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Indigenous Consultation and Engagement Record Log

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Table 2-IX-1: Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation (Lake Nipigon Ojibway)

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
December 6, 2013	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation met to discuss upcoming consultation for the Project. NextBridge provided Project information including the November 2013 newsletter, presentation panels, Project need fact sheet, transmission line safety fact sheet and frequently asked questions. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation indicated they are interested in economic opportunities, training and jobs with the Project.
June 4, 2014	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge and Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation met to discuss the budget and work plan for consultation on the Project. NextBridge requested that the community provide a formal Consultation Protocol if available. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation advised that it was in progress and once completed would be provided to NextBridge. ■ Discussion about the schedule for Chief and Council to discuss the Project and the Band Council Resolution (BCR). It is anticipated that two mail outs and two meetings in each of the Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation communities will be required. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation requested that no NextBridge representatives attend the meetings. ■ Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation anticipates including introductory information on the Project in their mid-June 2014 newsletter, possibly holding community meetings in July and August 2014.
June 6, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed the Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation Consultation Coordinator advising that the Capacity Funding Agreement (CFA) budget has been approved as presented. NextBridge committed to contacting the community once the agreement is available.
June 16, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation an executable copy of the CFA.
June 17, 2014	Phone call	Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation confirmed receipt of the CFA emailed by NextBridge on June 16, 2014.
July 8, 2014	Email	NextBridge followed up on the CFA and BCR that had been presented to Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation Chief and Council.
July 9, 2014	Email	Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation emailed NextBridge confirming that the CFA and BCR would be signed by July 11, 2014.
July 14, 2014	Email	Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation emailed NextBridge advising that the CFA and supporting BCR were not signed but would be provided as soon as it was available.
August 1, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
September 16, 2014	Email	The Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation Consultation Coordinator emailed NextBridge a copy of the signed CFA and supporting BCR. NextBridge offered to provide any assistance required with the independent community information meetings and supporting materials. NextBridge requested to be advised of the dates of the meetings so that the reference materials and maps will be available to them.
October 3, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation indicated that the signed BCR supporting the CFA from community needs to be replaced with a clearer version.
October 6, 2014	Email	Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation emailed NextBridge indicating that they will provide a complete copy of the signed BCR supporting the CFA in person on October 15, 2014 and will also exchange copies of documents and discuss the plans for the independent community information meetings.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
October 15, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation met to discuss the independent community information meetings and supplies required. The Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation Consultation Coordinator advised that an executed CFA is needed prior to any independent community information meeting being committed to. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation estimated attendance of approximately 115 members between all six meetings, but would like 130 sets of materials.
October 20, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation the fully Executed CFA. NextBridge also requested to be advised of potential dates for independent community meetings.
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge sent Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation a letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; and, ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
January 29, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation met to discuss the upcoming independent community information meetings running from February 23 to March 2, 2015 in various locations. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation confirmed that the Project information sheet was included in the community's January 1, 2015 newsletter. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation asked for a larger map to clearly see the route.
February 12, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation met to discuss the upcoming independent community information meetings running from February 23 to March 2, 2015 in various locations. NextBridge provided information materials, a large route map, and records of contact forms.
March 4, 2015	Email	Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation Consultation Coordinator emailed NextBridge advising that some of the independent community information meetings had to be cancelled. The Consultation Coordinator asked if the CFA could be extended until after the summer of 2015.
March 6, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation approving extending the CFA to December 31, 2015. An amendment document was provided.
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director.
April 22, 2015	Email	Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation emailed NextBridge an invoice for the independent community Information meetings held to date
April 27, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation requesting additional support documentation related to the invoice submitted on April 22, 2015.
April 28, 2015	Phone call	NextBridge received a telephone call from Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation confirmed that supporting documentation for the April 22, 2015 invoice would be forwarded as soon as possible. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation informed NextBridge that the March 2, 2015 independent community information meeting had five people in attendance.
May 22, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation to follow up on the supporting receipts related to the invoice submitted on April 22, 2015.

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June 15, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation to follow up on the supporting receipts related to the invoice submitted on April 22, 2015.
June 30, 2015	Email	Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation emailed NextBridge the supporting information for the April 22, 2015 invoice.
July 2, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation an executed amendment to the CFA. NextBridge also expressed interest in having a meeting with the community's Consultation Coordinator to obtain an update on the community information meetings held to date and to discuss future plans.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation information on Bill 112.
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
July 8, 2016	Email	Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation emailed NextBridge following up on payment of invoice submitted on April 22, 2015.
July 11, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation to follow up on invoice payment and receipt of information from community on banking details.
July 12, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation Financial Controller confirming receipt of direct deposit wire form and indicating that payment would be issued promptly.
July 21, 2016	Email	Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation emailed NextBridge confirming that payment of April 22, 2015 invoice was received by community.
October 5, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation's Interim Consultation Coordinator met to discuss the Project. NextBridge and Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation agreed to schedule a meeting to go over the CFA, outstanding deliverables and to provide a Project Update.
November 17, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation's Consultation Coordinator to discuss Project information. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation's Consultation Coordinator requested to be resent previously provided Project information. NextBridge committed to sending Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation the signed CFA, BCR, budget and workplan as well as any previous Project information and correspondence. NextBridge and Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation scheduled meeting for November 26, 2016.
November 17, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation's Consultation Coordinator the materials requested during the November 17, 2016 phone call.
November 21, 2016	Email	Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation's Consultation Coordinator emailed NextBridge to cancel the previously scheduled meeting on November 26, 2016. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation and NextBridge agreed to reschedule the meeting in January 2017.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation the draft EA for review.
January 19, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation but was unable to speak with the Consultation Coordinator.
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House

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January 23, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation's Consultation Coordinator to confirm that the Coordinator had received the emailed Project information and the signed CFA. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation's Consultation Coordinator confirmed that they had received the information and are in the process of reviewing it. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation will contact NextBridge to schedule a follow-up meeting after their review is complete.
February 17, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation met to discuss the Project. NextBridge presented the February 2017 Open House presentation and provided an overview of the draft EA, timelines and potential Project impacts.
February 22, 2017	Email	Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation's Consultation Coordinator emailed NextBridge indicating that community information sessions are currently being planned. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation's Consultation Coordinator indicated that they were pleased with NextBridge's respectful consultation process.
March 21, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge conducted a technical teleconference with Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation, Michipicoten First Nation, Pic Moberg First Nation and representatives from Biigtigong Nishnaabeg. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation requested additional information on the draft EA conclusions. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation also had concerns about protection of birch stands and chaga. Other topics discussed included revegetation, geological assessments, private property and permitting and approvals.
May 5, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation's Consultation Coordinator and left a voicemail to request a return call.
May 9, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation's Consultation Coordinator and left a voicemail to request a return call.
May 11, 2017	Phone call	Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation telephoned NextBridge to discuss ongoing Project engagement. Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation's Consultation Coordinator indicated that they had held a community engagement session and will provide an update on the engagement process in June 2017.

