

Tłegóhł 2024 Public Listening Session
Update



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**Climate Change
& Wildfire**



Closure of Record, Acceptance of Late Submissions, and Next Steps

Tłegóhł 2024 Public Listening Session
February 20-22, 2024

Notice to Parties and the Public, **March 28, 2024**

Closure of the Record

The SRRB is giving notice the record of the Tłegóhł 2024 PLS will be closed on **April 5, 2024**.

Acceptance of Late Submissions

Under Rule 3.6 of the SRRB's Rules for Hearings, the SRRB may vary or dispense with any part of its Rules that it considers necessary for a fair determination of an issue.

The initial deadline for final arguments and responses to Round 3 Information Requests was March 11, 2024. The SRRB received a request from a few registered parties for an extension of the deadline for Information Request (IR) 3 responses and final arguments. The SRRB granted an extension to March 18, 2024.

The Government of the Northwest Territories Environment and Climate Change (ECC) requested an additional extension of the deadline to March 22. Norman Wells Renewable Resources Council (NWRRC) submitted their final argument and response to IR3 on March 26.

The SRRB granted the extension requested by ECC and has chosen to accept NWRRC's final argument and response to IR3. The SRRB found that the extension requested by ECC was not lengthy, and the submissions from ECC and NWRRC contain information that is important for the determination of the PLS. The SRRB also considered that accepting these submissions would not be harmful or prejudicial to other registered parties.

NWRRC also submitted information requests addressed to ECC and other Sahtú communities. However, the Board did not invite submission of questions to other parties. At this late point in the PLS, the Board determined the questions are not going to be sent to parties and is not admitting these questions for the record.

Next Steps

The SRRB is working to conclude the Tłegóhłı̨ 2024 PLS hearing report and expects to provide it to the NWT Minister of Environment and Climate Change in due course.

Contact us!

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