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This email is to inform you that CZN has engaged Lifeways of Canada to undertake an AOA for the all season road, building on the existing database developed for the winter road. The lead investigator will be Brent Murphey, who also completed the last AIA associated with the winter road while at Golder Associates. Brent will be contacting you to obtain research permits. Please assist him by providing all relevant information available.

We expect that the results of the AOA will be available during the course of the current EA. The results will also be used to guide and focus an AIA to be conducted during field studies associated with detailed design of the road, which will include survey crews laying out the precise road alignment on the ground, and investigating and delineating borrow sources. CZN has made a commitment to the NBDB that their members will accompany survey crews to assist and guide crews regarding potential heritage resource discovery. We have also undertaken to provide a heritage resources 'brochure' in order to familiarize crews with the types of heritage resources they may encounter. CZN will further commit to a professional archaeologist developing a broader Heritage Resources Protection Plan, which will include the brochure and be required knowledge for the road construction crews.

During the technical session, we heard that our plan to include local community members in pre-construction survey crews was appreciated, but that a professional archaeologist should also be involved to ensure each crew has the necessary knowledge and information, to provide direction and focus of the crews in the field, and to undertake independent inspections and verification. CZN accepts that there is merit in these suggestions, and so we will accept them as a commitment.

We look forward to working with you on these aspects.

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