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Sullivan Liaison Committee

22 November 2022 • 6:00-7:30 pm Kimberley Conference Centre MEEETING NOTES

Agenda Topic	NOTES
Opening Greetings Land Acknowledgement Agenda Overview	The November 2022 meeting was the fourth semi-annual standing meeting of the Sullivan Liaison Committee (SLC). The meeting was held at the Kimberley Conference Centre in the evening. Attendees were invited to attend in person or via Zoom call. The full committee meets at least twice per year, typically in the spring and fall.
	Zoë Ramdin (Community Liaison Coordinator) opened the meeting with a land acknowledgement, the introduction of some new Teck members and a brief overview of the agenda.
Safety Message	Zoë provided a Safety Message* about the addition of some items for winter driving safety kits.
	*Health and Safety is a core value at Teck; nothing is more important. All Teck-sponsored meetings begin with a Safety Message.
SLC Administration	Ryan Peterson (Sullivan Liaison Committee Co-Chair and Senior Supervisor Maintenance & Projects) provided a few additional welcome notes and a short recap of the purpose and intent of the SLC and the summary of key actions to date.
	Prior to this meeting a brief survey was circulated to assess member satisfaction with the SLC and look for some input on SLC activities and the Terms of Reference. The overall responses suggest members are satisfied with the SLC meetings and current structure. Unfortunately requests for interest in the committee Co-Chair position did not have any takers either on-line or present. The SLC is currently without a community Co-Chair.
	Additional information about the SLC is available in the Community section of the Sullivan website at <u>www.teck.com/Sullivan</u>
Community Investment	Zoë provided a brief explanation on the community investment program at Teck and gave a summary of recent investments made by Teck Legacy in the Kimberley area.
Site Activity Updates	Ryan provided an update on the environmental and geotechnical programs; sharing information on priorities which aim to respond to permit requirements, best practices, and continual improvement efforts. This included information on surface and groundwater, supplemental hydrological investigations, and reclamation efforts.
Geotechnical Program	Ryan provided an update on geotechnical inspections, investigations and instrumentation review including geotechnical stability of tailings. Information was shared on the annual facility performance review, the Independent Tailings Review Board and the routine inspections by site personnel.

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Water Management	Ryan provided update on the water collection and treatment from underground workings, the upper and lower mine areas, and the tailing facilities associated with seepage collection systems.
Global Industry Standard on	Ryan introduced the GISTM, why it is important, what it entails, Teck's commitment
Tailings Management	to conformance with the GISTM, and how it applies to the Sullivan.
(GISTM) Introduction	
Groundwater Remediation	Ryan provided an update on the offsite migration of groundwater including a recap
Plan – Process and Plan	of actions to date and regulatory requirements by the BC Ministry of Environment
Update	and Climate Change Strategy. He emphasized Teck's commitment to continue
	long-term monitoring and management of groundwater issues.
Upcoming Meetings	The SLC will meet again spring 2022.
Questions and Discussion	Teck representatives fielded questions from attendees during the open discussion. Topics included forest fuel reduction, land use, climate change modelling, water treatment trends, the Drainage Water Treatment plant sludge and sludge impoundments, alternative water treatments, flood events, GISTM, migration of mine affected water, sediment quality in the St Mary River, regulatory requirements, community engagement approaches and groups, the need for better acquaintance of SLC members, SLC Co-Chair responsibilities, and land titles in Kimberley.