

Who is the NIRB



- The Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB or Board) is an institution of public government created by the *Nunavut Agreement* to assess the potential impacts of proposed development in the Nunavut Settlement Area prior to approval of the required project authorizations.
- Uses both traditional knowledge and recognized scientific methods to assess the biophysical and socio-economic impact of proposals and will make recommendations and decisions about which projects may proceed.
- The Board may also establish programs to monitor the impacts of projects that have been reviewed and approved to proceed.

Where we work



Translated proposal by a proponent



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NIRB File No.: 16QN071

ᐱᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ ᐃᓂᓂᓪ: The "Itivia Quarry" project
 ᓄᓴᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ ᐃᓂᓂᓪ: Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd. (Agnico Eagle)
 ᐱᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ: Quarry ᐃᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ: Kivalliq Region
 ᐃᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ: www.nirb.ca Application No.: 125046
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ᐱᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ "Itivia Quarry" ᐃᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ ᓄᓂᓂᓂᓪ ᓄᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ ᐅᓂᓂᓂᓪ Kivalliq ᐅᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ 500 meters ᐅᓂᓂᓂᓪ ᓄᓂᓂᓂᓪ Rankin Inlet ᓄᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ ᐱᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ ᐅᓂᓂᓂᓪ develop a quarry to support infrastructure to be established in the Itivia harbour area for the Meliadine Gold Project (NIRB File No. 11MN034). ᐱᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ ᐃᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ ᐅᓂᓂᓂᓪ March ᐃᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ December 2017. ᐱᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ ᓄᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ ᓄᓂᓂᓂᓪ ᐃᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ ᐅᓂᓂᓂᓪ ᐱᓂᓂᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪᓴᓂᓪ:

- Extraction of quarry material using drill-and-blasting
- Transportation of diesel and emulsion for quarrying operations from the Meliadine Gold Project site
- Disposal of all waste generated at the Itivia quarry site
- Decommissioning of quarry site upon completion

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Public hearing

- Sharing of community knowledge and Inuit Qaujimajatuqangit from representatives



Community reps observing at a technical meeting



Question

- **What have we learned about meaningful engagement of Indigenous Peoples and local communities in the Arctic, how does this apply to Arctic mining activities?**

Thank you