Table 2-IX-2: Biigtigong Nishnaabeg

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
April 25, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg had a general Project introduction discussion to prepare for upcoming consultation.
May 13, 2014	Email	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg to introduce the Aboriginal Workforce Liaisons position /person who was hired to assist with the Projects Employment Strategy. ■ Emailed a job posting for the position of "Aboriginal Environmental Monitoring"
May 13, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg arranged an initial meeting for June 2, 2014.
May 16, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg discussed the hiring of Indigenous Observers for environmental field work.
June 2, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg met and provided a Project update and discussed the community consultation process and the hiring of monitors. Biigtigong Nishnaabeg's Consultation Contact noted that they tailor consultation to fit the community's concerns. Discussed a Capacity Funding Agreement (CFA) and noted that it is only for consultation and does not cover monitoring. Noted that they may still comment on the ToR for the EA.
June 4, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg to provide differentiation between Data Sharing Agreement and the CFA.
June 6, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg the draft CFA for review.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
June 8, 2014	Email	Follow up on the CFA.
June 16, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg information in relation to a community member with private lands on Right of Way. Forwarded the Data Sharing Agreement.
June 17, 2014	Email	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg's Community Contact emailed NextBridge providing information regarding the discussion with Chief & Council related to the community member who has private lands which will be crossed by the transmission line.
July 1, 2014	Email	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg emailed NextBridge informing that the Project will be on Chief & Council Agenda for July 7, 2014.
July 7, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg's Consultation Contact and Chief & Council met for a Project update meeting. There were 13 present at the meeting. The community is in favour of going through Pukaskwa Park. They were most interested in the impact of this line on electricity costs for community members. NextBridge explained the transmission pool and that it would not likely have much impact on individual electricity consumers.
July 17, 2014	Phone call	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg emailed NextBridge a request for map data.
July 27, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg introducing the purpose and need for collecting data regarding community assets, for the purpose of participating in procurement for the Project. Email identifies proposed process and supporting documentation to complete the inventory.
August 1, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
August 7, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg a follow up on the community contracting asset inventory.
August 26, 2014	Email	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg emailed NextBridge raising some concerns regarding the data collection of the Community Assets Inventory and Community Profile. The community will release the inventory only after meeting with leadership on September 16, 2014.
September 16, 2014	Phone call	Discussed CFA with legal team.
September 16, 2014	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg met. Biigtigong Nishnaabeg was not supportive of the method of data collection and development of the community profile and wanted NextBridge to be aware of that. The community wanted to know how this information will be used now and in the future. All information collected should not prejudice any development of future capacity that may be required for future Projects. ■ Biigtigong Nishnaabeg will complete the Community Asset Inventory by the following week, however the community will only release this information once the Capacity Funding Agreement has been completed.
September 29, 2014	Email	Follow up to meeting.
October 15, 2014	Email	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg emailed NextBridge the revised budget for CFA.
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	Letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; and, ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
December 16, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg following up on CFA.
January 5, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg following up on the CFA.
January 14, 2015	Email	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg emailed NextBridge the revised copy of the CFA.
January 26, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg the revised CFA,
February 2, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg the revised CFA.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
February 6, 2015	Email	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg emailed NextBridge regarding the CFA and requesting a conference call.
February 20, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg regarding the CFA.
February 25, 2015	Email	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg emailed NextBridge the Pic River Consultation Law and map of traditional territory.
February 25, 2015	Phone call	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg discussed the CFA.
February 26, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg to follow up on the CFA.
March 3, 2015	Email	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg emailed NextBridge informed that the CFA was approved by Pic River council and request execution copy.
March 4, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg the executed version of the CFA.
March 13, 2015	Email	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg emailed NextBridge the signed CFA.
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director.
June 22, 2015	Email	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg emailed NextBridge requesting current consultation record.
March 3, 2015	Phone call	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg new Consultation Contact and NextBridge discussed gaining access to traditional knowledge for planning purposes.
September 18, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg information on fall activities – geotechnical archaeological and access plan investigations.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg to provide information on Bill 112.
February 8, 2016	Surface mail	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg mailed NextBridge a letter requesting a copy of the confidential RFP that was sent potential general contractors. The community has stated that unless this material is provided they will not consult on the Project.
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
March 29, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg map files.
April 1, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg Consultation Contact discussed the consultation plan going forward. Discussed concerns regarding the transmission line now going around Pukaskwa Park since Parks Canada has not consulted the community. Had some concerns with data confidentiality and would discuss with their lawyer. The community will review the current workplan and budget and provide an updated schedule.
April 4, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg information on upcoming Project milestones – filing of the EA and the Leave to Construct, and field study schedule. Sent copy of map of transmission line in relation to Pic River reserve and traditional territory.
April 17, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg copies of public open house materials – newsletter, fact sheets, and Project update.
April 18, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Biigtigong Nishnaabeg Council and staff to provide a Project update and materials to the new consultation contact. Discussed potential dates for community meetings.
April 18, 2016	Open house	A Biigtigong Nishnaabeg member attended a public open house hosted by NextBridge in Thunder Bay. Topics discussed included the consultation process, participation opportunities and opportunities to review Project material.
April 28, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biigtigong Nishnaabeg to follow up on dates for Pic River community meeting.

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May 16, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biigtigong Nishnaabeg regarding the planning of a community meeting and providing information on the hiring of Indigenous Observers for environmental field work.
May 19, 2016	Email	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg emailed NextBridge informing that Biigtigong Nishnaabeg will cease all consultation efforts until the finalization of economic participation in the Project.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 8, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biigtigong Nishnaabeg notifying that the draft EA documents were sent for review this week.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg the draft EA for review.
December 20, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg to schedule community open houses in Pic River.
December 21, 2016	Email	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg exchanged emails to confirm that the draft EA packages were received and to discuss possible meeting dates for community open houses and a meeting with Chief and Council. Biigtigong Nishnaabeg confirmed the draft EA had been received.
January 9, 2017	Email	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg discussed potential dates for community meetings.
January 9, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg discussed potential dates for community meetings.
January 10, 2017	Email	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg discussed potential dates for community meetings.
January 13, 2017	Email	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg discussed potential dates for community meetings.
January 17, 2017	Email	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg discussed potential dates for community meetings.
January 18, 2017	Email	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg discussed potential dates for community meetings.
January 20, 2017	Email	NextBridge and Biigtigong Nishnaabeg scheduled community open house and meeting for February 15, 2017.
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Biigtigong Nishnaabeg the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House
February 15, 2017	Open house	NextBridge conducted an open house with approximately 70 Biigtigong Nishnaabeg community members. Concerns were expressed about effects on birds, herbicide application. Other topics discussed included potential other sources of energy, the use of access roads after construction is complete, and monitoring opportunities. Biigtigong Nishnaabeg members noted that the Loon Lake reroute will be beneficial for hunting white-tailed deer.
February 15, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Biigtigong Nishnaabeg's Chief and Council to provide a Project overview presentation. Biigtigong Nishnaabeg expressed concerns regarding the durability of guy wires and chemical spraying on vegetation. Other topics discussed included data confidentiality, access roads, vegetation management, economic opportunities, and merchantable timber. Biigtigong Nishnaabeg indicated they would prefer routing through Pukaskwa National Park and requested another open house in summer 2017.
March 21, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge conducted a technical teleconference with Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation, Michipicoten First Nation, Pic Moberg First Nation and representatives from Biigtigong Nishnaabeg. Topics discussed by the Biigtigong Nishnaabeg representatives included habitat fragmentation, permitting approvals and right-of-way clearing requirements.
March 24, 2017	Email	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg emailed NextBridge their technical review of the Draft EA and Cultural Data Assessment map.

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May 1, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Biigtigong Nishnaabeg to discuss environmental and archaeological monitoring opportunities with community representatives. NextBridge discussed the role of the monitor in enhancing information sharing, relationship building and engagement between the community and the Project. Other topics discussed included a capacity funding agreement to facilitate monitor's hiring and technical issues regarding notification, travel, expectations in the field and next steps to get monitors in place. The community was pleased NextBridge is offering multiple opportunities, in multiple surveys, for community members to see directly how NextBridge conducts surveys. The community was pleased to have an additional opportunity for their feedback, input and advice to be included in decision making about the Project.
June 5, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge hosted an archaeology and environment survey kick-off meeting. Community monitors and coordinator were present to listen to archaeology and environmental leads explain the health and safety requirements for conducting surveys, general timelines for surveys and protocols to follow regarding notification, mobilization and communication between the community, technical consultants and the Project.
June 15, 2017	Email	Biigtigong Nishnaabeg signed a letter affirming support for NextBridge's consultation interactions with the First Nations in respect of the Project for NextBridge's development of the Project and Project approvals sought by NextBridge, including the environmental assessment for the Project, and the leave-to-construction application to the Ontario Energy Board.

Table 2-IX-3: Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation (Rocky Bay)

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
November 29, 2013	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation Chief to provide an overview of NextBridge and the Project. Chief was out of the office and a message was left with their assistant.
December 4, 2013	Phone call	Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Economic Development Officer (EDO) telephoned NextBridge following-up on NextBridge's November 29, 2013 message for the Chief. The Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation EDO indicated that the Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation Lands and Resources Coordinator is away on medical leave and that the EDO will step in to gather information on the Project in their absence. The EDO asked for an information package for review and was directed to www.nextbridge.ca and that arrangements can be made for NextBridge to provide copies of materials that have just recently been made available. The EDO indicated that they would be in Thunder Bay on December 5, 2013 and asked to meet to talk about the Project, the First Nation's consultation protocol and to receive a project newsletter and materials.
December 5, 2013	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge and Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation EDO met at the Nokiwin Tribal Council office to discuss the Project and Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's consultation protocol. NextBridge provided Project information materials, including the November 2013 newsletter, copy of public open house presentation panels, Project need fact sheet, transmission line safety fact sheet and frequently asked questions. NextBridge also referred the EDO to www.nextbridge.ca for updated information on the Project as it becomes available. ■ The community's EDO indicated that Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation does not have a completed consultation protocol to share, but the general process was for Project proponents to present to Council and then later present at a Band Meeting. The EDO will try to arrange a meeting with Council prior to the holiday break to talk about consultation process and also suggested connection with the community's Lands and Resources Coordinator via email.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
December 10, 2013	Email	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge emailed the Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Lands and Resources Coordinator and EDO to introduce NextBridge and the Project. NextBridge provided a Project background and update and directed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation Lands and Resources Coordinator to the Project website for more information and a copy of the latest project newsletter. ■ NextBridge indicated that Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation has been identified by the Province and as a result, the Chief and Council may have already received some initial correspondence on this Project from the Crown. NextBridge indicated interest in meeting with Chief and Council to provide more details and to better understand the First Nation's interests in the territory along the proposed transmission route and how the community wishes to be engaged for the Project.
December 10, 2013	Phone call	Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Lands and Resources Coordinator telephoned NextBridge to discuss the community's consultation process. The Lands and Resources Coordinator clarified that they are responsible for coordination of consultation activities for the First Nation but indicated that they are currently off work on leave and there is no person directly handling the position responsibilities. The Lands and Resources Coordinator asked to be emailed Project information as they are prepared to brief Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation Council on the Project and suggest that they look for a date to meet. The Lands and Resources Coordinator indicated that there is a draft Consultation Protocol but it has not been endorsed by Council and the community, and it cannot be released at this time.
December 10, 2013	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Lands and Resources Coordinator copies of the materials from the Project public Open Houses including November 2013 newsletter, copy of presentation panels, project need fact sheet, transmission line safety fact sheet and frequently asked questions.
December 16, 2013	Phone call	Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's EDO telephoned NextBridge requesting a meeting with them and Chief in the community on December 19, 2013 at 11 am. NextBridge confirmed their intent to attend the meeting.
December 19, 2013	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's EDO at the First Nation office on Reserve in Rocky Bay. Chief and other members of council were unable to attend at the last minute and therefore discussed rescheduling the meeting in the new year when Council could attend. Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation EDO indicated that the community was short on capacity to handle many consultation requests and as a result, Council would need to advise on how the community needed to be engaged and consulted. Discussed Project background, info and the potential for land use values in the Project Area. The EDO indicated that data regarding assertions or values in the area of the Project would be held by the Lands and Resources Coordinator. Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation is interested in potential economic opportunities from the Project and also how the Project could open up opportunities for additional renewable energy in the north. Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation is interested in potential wind and transmission developments in the areas east of lake Nipigon and the Project is a requirement to give any hope to these types of projects.
January 27, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's EDO to arrange a follow up meeting to meet with the EDO, Chief, and Council. Tentative date set for Wednesday, January 29, 2014 and EDO to confirm by phone or email. NextBridge was advised that Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation has hired an interim Lands and Resources Coordinator and that they would be at any meetings on the Project
January 27, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's EDO confirming a meeting with Council on Wednesday, January 29, 2014 at 2 pm. NextBridge resent Project information and link to the draft Environmental Assessment (EA) Terms of Reference (ToR) to the Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator as a brief for the meeting.
January 27, 2014	Phone call	Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's EDO telephoned NextBridge to confirm the Chief, Council and Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator's availability for a meeting on January 29, 2014 in Rocky Bay.

