at the time. The Haudenosaunee engaged in fighting with the Huron-Wendat and between that and the onslaught of European diseases, the Iroquoian speaking peoples in Ontario were decimated.

The onset of colonial settlement and missionary involvement severely disrupted the original relationships between these Indigenous nations. Disease and warfare had a devastating impact upon the Indigenous peoples of Ontario, especially the large sedentary villages, which mostly included Iroquoian speaking peoples. The Michi Saagiig were largely able to avoid the devastation caused by these processes by retreating to their wintering grounds to the north, essentially waiting for the smoke to clear.

Michi Saagiig Elder Gitiga Migizi (2017) recounts:

“We weren’t affected as much as the larger villages because we learned to paddle away for several years until everything settled down. And we came back and tried to bury the bones of the Huron but it was overwhelming, it was all over, there were bones all over – that is our story.

There is a misnomer here, that this area of Ontario is not our traditional territory and that we came in here after the Huron-Wendat left or were defeated, but that is not true. That is a big misconception of our history that needs to be corrected. We are the traditional people, we are the ones that signed treaties with the Crown. We are recognized as the ones who signed these treaties and we are the ones to be dealt with officially in any matters concerning territory in southern Ontario.

We had peacemakers go to the Haudenosaunee and live amongst them in order to change their ways. We had also diplomatically dealt with some of the strong chiefs to the north and tried to make peace as much as possible. So we are very important in terms of keeping the balance of relationships in harmony.

Some of the old leaders recognized that it became increasingly difficult to keep the peace after the Europeans introduced guns. But we still continued to meet, and we still continued to have some wampum, which doesn’t mean we negated our territory or gave up our territory – we did not do that. We still consider ourselves a sovereign nation despite legal challenges against that. We still view ourselves as a nation and the government must negotiate from that basis.”

Often times, southern Ontario is described as being “vacant” after the dispersal of the Huron-Wendat peoples in 1649 (who fled east to Quebec and south to the United States). This is misleading as these territories remained the homelands of the Michi Saagiig Nation.

The Michi Saagiig participated in eighteen treaties from 1781 to 1923 to allow the growing number of European settlers to establish in Ontario. Pressures from increased settlement forced the Michi Saagiig to slowly move into small family groups around the present day communities: Curve Lake First Nation, Hiawatha First Nation, Alderville First Nation, Scugog Island First Nation, New Credit First Nation, and Mississauga First Nation.

The Michi Saagiig have been in Ontario for thousands of years, and they remain here to this day.

****This historical context was prepared by Gitiga Migizi, a respected Elder and Knowledge Keeper of the Michi Saagiig Nation.****

Publication reference:

Gitiga Migizi and Julie Kapyrka

2015 Before, During, and After: Mississauga Presence in the Kawarthas. In *Peterborough Archaeology*, Dirk Verhulst, editor, pp.127-136. Peterborough, Ontario: Peterborough Chapter of the Ontario Archaeological Society.



Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

RE: Notice of Public Information Centre – Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility

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Marie-Sophie Gendron <Marie-Sophie.Gendron@wendake.ca>
To: "Facility, UK Biogas" <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Tue, May 14, 2024 at 8:33 AM

Kwe Avid,

I hope this email finds you doing well.

Our team has reviewed the Stage 2 archaeological assessment report for Kingston Regional Biosolids and Biogas Facility Project and found everything satisfactory. We have no modification requests or other comments.

Tiawenhk chia' entio'

Marie-Sophie



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De : abanihashemi@dillon.ca <abanihashemi@dillon.ca> **De la part de** Facility, UK Biogas

Envoyé : 13 mai 2024 14:53

À : consultations <consultations@wendake.ca>

Objet : Re: Notice of Public Information Centre – Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility

Good afternoon,

The UK Biosolids Municipal Class EA study team would like to follow up on our previous correspondence regarding the draft Stage AA Report that was sent to you for review. Could you kindly please let us know of any comments that you may have?

Warmly,

Avid

On Thu, Apr 11, 2024 at 4:40 PM Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca> wrote:

Hello,

We understand that Dominic is no longer with Huron-Wendat Nation, and forwarding the following correspondence for your review.

Best regards,

Avid

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From: Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca>

Date: Thu, Apr 11, 2024 at 4:31 PM

Subject: Re: Notice of Public Information Centre – Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility

To: Dominic Ste-Marie <Dominic.Sainte-Marie@wendake.ca>

Cc: Scanlan, Lauren <lscanlan@utilitieskingston.com>, Betsy Varghese <bvarghese@dillon.ca>, McLeod, Alan <amcleod@cityofkingston.ca>, Mario Gros Louis <Mario.GrosLouis@wendake.ca>, Lori-Jeanne Bolduc <Lori-Jeanne.Bolduc@wendake.ca>

Hello Dominic,

Kindly please find attached the draft Stage 2 AA report for UK Biosolids Municipal Class EA study, for you review. We would appreciate it if you could complete your review within the next 3 weeks and let us know of any potential comments that you may have.

Warm regards,

Avid

On Thu, Apr 4, 2024 at 10:16 AM Facility, UK Biogas <ukbiogasfacility@dillon.ca> wrote:

Hello Dominic,

Thank you for your continued interest in the UK Biosolids Municipal Class EA study.

A Stage 2 Archaeological Assessment (AA) field work was conducted on 13 November, 2023 and a representative from Huron-Wendat Nation, Mr. G. Savard, was in attendance. The Stage 2 AA did not result in the identification of any archaeological materials and no further assessment was recommended within the study area. The project team is currently in the process of finalizing the draft Stage 2 AA report for review and your community is on our circulation list.

Kindly please let us know if you have any additional questions or require any additional information,

Warm regards,

Avid

On Mon, Mar 25, 2024 at 1:52 PM Dominic Ste-Marie <Dominic.Sainte-Marie@wendake.ca> wrote:

Kwe Avid,

Thank you for your email. Could you please let us know if any archaeological studies or fieldwork will be necessary as part of this project?

Tiawenhk chia' önenh

Dominic Ste-Marie



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Envoyé : 12 mars 2024 14:40

À : consultations <consultations@wendake.ca>

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Good Afternoon,

Utilities Kingston is undertaking a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (Class EA) for a combined biosolids and food waste processing facility at Knox Farm (the Project), a municipally-owned property located off of Perth Road just northwest of the Highway 401 and Division Street interchange in the City of Kingston. The intent is that the facility will process wastes from the City's wastewater treatment plants and "Green Bin" program to produce a renewable natural gas (biogas) and other beneficial resources.

The Project team is contacting you as part of the Municipal Class EA's Indigenous consultation process and to strengthen relations with your community.

On behalf of Utilities Kingston, attached please find the Notice of Public Information Centre (PIC) for the Kingston Regional Biosolids & Biogas Facility Municipal Class EA. Information can also be found on the project website <http://www.utilitieskingston.com/Projects/Detail/RegionalBiosolidsBiogasFacility>

If you have any questions or comments about the Project, please respond back to this email or contact the Project team members listed in the notice.

Kind Regards,

Avid Banihashemi

Environmental Assessment Lead

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