ACMC Training Workshop Arviat, NU January 26, 2011

Day 1, Wednesday @ 11:05 am

Present:

Committee Chairman: David Aglukark Sr.
Committee Vice Chair: Donna Mulders - CWS

Members: Thomas Ubluriak

Peter Allariak - IQ Chair for Environment Minister

Philip Kigusiutsak- Elder Rep. Shayne Ubluriak - Youth Rep.

CLO: Eva Alikut

CWS Staff: Siu-Ling

Donna Mulders Mia Pelletier

Facilitator: Leena Evic Co-Facilitator/ Resource Martha Padluq

Person

Translator: Thomas Suluk

David welcomes delegates and committee members for attending the ACMC workshop. Before the opening prayer, Leena talks about the qulliq lighting, the history and the background importance before starting the workshop.

1. Workshop Opened with a prayer by Thomas Ubluriak.

Donna: Housekeeping issues.

Introduction around the round table.

Leena- Asking the Committee members if they can hold an evening session tomorrow night and meet again Friday morning.

All Members in favor, Carried.

2. Agenda

Leena –Reading through the agenda.

All members in favor to approve the agenda with addition: Joe Manik will be here at 13:00 hours to talk about the Kuugaryuk history.

12:20 pm Break for lunch.

13:25 Workshop resumes.

3. Slideshow of McConnell River Bird Sanctuary.

David- Welcomes Joe Manik, is here to talk about the Kuugaryuk history and how it all began. It started in May of 1960, people of Arviat were really happy and excited, eager to start establishing a MBS. (9) University students from Ottawa arrived and used a type of equipment and conducted researched on geese eggs of their growth until they hatched. It is a very important area as there is many wildlife and wildlife habitat including many different types of bird. At the time, there were no polar bear nor wolves located around the area.

4. Committee Members brainstorming the importance and special activities about McConnell River to Arviamiut and why it should be considered a protected area. Also listed (23) different type of birds and (13) different types of wildlife in the area. See attached.

5. ACMC Terminology Glossary

Committee members reviewing the Inuktitut terminology and making corrections and additions according to their community dialect.

See attached.

6. Participants Manual

Leena reviewing the participant's manual and summarizing the Modules from 1to 5 "Introductory Topics" with the Committee Members.

Question & Answer Period.

7. Workshop ends at 15:00 hours.

ACMC Training Workshop Arviat, NU January 27, 2011

Day 2, Thursday, 8:00am

Present:

Committee Chairman: David Aglukark Sr.
Committee Vice Chair: Donna Mulders - CWS

Members: Thomas Ubluriak

Peter Allariak - IQ Chair for Environment Minister

Philip Kigusiutsak- Elder Rep. Shayne Ubluriak - Youth Rep.

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1. ACMC Operating Procedures

Sui-Ling - Talks about the operating committee procedures, how the roles work with committees, length of member appointments, how the committee functions, compensation to members and committee as a whole.

Also talks and explains about Conflict of Interest policies following the Code of Conduct if and when it is breached, the consequences that would occur.

Question & Answer Period.

2. Participants Manual Continued

Leena reviewing the participant's manual and summarizing the Module 8 "How does the ACMC Advise" with the Committee Members.

Committee members concerned about the Conservation Area, not the same life style from the past. Today, during winter season, construction workers are bringing heavy gear and dropping them off around the area and continue through the summer, possible mining construction for projects.

Question & Answer Period.

12:00 pm Break for lunch.

13:15 pm Workshop resumes.

3. Delegate from NTI

Julie Harris- Quick introduction about being the Consulting firm for NTI in conducting with Parks Canada and NTI, working with Luke Suluk in trying to collect cultural inventory.

4. Participants Manual - Dealing with Permits'

Siu-Ling doing a presentation on how ACMC deals with two different types of permits, Visitor permits and Scientific permits. Also talks about the role of ACMC in Environmental Impact Assessment and Land Use Planning for Nunavut. Committee Members and CWS will do a review every 5 years. Question & Answer Period.

Committee Members given 45 minutes to work on an exercise reviewing a permit including an actual permit application.

Supper break.

Workshop ends at 17:00 hours.

Workshop resumes at 19:00 hours.

5. Permit Review Exercise

The Committee Members having a group discussion about the work on two different permit applications.

Question & Answer Period.

6. Participants Manual

Leena reviewing the participant's manual and summarizing the Module 10 and 11 with the Committee Members.

Question & Answer Period.

7. Development of Work Plan & Budget

Siu-Ling talks and explains about the budget work plan with the Committee Members. Suggesting to the ACMC for the Chairman & Vice-Chair to have some discussions on behalf of the Committee for administration purposes.

Question & Answer Period.

Workshop ends at 21:10 hours.

ACMC Training Workshop Arviat, NU January 28, 2011

Day 3, Friday, 8:10am

Present:

Committee Chairman: David Aglukark Sr.
Committee Vice Chair: Donna Mulders - CWS

Members: Thomas Ubluriak

Peter Allariak - IQ Chair for Environment Minister

Philip Kigusiutsak- Elder Rep. Shayne Ubluriak - Youth Rep.

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- 1. Brainstorm on a Name for the Committee Members Committee Members brought up a few names but will decide on a name for the new Committee at their next meeting.
- 2. Reviewing the Participants Manual and ACMC version of the following:
- Governance model
- Code of conduct
- · Conflict of interest policy
- operating procedures
- 3. Organizational & Collective Visioning

Each Committee Member provided a visioning statement about the Kuugaryuk Conservation Area.

4. Workshop ends with a closing prayer by David Aglukark @ 10:10 am.