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Table 2-IX-3: Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation (Rocky Bay)

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
January 29, 2014	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge met with Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's EDO, Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator and two members of the Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Council at the First Nation office on Reserve at Rocky Bay. The Chief was unable to attend the meeting. ■ NextBridge provided an overview of the Project for the Council members and interim Lands and Resources Coordinator and discussed the Project schedule and draft EA ToR. Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation provided some initial thoughts on how the community should be engaged on aspects of the Project. This included a meeting with Chief and Council, a presentation at a Band meeting and newsletter mail out. It was once again noted that Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation does not have a protocol for release. Council will need to talk internally to determine consultation requirements. Council did not comment on the use of the lands along the Project corridor as they need to work with their staff and Elders to confirm this information. It was noted that much of the First Nation traditional knowledge lies with Lands and Resources Coordinator who is currently off work on a medical leave. ■ The meeting wrapped up with discussion on next steps. A meeting should be arranged with Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Council and NextBridge representatives to discuss a consultation approach and possible capacity funding to help with engagement and consultation activities.
February 3, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator to arrange a meeting between Council and NextBridge representatives for the last week of February. The Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator asked for an email follow up that could be shared with Council.
February 3, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator to follow up on the call from earlier in the day. NextBridge confirmed that their representatives will be in Northern Ontario on February 25, 26, and 27, 2014 and would like to arrange a meeting with the them and Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Council to discuss the community's engagement and consultation on the Project. NextBridge requested February 26, 2014 or February 27, 2014 as potential dates to meet.
February 18, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge left a voicemail for Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator to follow up on request to meet on February 26, 2014.
February 18, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator to follow up on request to meet on February 26, 2014.
February 19, 2014	Email	Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's EDO emailed NextBridge to confirm that the Chief would not be in the community on the February 26 or 27, 2014. The EDO indicated that Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's only expectation from the Project would be some contract opportunities and employment and training. The EDO asked to consider another time to meet.

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February 27, 2014	In-person meeting (informal)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge representatives dropped into the Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's office as they were in the area while travelling along the Highway 11 corridor. NextBridge dropped off the Project's proposed ToR binder. NextBridge group was very pleased to be able to secure an informal meeting with Chief, two Councilors and Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator. NextBridge gave a brief description of the Project and the process for engagement and advised Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's representatives of the need to have the ToR reviewed by the end of March 2014. NextBridge also explained that they are working on a draft Capacity Funding Agreement (CFA) and that it will be forwarded to the First Nation when it is completed in the next several weeks. NextBridge asked the First Nation to consider its capacity funding needs and to be prepared to discuss at their next meeting. ■ Due to the impromptu nature of the meeting the Chief and team indicated that they were not prepared with questions or concerns but that they would take the time to review the provided information. Chief advised that there may be an Election in their Community very shortly and that NextBridge may have to revisit this information with a new Council if there is a change in leadership. NextBridge requested a Consultation Protocol and Chief advised it is not yet finalized or approved for distribution. ■ Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation agreed that the Consultation Protocol will be provided to NextBridge once it is completed. A community Councilor showed the group some maps of the Lake Nipigon area and their Community and talked about values they have around the east side of Lake Nipigon and to the south of the Lake at McIntyre Bay. The Councilor was not sure if their data contained values around the proposed Project but would talk to Lands and Resources Coordinator about this. Chief asked NextBridge to follow up with Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator in a couple of weeks.
March 12, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator to follow up from February 27, 2014 meeting and to discuss potential dates to arrange a community meeting for the Project. The Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator indicated that it would be best to hold off on the scheduling of a meeting as an election has been called for March 29, 2014. The Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator will continue discussions and the scheduling of a community meeting following the Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation election and anticipates contacting NextBridge on March 31, 2014.
April 9, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator to follow up as no call was received from the First Nation on or after March 31, 2014. NextBridge also provided a draft of the CFA as promised and asked that the community continue working on a workplan and budget to support its consultation needs.
April 16, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator to follow up and to arrange a meeting for April 30, 2014.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
April 30, 2014	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge met with Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Chief, Councilors and Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator at the Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation office. NextBridge provided a brief overview of NextBridge and the Project. ■ NextBridge advised Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation that NextBridge was available to help them with a plan to roll out the information to Community members and expressed the importance that project information is provided to the Community so that their members can understand the Project, as this is the beginning of Project consultation and engagement. Discussed the Capacity Funding Agreement including the workplan, budget and schedule. Discussed the best format to get the Project information in to the hands of the Community members, Chief expressed satisfaction with a particular style of open house meeting that seemed to be very effective in engaging the Community members. Chief stated that this must be the first step and that the information provided should include: what happens next, deadlines and Project timelines, when and where the Community members can get additional information and the process to provide input. Chief also requested information for Community members about what type of monitoring will be happening once the Project commences as this is very important to the community when any kind of resources are impacted. It is imperative that follow up occur for additional feedback as some members will want to digest the information and this could lead to more concerns or questions. ■ The Chief indicated that TLU's issues and concerns need to be brought forward prior to the EA. It was also indicated that maps and visual aids are very important in helping their Community understand the Project. Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation feels that it will be very important to have Project people present to answer questions. NextBridge acknowledged the Chiefs comments and committed to work with the Chief and community on the particular style of open house that was requested and as well, NextBridge would ensure project team members would attend including environmental and engineering specialists. The Chief indicated that a Notice of the Open House should go out a couple weeks prior to event and that their Community feels Elder input is crucial. ■ Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation representatives developed a preliminary budget with NextBridge for two open houses, one in the community, and the other in Thunder Bay. This budget was left with the Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator to review and modify if necessary before submitting as a final version. NextBridge was advised by Chief and the Councilors that the Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator would be our primary contact for this information meeting. Chief wanted assurance that accepting funding for these community open houses did not imply consent to the Project, to which NextBridge assured them that the intent is information sharing and gathering and the deemed support of the Project was not a prerequisite of accepting the funding. NextBridge advised that they would expect Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First to provide the NextBridge with a list of issues and concerns gathered at the open house.
May 7, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator to discuss the budget and workplan draft from the community. The Lands and Resources Coordinator confirmed that the budget and workplan completed on April 30, 2014 was final.
May 13, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator to confirm that the budget, workplan and CFA are ready to sign and that it would be emailed to the coordinator for execution. NextBridge confirmed that the agreement should be supported by a BCR.
May 14, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator the execution copy of the CFA for Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation signing.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
May 26, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Interim Lands and Resources Coordinator to follow up on the execution of the CFA. NextBridge was advised that the coordinator no longer worked for the First Nation and was put through to the First Nation EDO. The EDO asked NextBridge to resend the CFA and also made arrangements to meet for a Project update on May 29, 2014 in Thunder Bay.
May 26, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's EDO and Chief the execution copy of the CFA as requested.
May 29, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's EDO met to provide a Project update. NextBridge presented geotechnical work as part of upcoming activities on the Project.
June 26, 2014	Phone call	Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Chief telephoned NextBridge to notify that they hired a new Coordinator and that the new Coordinator would need a meeting to review all the project handouts previously provided to the community.
June 26, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator to provide an introduction to the Project. NextBridge notified that the execution version of the CFA had been submitted previously, and indicated that NextBridge has not received a signed version back from the community. The Lands and Resources Coordinator indicated that they would follow up with the Chief and Council to determine if the CFA has been signed but in the meantime asked for another emailed copy of the CFA. NextBridge will email the execution copy of the CFA.
June 26, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator the execution version of the CFA.
August 1, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
August 6, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator and EDO to follow up on the signing of the CFA.
August 11, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator the Notice of Commencement of EA and to advise of the second round of public open houses scheduled for August 18 to 23, 2014. The notice included the dates and individual locations. NextBridge confirmed that the open houses were for information and that they were not replacing individual First Nation consultation processes.
August 12, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator and EDO requesting the consideration of potential community meeting dates while we were waiting on Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Council execution of the CFA.
August 25, 2014	Phone call	Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator telephoned NextBridge to confirm that Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's Council has signed the CFA but that the coordinator was unable to find the endorsing BCR. The Coordinator will send NextBridge the signed CFA and get another BCR signed.
September 4, 2014	Phone call	Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator telephoned NextBridge to confirm that the signed CFA and budget were mailed out to NextBridge. The coordinator also indicated that an election was recently called and was scheduled for September 27, 2014 and they will follow up once it is confirmed how Council wants to proceed while the election period is underway.
September 8, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator to confirm that the signed CFA was received and to ensure that a copy of the Project BCR had been mailed out. Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation indicated that the BCR was sent out Priority Post.
September 11, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator to thank them and confirm that the signed BCR was received.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
September 24, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator to follow up about arranging a Project open house in the community. NextBridge also forwarded copies of the Project newsletter and handouts from the recent second round of public open house in follow up to the coordinator's calls to the NextBridge Project hotline.
September 26, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator to follow up on the recent emails as well as calls made to the NextBridge Project Hotline. The Coordinator asked to meet on September 29, 2014 to plan for Project open houses in the community.
September 29, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator met to plan for Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation open houses. NextBridge provided hard copies of the recent public open house materials. The Lands and Resources Coordinator has confirmed with Council that they will host a Project open house in Thunder Bay on October 21, 2014 and another open house on the Rocky Bay reserve on October 23, 2014. It was requested that NextBridge representatives provide a brief Project presentation in addition to the traditional open house format to members in attendance.
October 17, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator a copy of the fully executed CFA.
October 21, 2014	Open house	NextBridge members attended the Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's open house on October 21, 2014 at the Prince Arthur Hotel in Thunder Bay. The Chief and new Lands and Resources Coordinator attended along with approximately 25 members of the community. NextBridge provided a verbal Project presentation to the entire group and proceeded to guide community members around the open house panels and route maps on display. No specific questions were asked of the NextBridge group. The new Lands and Resources Coordinator indicated that they would report on the open house in their final report to NextBridge.
October 23, 2014	Open house	NextBridge members attended the Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's open house on October 23 at the Community Centre on the Rocky Bay reserve. Chief and new Lands and Resources Coordinator attended along with approximately 40 members of the community. NextBridge reps provided a verbal Project presentation to the entire group and proceeded to guide community members around the open house panels and route maps on display. No specific questions were asked of the NextBridge group and new Lands and Resources Coordinator indicated that they would report on the open house in their final report to NextBridge.
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation a letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; and, ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
November 17, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator to follow up on the two Project community open houses and to determine when they would submit their final report on the CFA activities. The Lands and Resources Coordinator indicated that they did not receive any questions, new information or values from members attending the community open houses. It was indicated that Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation will not be able to provide a report in the short-term as political matters in the community need to be responded to. It was also indicated that another election may be called in the community soon.
December 8, 2014	Phone call	Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation's new Lands and Resources Coordinator telephoned NextBridge to provide an update on the final report for the CFA. The Lands and Resources Coordinator indicated they are still responding to political matters and does not have time to complete a final report.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director.
April 15, 2015	Email	Email from Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation (on behalf of newly elected Chief) requesting a copy of the Stage 1 Archaeology report and arrangement to meet to obtain the report.
April 17, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation and provided a copy of the Stage 1 Archaeology report as requested.
July 10, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation to follow up on the Stage 1 Archaeology report.
July 10, 2015	Email	Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation Councilor emailed NextBridge indicating that they did not have any comments or concerns at that time regarding the Stage 1 Archaeology report.
July 28, 2015	Phone call	Councillor from Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation telephoned NextBridge regarding interest in future Archaeological participation and request for NextBridge to meet with Chief and Council to discuss.
September 16, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation Chief, members of Council and consultants to provide a Project update and to discuss the community's interest to participate in future Archaeology work. NextBridge inquired about previous engagement work and whether a final report from previous community Open Houses would be submitted to NextBridge. The Chief indicated that the previous coordinator worked from the previous Council and no reports were ever shared with the current Council. Discussion as to whether the First Nation has recorded values around the proposed Project footprint and the Council was not aware of any but could not confirm with certainty at that time. The Council needed to try to find information from the previous Council and they would be in contact if they did.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation providing information on Bill 112
January 28, 2016	Email	Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation emailed a letter regarding interest in Stage 2 Archaeology work.
January 28, 2016	Phone call	Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation Council telephoned NextBridge to indicate no concerns with information on Bill 112.
February 5, 2016	Email	NextBridge sent response letter to Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation regarding interest in Stage 2 Archaeology work.
March 29, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
April 8, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation Council a Notice of Public Open Houses for week of April 18, 2016.
April 18, 2016	Public open house	A Councillor from Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation attended the Thunder Bay public open house and was provided with an update on the Project including the EA work and upcoming spring fieldwork by NextBridge. NextBridge also provided copies of the Project newsletter and Project handouts.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation the draft EA for review.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek First Nation the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House

