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## Notice of Proceeding

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Prairie Creek All Season Road Project, Canadian Zinc Corporation

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**Re: Technical session on cultural impacts**

The Review Board plans to hold a technical session with community members in the Dehcho region to gather information from land and resource users about potential cultural impacts from the proposed Prairie Creek All Season Road.

Technical sessions to discuss the proposed Prairie Creek All Season Road and its predicted impacts on the environment and people are scheduled for June 13-16, 2016 in Yellowknife. The Yellowknife technical sessions consider evidence from both scientific and traditional knowledge sources. The Review Board accepts both types of evidence on an equal footing.

The Review Board would like further information **from community members' traditional and local knowledge** about:

- **potential cultural impacts** of the proposed road project, and
- **mitigation** of those impacts

The Nahanni Butte Dene Band and Liidlíi Kue First Nation have expressed interest in participating in a face-to-face meeting in the Dehcho region. The Review Board also expects the developer and Dehcho First Nations to participate. Other parties are also welcome to attend.

The Review Board will contact local communities about dates and venue, and will keep parties informed as planning for the community technical session moves forward. The contacts for this environmental assessment are Environmental Assessment Officer Sachi De Souza [(867) 766-7054; [sdesouza@reviewboard.ca](mailto:sdesouza@reviewboard.ca)] and, after June 17, 2016, Senior Environmental Assessment Officer Chuck Hubert [(867) 766-7052; [chubert@reviewboard.ca](mailto:chubert@reviewboard.ca)].