



11. FUTURE CONSULTATION COMMITMENTS

11.1 Aboriginal Consultation

DWP is committed to on-going consultation activities with Aboriginal communities, especially those who have shown interest in the project to date. DWP will continue its engagement activities with the Saugeen Ojibway Nation. DWP has again on August 9, 2012 sent notice to the identified aboriginal communities to advise them of the REA Reports being submitted to the MOE and has offered to make a presentation to their representatives and learn about potential interests. DWP would be willing to meet with communities that are interested in the project.

DWP is currently completing the Stage 2 archaeological assessment on the 230 kV private easement lands and DWP has invited the SON to send monitors to oversee the work, as they have done in the past. It is noted that the Saugeen Ojibway Nation accompanied the project archaeologist during part of the stage 2 assessment for the wind facility as well as the 69 kV point of interconnect property.

11.2 Public and Stakeholder Consultation

DWP commits to continuing its stakeholder consultation and communications throughout the life of the project. The following list DWP's commitments to public and stakeholder consultation through all stages of the Project:

Design

- Meet with and accept comments from landowners living adjacent to the 69 kV POI and incorporate into the project design where applicable
- Respond to all written comments that ask a question
- Respond to incoming comments from stakeholders and the public in a timely manner
- Open a project office whereby the public can drop in ask question, view the REA reports and mapping
- Keep website up to date with news and information about the project.



Construction

- Communicate with the public, via newsletters and news bulletins, newspaper ads and radio ads regarding road closures, traffic diversions, etc. during construction
- Project office to be open on a regular basis to provide information to the public and accept complaints
- Advertise protocols for complaints under the Complaint Resolution Process
- Keep website up to date with news and information about the project.

Operations

- Advertise protocols for complaints under the Complaint Resolution Process
- Keep website up to date with news and information about the project.

Decommissioning

- Communicate with the public, via newsletters and news bulletins, newspaper ads and radio ads regarding road closures, traffic diversions, etc. during decommissioning
- Project office to be open on a regular basis to provide information to the public and accept complaints
- Advertise protocols for complaints under the Complaint Resolution Process
- Keep website up to date with news and information about the project
- Provide a monthly summary report of the correspondence made under the Complaints Resolution Process.

11.3 Municipalities

DWP commits to continuing its stakeholder and municipal consultation and communications throughout the life of the project.

The following list DWP's commitments to Municipal Consultation through the four stages of the Project

Design

- When detailed design is complete, allow each municipality, where final project components would be located, to review and comment on the design (i.e., lighting plan for operations and maintenance building and yard, 230 kV pole placement in rail corridor, construction access points, etc.)



- Prepare a Transportation Management Plan and allow each municipality to review and comment prior to finalization
- Enter into the appropriate agreements with each affected municipality, including but not limited to:
 - Pre-Construction Road Survey
 - Road User's Agreement
 - Development Agreement
- Provide the fees and deposits required for Municipal review of the above
- Finalize the Decommissioning Security Agreement.

Construction

- Abide by all municipal by-laws and seek by-law exemptions, if required for construction
- Contact each municipality if a stop work order is placed/an emergency occurs
- Consult with Municipal staff regarding Construction timing and road use
- Environmental Compliance Monitor to report to Municipalities if Construction Contractor is in non-compliance with commitments set out in the final REA submission documentation
- Provide a monthly summary report of the correspondence made under the Complaints Resolution Process.

Operations

- Notify municipalities of any emergencies
- Notify municipalities of correspondence made under the Complaints Resolution Process.

Decommissioning

- Abide by all municipal by-laws and seek by-law exemptions, if required for construction
- Contact each municipality if a stop work order is placed/an emergency occurs
- Consult with Municipal staff regarding Construction timing and road use
- Environmental Compliance Monitor to report to Municipalities if Contractor is in non-compliance with commitments set out in the final REA submission documentation
- Provide a monthly summary report of the correspondence made under the Complaints Resolution Process.