Table 2-IX-4: Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek (Sand Point First Nation)

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
November 22, 2013	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned the Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek Community Contact to arrange an initial meeting with Chief to discuss the Project. A brief meeting was scheduled for November 26, 2013 at the Chiefs of Ontario meeting at Fort William First Nation in Thunder Bay.
November 26, 2013	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek Chief and Community Contact at the Chiefs of Ontario meeting (at Fort William First Nation). NextBridge introduced the Project and discussed how Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek wishes to be consulted on the Project. A follow up meeting with Chief and Community contact was tentatively set for December 6, 2013. Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek requested for any available Project materials to be provided in advance of the next meeting. At this time Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek were referred to www.nextbridge.ca .
December 5, 2013	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek Community Contact at the Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek First Nation office in Thunder Bay to provide him with copies of the Project Open House materials including, the November 2013 newsletter, copy of presentation panels, Project need fact sheet, transmission line safety fact sheet and frequently asked questions.
December 6, 2013	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact at the Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek First Nation office to discuss how the community wishes to be consulted for the Project. The Chief had to cancel at the last moment but left message that suggested that the meeting continue with the Community Contact. The Community Contact indicated that the community does not have a completed consultation protocol but is generally using a practice that requires proponents to meet with Chief and Council and then present the Project at a Band Meeting. The Community Contact indicated that Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek is quite a distance from the Project however, they still need to complete consultation activities to determine if there are/will be assertions. Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek is also interested in any economic opportunities including training or jobs from the Project and would like to follow up with a meeting including Chief to confirm their approach.
December 10, 2013	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact to arrange a meeting with Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek Council. A meeting was confirmed for December 13, 2013. The Community Contact requested electronic copies of the public open houses materials for use in distribution to community members.
December 10, 2013	Email	NextBridge emailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact electronic copies of the Project materials from the public open houses.
December 13, 2013	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Chief and Community Contact to discuss the community's consultation process. Chief indicated that a meeting with Council could not happen until mid to late January 2014. Chief also indicated that the Project is far from Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek traditional territory but that the community still needed to engage with members to determine interest and/or impacts if any. Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek is also interested to participate in any economic opportunities from the Project. Chief will have the community contact follow up with potential dates for a meeting between NextBridge and Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek Council.
January 21, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact to discuss aspects of the community's consultation process requirements. NextBridge also requested potential dates where NextBridge could get out to the community.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
February 3, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact to inform him that Project representatives from NextBridge would be in Northern Ontario on February 25, 26, and 27, 2014. NextBridge requested an opportunity to connect with the Community Contact and Council to discuss a process for Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's engagement and consultation on the Project.
February 6, 2014	Email	Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek emailed NextBridge confirming a meeting between Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek Chief and Council and NextBridge representatives for February 25, 2014 at 2 pm at the Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek office in Thunder Bay.
February 24, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact requesting a later time for NextBridge to meet with Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek Council due to a change in travel schedules for NextBridge representatives. The Community Contact confirmed that Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek Council was not available at a later time and request that the meeting be delayed to March 2014.
March 6, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact requesting a meeting between Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek Council and NextBridge representatives on March 12, 2014. Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact responded, confirming Chief and Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek Council's availability to meet the morning of March 12, 2014.
March 12, 2014	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge met with Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek Chief, Councillors and Community Contact at the Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek office in Thunder Bay. NextBridge provided a Project overview including Project need and Project schedule. ■ NextBridge indicated that they can provide capacity funding agreements to help support consultation work in the community. The Community Contact indicated that Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek has completed values mapping work in the past and this covered areas around the First Nation, Lake Nipigon and north of their community. They are uncertain whether their database contains values along the proposed Project route. The Community Contact indicated that Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek has socio-economic interests from the Project as it will enhance the transmission system in the north potentially enabling generation Projects of interest to Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek (i.e., Little Jackfish River Hydroelectric and large wind potential on the eastern shores of Lake Nipigon). ■ A Councillor expressed concern over potential herbicide use in operations and would like to see manual controls as much as possible. The Community Contact agreed and acknowledged the labour opportunity that this could provide to First Nations. NextBridge was committed to providing benefits to First Nation communities and would be interested to continue discussion on the topic at future meetings. NextBridge indicated that we first need to focus on engagement and consultation planning. ■ The community contact indicated that Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek does not have a consultation protocol to share but generally ask proponents to present to the membership at a Band Meeting as a first step and that unfortunately, no meetings are scheduled. NextBridge asked if the Project ToR could be reviewed and that if there are any comments that they be submitted before March 31, 2014. NextBridge asked the Community Contact to draft a workplan and budget for capacity funding so that the parties could work together to satisfy Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's engagement and consultation needs. NextBridge committed to provide Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek with a draft Capacity Funding Agreement (CFA) for their review in the next week or two.
March 21, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact a draft CFA for review as committed to in the March 12, 2014 meeting. NextBridge committed to work with the Community Contact on an engagement and consultation plan as well as accompanying capacity funding budget for Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek.
March 31, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact to follow up on the draft CFA. NextBridge offered assistance and asked for a schedule for submission of the workplan and budget. The Community Contact indicated that they need more time and would contact NextBridge in the next week or two.
April 8, 2014	Email	Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact emailed NextBridge the proposed budget and consultation plan for review.

