



Sahtu Land Use Planning Board

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To: SLUPB Distribution List

RE: Virtual Engagement Sessions on SLUP Background Report for the SLUP's Zone 65 PCI Amendment

Dear Sir or Madame,

Earlier this year, the Sahtú Land Use Planning Board (SLUPB or “the Board”) initiated a process to amend Zone 65 Ts’udé Njłǰné Tuyeta Proposed Conservation Initiative (PCI) within the Sahtú Land Use Plan (SLUP).

The Board released a Background Report on August 7, 2020 that describes the scope of the amendment process, the process and timelines to be followed to amend the SLUP, and a summary of known information on the areas to be rezoned. The Board invited comment on this document, with comments due October 9th, 2020.

Typically, the Board would have offered public meetings in various communities to review the Background Report, answer questions, and highlight key areas for input to guide interested participants in the preparation of their written comments. Given the current restrictions in place for the COVID-19 Pandemic, large face-to-face gatherings are not allowed. In lieu of public meetings, the Board would like to offer two virtual Q&A sessions, to be held by Zoom. Call-in numbers are available for those who are not comfortable with, or cannot use this platform. Board staff will be available for these sessions to answer questions, and walk interested participants through the Background Report, as desired.

The sessions will be held on the following dates and times:

1. September 24th, 2020, 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM MDT
2. September 25th, 2020, 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM MDT

Please RSVP to Heidi.wiebe@gmail.com if you would like to join one of these sessions, and she will provide you with the Zoom link / call-in information. If calling in, the PowerPoint presentation can be downloaded from the SLUPB's website at:

https://sahtulanduseplan.org/sites/default/files/bkgreport_tuyeta_review_public_session.pdf.

Should you have any questions about this opportunity, or would like to discuss the Background Report, please contact Heidi Wiebe at Heidi.wiebe@gmail.com or (867) 447-0961.

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