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Table 2-IX-4: Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek (Sand Point First Nation)

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
April 22, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact Confirming NextBridge acceptance of budget and work plan and committing to provide execution copy of agreement. As per the workplan, NextBridge requested potential dates to complete a presentation to the community so that NextBridge could engage with the community and seek information relating to Traditional Ecological Knowledge (TEK) as outlined in the Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek budget submission. The Community Contact will provide tentative dates for community meeting in the next couple months as well as a second one before the Project goes into construction. NextBridge also provided an update on the planned field studies and geotechnical work planned for the upcoming summer months.
April 30, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek the executed copy of the CFA for signing.
June 25, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact regarding potential dates for a community presentation on the Project. Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek Council has been busy and they will not likely have a meeting this summer and that fall would likely be better. NextBridge advised that the second round of public open houses is scheduled for July 2014 and that a third round would be scheduled for September 2014 if Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek Council wanted to consider holding their community meeting around these dates or if they wanted to drop-into them. The Community Contact indicated that later in September 2014 might be better for Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's community meeting. NextBridge discussed the geotechnical work as part of upcoming activities on the Project.
August 1, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge emailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
August 11, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact the Notice of Commencement of EA and to inform of the second round of public open houses scheduled for August 18 to 23, 2014. The notice included the dates and individual locations. NextBridge confirmed that the open houses were for information and that they were not replacing individual First Nation consultation processes.
August 18, 2014	Public open house	NextBridge met with Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact at the public open house in Thunder Bay. NextBridge provided copies of the Project handouts and asked if Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek was ready to select a date for their first community meeting on the Project in September. The Community Contact indicated that Chief and Council need to push back the date into the fall months and would identify possible dates. NextBridge requested that Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek inform NextBridge if the community has any TEK or Traditional Land Use (TLU) data in the vicinity of the Project so that it can be considered in the EA process. The Community Contact indicated that they did not have anything on file and needed to engage with members at a meeting to determine if there are interests in the Project area.
October 15, 2014	Phone call	Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact telephoned NextBridge requesting to push back the community meeting / open house until the late winter or spring and that they would stay in contact. NextBridge provided information to Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek on recent notice from the Ontario Power Authority to consider up to a 2-year extension to the Project. Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek will hold off until there is further certainty on the Project schedule.
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek a letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; and, ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director.

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Table 2-IX-4: Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek (Sand Point First Nation)

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
July 21, 2015	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact to advise that the updated Project schedule is not yet completed. The Community Contact advised that Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek will hold off with scheduling their community meeting until there is more certainty in the Project schedule.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek information on Bill 112.
January 25, 2016	Email	Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek emailed NextBridge indicating that they had no concerns with information on Bill 112.
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge emailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
April 8, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek a Notice of Public open houses for week of April 18, 2014.
April 18, 2016	Public open house	NextBridge met Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact at the Thunder Bay public open house and provided an update on the Project including the EA work and upcoming spring fieldwork. NextBridge provided copies of the Project newsletter and Project handouts. NextBridge requested to arrange a Project open house/community meeting presentation as per the CFA. Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek requested follow up on the issue at end of May.
May 27, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact to arrange a Project open house/community meeting presentation. Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek is unable to schedule a meeting for the Project presentation as they only have one meeting scheduled and the agenda is already set on another community priority. Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek may look to the fall months but it may have to be pushed out even further as an election is scheduled for January 2017.
September 29, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact at a conference in Thunder Bay. NextBridge asked about opportunities to arrange a Project open house/community meeting presentation. Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek's Community Contact confirmed that no meetings will be scheduled until after the election in January 2017.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek the draft EA for review.
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House

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Table 2-IX-5: Fort William First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
November 26, 2013	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation's Community Contact and Chief Executive Officer to provide a brief overview of NextBridge and the Project. NextBridge advised the community that they were available to help them with a plan to roll out the information to Community members. Fort William First Nation indicated that they are aware of the Project. Fort William First Nation indicated they would want to consult separately from their economic partnership and potentially pursue an Impact Benefit Agreement (IBA) with NextBridge.
November 29, 2013	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's Community Contact following-up on the November 26, 2013 meeting and requesting an opportunity to meet with the Fort William First Nation Chief and representatives to provide Project information and to gain an understanding of how the community wants to be engaged and involved in the Project. NextBridge confirmed that they would be available to join any scheduled meeting with the community at the community's earliest convenience.
November 29, 2013	Phone call	Fort William First Nation Chief's Assistant telephoned NextBridge to confirm a meeting on December 3, 2013 between NextBridge and Chief to be held at the Band Office. An agenda was requested to be sent to the Chief (through the First Nation CEO) prior to the meeting.
December 3, 2013	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation Chief Executive Officer (CEO) an agenda for the December 3, 2013 meeting with the Chief.
December 3, 2013	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation Chief and Community Contact at the Fort William First Nation office. Agenda included introductions, overview of the Project, Aboriginal Participation Plan, Aboriginal Consultation Plan and next steps. NextBridge has public open houses underway if the Chief or Council was interested to drop-in any one of them to meet the Project team and to get further updates on the Project. Informed the Chief that public open houses are not meant to replace direct First Nation engagement and NextBridge plans to arrange direct engagement activities with the community. Chief asked that we work with community to discuss Fort William First Nation's consultation requirements. NextBridge requested that Fort William First Nation's consultation protocol or process be shared with NextBridge. Fort William First Nation indicated that they would attempt to locate the consultation protocol for the next meeting.
December 11, 2013	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation's Community Contact at the Fort William First Nation office. NextBridge provided hard copies of all public open house handouts. Fort William First Nation discussed their territory, provided a copy of their territory map, and interest in Project participation. The Community contact indicated that Fort William First Nation has a protocol that will be emailed to NextBridge following the meeting so that a January meeting can be organized to begin development of an engagement and consultation plan. The Community contact also raised the need for a capacity agreement to support the First Nation in carrying out engagement and consultation work. Community Contact indicated that they are aware of what has been transpiring with economic participation and the Bamkushwada Limited Partnership (BLP) communities holding back on consultation work. Community contact wants to continue on developing a consultation plan.
January 13, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation Chief and Community Contact at the Fort William First Nation office. NextBridge discussed the consultation stream and the desire to develop a consultation plan with Fort William First Nation. Community Contact indicated that they will forward the community's protocol to initiate discussion on a consultation plan after the meeting.
January 30, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation's Community Contact at Fort William First Nation Community Centre. Brief discussion about the Fort William First Nation protocol. Community Contact indicated that they will forward it once they locate it. The Community Contact requested a follow up meeting for February 4, 2014.
February 4, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation's CEO at Fort William First Nation office. NextBridge discussed interest in making arrangements for a presentation to the Fort William First Nation Council. The CEO confirmed that NextBridge representatives are scheduled to meet with the Fort William First Nation Chief and Council on February 26, 2014 at 7:30 pm at the Fort William First Nation office Council Chambers.
February 10, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation a confidentiality agreement and requested the Band Council Resolution (BCR).

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February 20, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Fort William First Nation Chief's Assistant to confirm NextBridge meeting with Chief and Council on February 26, 2014 at 7:30 pm. Voicemail was left.
February 24, 2014	Phone call	Fort William First Nation Chief's Assistant telephoned NextBridge to confirm that NextBridge has been bumped on the Fort William First Nation Council agenda for February 26, 2014 and pushed to their following Council meeting on March 5, 2014.
February 28, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Fort William First Nation Chief's Assistant to advise that NextBridge reps were unable to meet on March 5, 2014. Fort William First Nation Chief's Assistant indicated that Fort William First Nation Council meets weekly and that next meeting would be on March 12, 2014 and that a week notice should be given to confirm a time on their agenda.
March 10, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Fort William First Nation's Community Contact to follow up on the Fort William First Nation protocol so that work could begin on the development of a consultation plan. Community contact indicated that they are still working on getting a copy of their protocol to share.
March 14, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Fort William First Nation Chief's Assistant to confirm a NextBridge addition on the Fort William First Nation Council agenda for March 19, 2014.
March 19, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge attended the Fort William First Nation Council meeting. NextBridge provided an update on the Project including an update on the Aboriginal Participation Plan. NextBridge provided an update on the Consultation stream of work and indicated that NextBridge is looking to develop engagement and consultation plans with each First Nation and that NextBridge would support this work with a Capacity Funding Agreement (CFA). NextBridge confirmed that they were available to work directly with the community in the development and implementation of the plans. NextBridge confirmed that Project handouts have been shared with the Community Contact and that discussions were underway on the development of a consultation plan for Fort William First Nation.
May 13, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation to introduce the Aboriginal Workforce Liaison staff member who will assist with the Project's employment strategy. NextBridge emailed an environmental monitoring job posting.
May 23, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Fort William First Nation's Chief to determine whether First William was ready to initiate further discussion on a consultation plan and budget. Chief needs to confirm with Council as well as partner First Nations in BLP to determine if they are ready to engage.
June 4, 2014	Phone call	Fort William First Nation's CEO telephoned NextBridge to advise that the Community Contact for the Project has left their position and that he would handle the development of a consultation plan for the First Nation. The CEO requested to meet with NextBridge on June 13, 2014 to discuss the consultation plan.
June 13, 2014	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge met Fort William First Nation's CEO to discuss the consultation plan. The CEO requested funding support for a part-time individual to act as a point person on the Project in the community. Additional support is also needed to support community engagement meetings, transportation costs, Elders honorariums; Traditional TEK / Traditional Land and Resource Use (TLRU) work if gaps exist in current data. ■ Existing TEK / TLRU data is already to be forwarded via the data share agreements. NextBridge requested that the previous Community Contact provide these ideas in a draft workplan and budget. NextBridge also took the opportunity to discuss the upcoming environmental studies and geotechnical work. ■ Fort William First Nation's CEO confirmed that another Community Contact will be assigned to the Project and he will have them contact NextBridge in the next couple of weeks.
June 18, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation a summary of the June 13, 2014 discussions and outlining the consultation plan and budget items discussed. The email acknowledged that Fort William First Nation will assign another contact to NextBridge who will make contact in the next couple of weeks.
June 30, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Fort William First Nation's CEO to follow up to determine if a new Community Contact had been appointed. The CEO confirmed that one had and provided new contact information.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
July 7, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's new Community Contact electronic copies of all the Project handouts that had been previously provided to Community as well as a summary of the consultation plan and budget discussions had with the community to date.
July 7, 2014	Phone call	Fort William First Nation's new Community Contact telephoned NextBridge to arrange a meeting on July 10, 2014.
July 10, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation's Community Contact to provide an overview of the Project and to update on the progress to develop a consultation plan and budget for the community. The Community Contact indicated that they have been briefed by the CEO but still needs time to review the Project handouts and to consider the community's needs for capacity support to engage and consult on the Project. The Community Contact indicated that they would follow up in the next week or two.
July 24, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Fort William First Nation's Community Contact to follow up on the capacity funding budget to support consultation work. The Community Contact had not had a chance to consider a draft budget yet.
July 27, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation to introduce the purpose and need to collect data regarding community assets to allow for participation in procurement opportunities for the Project.
July 28, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's Community Contact to follow up and to offer assistance in the development of a consultation plan.
August 1, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Fort William First Nation an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
August 4, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's Economic Development Manager to follow up on the request for the community asset inventory.
August 7, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's Economic Development Manager to follow up on the July 27, 2014 request for the community asset inventory.
August 11, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's Community Contact the Notice of Commencement of EA and informed of the second round of public open houses scheduled for August 18 to 23, 2014. The notice included the dates and individual locations. NextBridge confirmed that the open houses were for information and that they were not replacing individual First Nation consultation processes.
August 15, 2017	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nations' Economic Development Manager to follow up on the July 27, 2014 request for the community asset inventory.
August 25, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's Community Contact to provide a copy of the CFA for review and to determine whether there would be interest to schedule a community open house.
September 4, 2014	Phone call	Fort William First Nation's new Community Contact telephoned NextBridge to arrange a meeting on September 5, 2014.
September 5, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation's Community Contact to work on draft budget and workplan for the CFA. The Community Contact confirmed that that a September open house date would not work for Fort William First Nation.
September 12, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's Community Contact a copy of the draft CFA budgets that were collectively worked on. NextBridge requested that they continue to look for a date to hold a community open house in Fort William First Nation.
September 19, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's Community Contact a copy of the final CFA for execution along with instructions for signing including the need for a BCR to endorse the CFA.
October 7, 2014	Email	Fort William First Nation emailed NextBridge a letter on behalf of Chief confirming that True Grit will now be the Fort William First Nation's contact for the Project and request to meet on October 9, 2014.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
October 9, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation's Chief and consultants, True Grit, to provide an overview of the Project an update True Grit and where the parties are at on Fort William First Nation engagement on the Project. NextBridge explained that a budget and workplan have been submitted and a CFA is pending signature from Fort William First Nation. Chief indicated that they posted for a coordinator in the community and that the process did not generate any names for consideration and this is why they are appointing True Grit to coordinate their engagement work. Fort William is reviewing the CFA and will get back with comments or signed agreement in the next week.
October 28, 2014	Phone call	Fort William First Nation's consultants, True Grit, telephoned NextBridge to provide a status update. True Grit confirmed that the CFA has not yet cleared legal and the agreement will be signed at the next Council meeting following the review. True Grit also indicated that they were considering a date for a Project community open house and would forward tentative dates to NextBridge.
November 4, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's consultants, True Grit, notifying the community of the recent decision to extend the Project schedule from 2018 to 2020. NextBridge confirmed that they remained committed to continue engaging the community as originally planned and was looking to get the signed CFA and BCR soon. NextBridge indicated that there would be an opportunity to discuss the Project extension in greater detail and what the extension meant for longer term engagement activities.
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Fort William First Nation a letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; and. ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
December 4, 2014	Email	Fort William First Nation's Community Contact emailed NextBridge notifying that the CFA is still with Fort William First Nation legal for review.
January 16, 2015	Phone call	Fort William First Nation's consultants, True Grit, telephoned NextBridge to confirm Fort William First Nation has selected a Project community open house date for February 10, 2015
January 21, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's Community Contact to invite them to attend an EA workshop with NextBridge and Dillon Consulting. Fort William First Nation's Community Contacts responded that they were available to attend the EA workshop.
January 29, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's consultants, True Grit, and Community Contact confirming attendance at an EA workshop in Thunder Bay on February 11, 2015 at the Valhalla Inn. NextBridge also provided a copy of the Data Sharing Agreement between NextBridge and Fort William First Nation.
February 10, 2015	Open house	NextBridge attended the Fort William open house at the community centre on reserve. A Fort William First Nation Councillor, the Community Contact and True Grit attended along with five members of the community. NextBridge representatives were available to guide community members around the open house panels and route maps on display. No specific questions were asked of the NextBridge group and True Grit indicated that they would continue to engage members on the Project in the community following the open house.
February 11, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge arranged an EA workshop with Dillon Consulting in Thunder Bay. True Grit and Community contact attended and were provided an overview of the EA process with an emphasis on how their First Nation can provide information and participation into the planning process. The workshop introduced members from Fort William First Nation, Red Rock Indian Band and Pays Plat First Nation for networking opportunities and to allow them to share engagement experiences from their respective communities.
February 12, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Fort William First Nation's Community Contact to follow up on the EA workshop. The Contact requested copies of route maps to be used for TEK / TLRU work in the community. The Contact requested a meeting on February 24, 2014.
February 24, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation's Community Contact to provide electronic copies of route maps for engagement work. The Community Contact also advised that the First Nation was scheduled to have an Election in early April.

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March 6, 2015	Email	Fort William First Nations' consultants, True Grit, emailed NextBridge the CFA signed by Chief.
March 19, 2015	Email	Fort William First Nation's Community Contact emailed NextBridge the BCR to endorse the CFA.
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Fort William First Nation a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permit; and, ■ New Project Director.
April 27, 2015	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Fort William First Nation's Community Contact to discuss the next steps following the First Nation election. Community contact indicated that the new Chief and Council need to be briefed on the Project before moving forward. The Community Contact arranged a meeting between NextBridge and the Chief for April 29, 2015.
April 29, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with new Chief and provided an update on the engagement work and Chief requested a full update from NextBridge including an update on commercial negotiations.
May 19, 2015	Phone call	Fort William First Nation's Community Contact telephoned NextBridge to arrange a meeting on May 21, 2015.
May 21, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation's Community contact and staff at the Fort William First Nation Office to discuss progress with on CFA activities and TK / TLU interview strategies. The Chief attended the meeting before it started to indicate that Fort William First Nation is no longer consulting on the Project until a commercial agreement is concluded.
May 29, 2015	Email	Fort William First Nation's Community Contact emailed NextBridge requesting printed maps for TEK and values mapping.
May 31, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's Community Contact to confirm the extent of the area that should be displayed on the requested maps to determine which route map panels to have printed for her.
June 15, 2015	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Fort William First Nation's Community Contact to follow up on the request for maps. Left message on voicemail.
September 14, 2015	Phone call	Fort William First Nation's Director of Economic Development telephoned NextBridge indicating that the Community Contact has moved to another position and that the Director will be taking over the role of consultation lead on the Project. The Director indicated that they needed to review the file before contacting NextBridge to arrange an initial meeting.
November 2, 2015	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Fort William First Nation's Director of Economic Development to follow up and to arrange a time to meet.
November 9, 2015	Email	Fort William First Nation's Director of Economic Development emailed NextBridge to arrange a time to meet with NextBridge on November 18, 2015.
November 18, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation's Director of Economic Development who indicated that they had not had an opportunity to review the file but was preparing to hire a Consultation Coordinator to implement the CFA.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation information on Bill 112.
January 19, 2016	Email	Fort William First Nation's Director of Economic Development emailed NextBridge to arrange a time to meet with NextBridge on January 22, 2016.
January 22, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation's Director of Economic Development to discuss the engagement process. The Director indicated that a Consultation Coordinator has not been hired yet and they will call another meeting to re-launch the engagement process once a coordinator is hired.
February 24, 2016	Phone call	Fort William First Nation's Director of Economic Development telephoned NextBridge to arrange a time to meet with NextBridge on February 29, 2016. The Director indicated that the First Nation has now hired a new Consultation Coordinator.
February 29, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation's Director of Economic Development and new Consultation Coordinator for introductions and a background and update on the Project.

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March 21, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's Community Contacts notifying them of the public open houses taking place the week of April 18, 2016. NextBridge also requested a meeting date to work on a plan to carry out the activities in the CFA.
March 23, 2016	Phone call	Fort William First Nation's new Consultation Coordinator telephoned NextBridge to arrange a meeting on March 30, 2016.
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
March 30, 2016	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge and Fort William First Nation's Community Contact met to review the CFA and work completed under it to date. The Community Contact was aware of the one meeting held in February 2015 with very little attendance and indicated that this is not representative of Fort William First Nation's interest in the Project. ■ The Community Contact recognized the need to hold another open house soon but needs to confirm the First Nation's plan with Chief. NextBridge requested Fort William First Nation's consultation protocol and the Community Contact committed to follow up on it. The Community Contact shared a copy of a booklet entitled "Fort William First Nation: Our Territory and the Duty to Consult". The information can be found at: http://fwfn.com/traditional-territory-the-duty-to-consult/
April 5, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's Community Contact Project Geographic Information System (GIS) shapefiles that included the proposed route, access roads, laydown and storage yards as well as worker camp locations. This GIS information was intended to allow Fort William First Nation to compare the Project footprint with their existing traditional land use and traditional ecological knowledge database and to support additional community engagement.
April 8, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's Community Contact notifying of upcoming spring field work and NextBridge's interest in recruiting Aboriginal Field Monitors.
April 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Fort William First Nation's Community Contact a copy of the Aboriginal Field Monitor Job document to pass on to members interested in assisting with the spring field work activities.
April 18, 2016	Open house	A member of Fort William First Nation attended an open house hosted by NextBridge and discussed employment and economic opportunities with NextBridge representatives.
May 25, 2016	Email	Advised that the 6 route First Nations have slowed in their engagement work.
October 20, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Fort William First Nation's Community Contact to discuss about whether Fort William First Nation was ready to re-engage. The Community Contact indicated that they need to confirm with Chief and will follow up.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Fort William First Nation an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Fort William First Nation the draft EA for review.
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	<p>NextBridge mailed Fort William First Nation the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House
January 30, 2017	Open house	NextBridge attended an open house with approximately 29 Fort William First Nation members. NextBridge provided takeaway materials and panel boards with Project information. Fort William First Nation indicated that they would be prepared to discuss providing a summary traditional knowledge report for the Project. Other requests made by Fort William First Nation members were about the progress of the Project and about employment and contracting opportunities.
March 6, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge conducted a technical briefing meeting and teleconference call with Fort William First Nation, Pays Plat First Nation and Red Rock Indian Band. A Project update was provided and comments on the draft EA and budget updates were discussed. A concern was expressed about the use of recreational vehicles and fishing by Project workers and the archaeological discovery protocol was discussed.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
May 1, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Fort William First Nation to discuss environmental and archaeological monitoring opportunities with community representatives. NextBridge discussed the role of the monitor in enhancing information sharing, relationship building and engagement between the community and the Project. Other topics discussed included a capacity funding agreement to facilitate monitor's hiring and technical issues regarding notification, travel, expectations in the field and next steps to get monitors in place. The community was pleased NextBridge is offering multiple opportunities, in multiple surveys, for community members to see directly how NextBridge conducts surveys. The community was pleased to have an additional opportunity for their feedback, input and advice to be included in decision making about the Project.
June 5, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge hosted an archaeology and environment survey kick-off meeting. Community monitors and coordinator were present to listen to archaeology and environmental leads explain the health and safety requirements for conducting surveys, general timelines for surveys and protocols to follow regarding notification, mobilization and communication between the community, technical consultants and the Project.
June 15, 2017	Email	Fort William First Nation signed a letter affirming support for NextBridge's consultation interactions with the First Nations in respect of the Project for NextBridge's development of the Project and Project approvals sought by NextBridge, including the environmental assessment for the Project, and the leave-to-construction application to the Ontario Energy Board.

Table 2-IX-6: Ginoogaming First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
November 29, 2013	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation's Chief to provide an overview of NextBridge and the Project. The Chief was unavailable so NextBridge left message with reception.
December 2, 2013	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact to provide an overview of NextBridge and the Project. The Community Contact indicated that they would brief Chief and Council and suggested that they meet with the NextBridge team for an initial meeting. They indicated that Ginoogaming First Nation has traditional territory south of Long Lake No. 58 First Nation near the Project line. Ginoogaming First Nation would be interested to talk about a consultation process and that they are interested in benefits from the line. NextBridge committed to following up by email including information and referred the Community Contact to the Project website.
December 2, 2013	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact following-up on the same day's phone call. NextBridge requested to talk with Chief and Council to seek community input into the Aboriginal Consultation Plan. NextBridge also indicated they would like to better understand Ginoogaming First Nation's interests and hopefully to get a better understanding of how the community wishes to be engaged for the Project.
December 10, 2013	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact following-up on NextBridge's request to meet with the community for the Project. The Community Contact indicated that Chief and Council are too busy to meet before the holidays.
December 10, 2013	Email	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact following-up on the same day's phone call to acknowledge Ginoogaming First Nation Chief and Council may not be able to meet until the new year. NextBridge indicated that they could be flexible and meet in either Thunder Bay or at Ginoogaming First Nation. ■ NextBridge acknowledged that the First Nation has almost completed its Consultation Protocol and that there has also been a lot of work done on collecting traditional knowledge. These items will be valuable for the discussions that lie ahead.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
December 10, 2013	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact to provide copies of the Project handouts from the public open houses and link to Project website www.nextbridge.ca .
January 9, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact to follow up on December discussions and request to meet. Left message with reception at First Nation office.
January 13, 2013	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact to follow up on January 9, 2014 phone call. NextBridge wanted to check progress on arrangements for an initial meeting for the Project. NextBridge indicated that a number of public open houses have been completed as well as meetings with many area First Nations to introduce the Project. NextBridge indicated that they have developed a draft ToR for the Project EA. This draft has just been released for review and correspondence has been sent to the Ginoogaming First Nation Chief.
January 13, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact to provide a link to the draft EA ToR.
January 17, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation's Chief but the Chief was not available. A message was left with reception.
January 28, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact but was informed they were unavailable. NextBridge asked for Lands Manager and was also informed they were unavailable so a message was left with left for both with reception.
February 3, 2014	Phone call	Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact telephoned NextBridge following-up from the message from last week. The Community Contact indicated that they have been out of the office for over a week and has not yet reviewed the materials that were sent or yet received direction from Chief and Council on the Project. NextBridge indicated that their representatives would be in the Longlac area on February 27, 2014 and requested an opportunity to introduce the Project to the Chief and Council. The Community Contact asked that an email be sent to him summarizing the discussion and request to meet.
February 5, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact confirming that representatives from NextBridge would be in Northern Ontario on the last week of February and would be in the Longlac area on February 27, 2014. NextBridge requested to meet with the Community Contact and any members of Ginoogaming First Nation Council who may be available to participate in a discussion on the Project. NextBridge requested that the Community Contact confirm whether a meeting could be arranged on the afternoon of February 27, 2014 or for alternative dates that would be suitable to the First Nation.
February 18, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Ginoogaming First Nation's Senior Advisor to Chief Council discussed the Project. The Advisor indicated that they have recently returned to work from an extended absence and has not been briefed on the Project communications to date. The Advisor acknowledged that the Project is a long distance from the community and needed to discuss with the Chief the community's interest to meet with NextBridge. NextBridge advised that their representatives were to be in the Longlac area on February 27, 2014 and requested to meet at that time. The Advisor requested that NextBridge re-send all Project information that had been previously sent to the community for review.
February 18, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation's Senior Advisor to Chief & Council to summarize that day's phone call and to forward Project information that had been previously sent to the community.
February 20, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation's Senior Advisor to Chief & Council to reiterate the request for a meeting on February 27, 2014 between NextBridge and Ginoogaming First Nation. The Advisor could not confirm interest to meet at the time and indicated that they would follow up with in next couple of days.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
February 24, 2014	Phone call	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation's Senior Advisor to Chief & Council to follow up on the request to meet and was informed that nothing had been confirmed anything with Council. NextBridge informed that NextBridge representatives would be in Longlac on February 27, 2014 and would like to drop-in Ginoogaming First Nation office after lunch to say hello and to provide a copy of the proposed EA ToR. The Advisor agreed with this plan. ■ The Advisor raised concerns about electricity planning for the Ring of Fire and the need to have Ginoogaming First Nation engaged with Ring of Fire mining development. NextBridge responded that the Project is separate and apart from any planning on transmission that would lead to the north or the Ring of Fire. NextBridge referred to the Project information previously sent out, which confirms the Project location as well as need as determined by the Ontario Power Authority. ■ The Advisor asked why Ginoogaming First Nation was being consulted with on a transmission Project so far from their community. NextBridge indicated that Ministry of Energy identified Ginoogaming First Nation as one of several First Nations that need to be engaged with on the Project and as a result NextBridge has been making a strong effort to connect with the First Nation in order to share information on the Project and to get a sense of land use in the vicinity of the Project from the First Nation.
February 24, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation's Senior Advisor to Chief & Council a summary of the phone conversation from earlier in the day.
February 27, 2014	In-person meeting (informal)	NextBridge representatives stopped in at the Ginoogaming First Nation office while in the Longlac area and asked at reception for Chief, the community contact and Senior Advisor to Chief & Council but none were in the office. NextBridge dropped off a copy of the proposed ToR for the Project EA for the Chief and Council for comment.
March 5, 2014	In-person meeting (informal)	NextBridge met Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact at airport in Toronto. NextBridge asked the Community Contact if they had had an opportunity to connect with Ginoogaming First Nation Council or the Senior Advisor to Chief & Council on the Project. The Community Contact indicated that they needed to connect with the Senior Advisor and requested a follow up phone call on March 10, 2014.
March 10, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact in follow up to the meeting from the previous week. The Community Contact was not in and NextBridge left a message with reception.
March 12, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact in follow up to the meeting from the previous week. The Community Contact indicated that they were currently in Thunder Bay for other meetings. NextBridge asked if the Community Contact would want to meet later today for introductions. The Community Contact was unable to meet.
March 18, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Ginoogaming First Nation's Chief at an Economic Development Forum in Thunder Bay and provided a brief background on the Project and confirmed that NextBridge had been in contact with the Community Contact and Senior Advisor to Chief & Council but have been unable to get a meeting with the Chief and Council. Chief is aware of the Project and that she will ask the community contact to arrange a meeting with Council. Chief understood that First Nation engagement work has been underway since November and that Ginoogaming First Nation wanted to "catch-up".
April 3, 2104	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact to follow up on conversation with Chief on March 18, 2014. No answer; left a message with reception.
April 9, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact in follow up to previous message. Indicated that NextBridge wanted to assist Ginoogaming First Nation with possible capacity challenges that may be preventing them from engaging on the Project. Committed to following up if no contact is made following the email.
April 17, 2014	Phone call	Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact telephoned NextBridge to arrange a meeting on April 23, 2014 in Thunder Bay to talk about a consultation plan. Ginoogaming First Nation had a consultation protocol and will forward it before any meetings took place. NextBridge provided an update on the planned field studies and geotechnical work planned for the upcoming summer months.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
April 23, 2014	Phone call	Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact telephoned NextBridge cancelling the scheduled meeting for the day. The Community Contact indicated that he was advised by his Chief that a Matawa Chiefs' Council was looking into the Project and that he has been asked to back off the file.
May 8, 2014	Phone call	Ginoogaming First Nation's Senior Advisor to Chief & Council telephoned NextBridge to confirm that Ginoogaming First Nation Chief and Council have too much on their agenda and that they will not be looking at the Project anytime soon. He confirmed that the Project is not a priority for the First Nation. NextBridge indicated that they were not only carrying out aspects of the Crown's Duty to Consult but were trying to be respectful in engaging early and often and they now understood the First Nation's position. The Advisor confirmed that they would be in touch in the future if and when they have time and are instructed to do so.
June 13, 2014	Email	Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact emailed NextBridge a copy of Ginoogaming First Nation's Consultation Protocol. NextBridge responded that it would be reviewed and responded to within a week.
June 18, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact to acknowledge the review of the protocol and request to meet to discuss.
July 28, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact to follow up. Confirmed that NextBridge had reviewed the protocol and again encouraged him to discuss a consultation plan. The Contact was not able to provide any information and confirmed that he needed to respond at a later date.
August 1, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ginoogaming First Nation an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
August 11, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact the Notice of Commencement of EA and to advise him of the second round of public open houses scheduled for August 18 to 23, 2014. The notice included the dates and individual locations. Confirmed that the open houses were for information and that they were not replacing individual First Nation consultation processes.
September 29, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact to follow up on the submitted protocol and determine if there was interest from Ginoogaming First Nation to meet with NextBridge.
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ginoogaming First Nation a letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; and, ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ginoogaming First Nation a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director.
August 17, 2015	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact to provide an update on the Project and determine if there was an interest to meet with NextBridge.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation information on Bill 112.
January 27, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation following-up on the community's interest to engage.
January 29, 2016	Email	Ginoogaming First Nation emailed NextBridge identifying a new contact for the Project in the community.
February 1, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation's new contact an introduction on the Project and forwarded of all previous correspondence and Project information.
March 12, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation following-up on interest to meet.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ginoogaming First Nation a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
April 8, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation Council Notice of Public open houses for week of April 18, 2016.
April 14, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation's Community Contact in follow up to the April 8, 2016 email to provide a Project update including the EA work and upcoming spring fieldwork. NextBridge also advised that a newsletter and Project open house materials would be available on Project website.
May 16, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ginoogaming First Nation following-up to determine interest to meet.
July 21, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ginoogaming First Nation to determine interest to meet.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ginoogaming First Nation an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ginoogaming First Nation the draft EA for review.
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ginoogaming First Nation the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House

Table 2-IX-7: Long Lake No. 58 First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
November 29, 2013	Phone call	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Chief to provide an overview of NextBridge and the Project. Chief was out of the office and a message was left with their assistant.
November 29, 2013	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation Consultation Coordinator to provide an overview of NextBridge and the Project. NextBridge requested an opportunity to meet with Chief and First Nation representatives to provide information on the Project and to gain an understanding of how the community wants to be engaged on the Project. A link to www.nextbridge.ca was provided so that the Consultation Coordinator could access Project information on behalf of the community.
December 4, 2013	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator to follow up on previous message and email to seek input from community on interests and engagement discussion.
December 10, 2013	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Band Manager as there has not been any contact from Consultation Coordinator. The Band Manager indicated that the Coordinator has been out of office and that Council has been busy. He also confirmed the First Nation's election is coming up and that it would not be possible to meet with Council before then. He asked about Project information and confirmed that the website link (www.nextbridge.ca) was provided via email and the electronic versions of the open house handouts were expected to be available soon.
December 10, 2013	Email	Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator emailed NextBridge requesting a meeting to discuss the Project with members of Council and their Economic Development Committee. A meeting for December 12, 2013 at 9 am at the Matawa Tribal Council office was agreed to.
December 10, 2013	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Band Manager and Consultation Coordinator Project information including the Project fact sheet, open house panels, regulatory process fact sheet, Environmental Assessment fact sheet, powerline safety fact sheet and EMF fact sheet.

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Table 2-IX-7: Long Lake No. 58 First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
December 10, 2013	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Band Manager a copy of the November 29, 2013 email that had be previously sent to Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator.
December 12, 2013	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge met Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator, Band Manager, consultation staff, and Aboriginal Business Network consultants. NextBridge provided copies of the Open House materials and informed the group of the public open houses last week. Consultation Coordinator commented that they did not know about the open houses and that they did not participate. Explained that NextBridge has a schedule to meet and needed to proceed with the public open houses and that each of the First Nations identified would be engaged with directly and would have their own processes established. Consultation Coordinator asked if the meeting was consultation. Explained that the meeting was the start of a conversation as to how consultation would occur with Long Lake No. 58 First Nation and this process needs the First Nation's input. Consultant commented that the schedule outlined in the open house materials is aggressive with short lime lines and it feels like the Project is being fast tracked. NextBridge provided an overview of the Project need identified by the Ontario Power Authority (OPA) and recent designation process awarding NextBridge the Project with a goal to be in service by 2018. These factors are driving the schedule. ■ NextBridge asked if Long Lake No. 58 First Nation has a consultation protocol and if they would be willing to share it. Consultation Coordinator had the consultant share the protocol and a Traditional Territory map in pdf format. Consultation Coordinator confirmed that Long Lake No. 58 First Nation asserting rights and territory down at the Project but did not clarify where on any map. Consultation Coordinator said that Long Lake No. 58 First Nation wants to talk about economic participation. Consultation Coordinator indicated that Long Lake No. 58 First Nation is willing to arrange a date to meet early in the new year for presentation with Council on the Project and Consultation Coordinator to advise on potential dates so they can arrange NextBridge participation. The Consultation Coordinator asked for a follow up early in the new year.
January 9, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator to follow up on previous meeting and determine whether a date can be set for NextBridge representatives to meet with Chief and Council. The Coordinator indicated that their election is set for January 18, 2014 and that they may need to wait until after that to determine a date. He indicated that he would like to continue discussion on a consultation plan. The Consultation Coordinator agreed to meet on January 17, 2014 in Thunder Bay while he was to be in the city for other business. Meeting arranged for 9 am on January 17, 2014 at Landmark Hotel.
January 16, 2014	In-person meeting (informal)	A NextBridge representative and Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator met at a regional economic development meeting. They had a brief discussion about the Project and a follow up meeting was scheduled for January 17, 2014.
January 17, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator, Band Manager and consultation staff to discuss arranging a meeting between Long Lake No. 58 First Nation and NextBridge in the weeks to come. The Coordinator wants to initiate consultation process but needs to put a plan together. He wants to discuss employment and contracting opportunities with NextBridge. NextBridge explained the consultation plan process for all identified First Nations and the participation plan process for route communities. NextBridge also explained that benefits discussions normally flow from consultation processes. The Coordinator agreed and said that they would work on a plan for consultation and capacity support.
February 3, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator and left a voicemail to arrange a meeting between NextBridge reps and Long Lake No. 58 First Nation council for February 26 or 27, 2014.
February 4, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator in follow up to voicemail. Wanting to arrange a meeting with Long Lake No. 58 First Nation Council and NextBridge representatives to move forward in discussing Long Lake No 58 First Nation's engagement and consultation needs on the East-West Tie Project. NextBridge proposed February 26 or 27, 2014 as possible meeting dates at the First Nation office.
February 5, 2014	Email	NextBridge and Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator exchanged emails to arrange a meeting on February 27, 2014.

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Table 2-IX-7: Long Lake No. 58 First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
February 19, 2014	Phone call	Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator telephoned NextBridge to confirm availability to meet on February 27, 2014 in the community.
February 27, 2014	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge representatives attended a meeting at Long Lake No. 58 First Nation. In attendance from Long Lake No. 58 First Nation were a Councillor and Consultation Coordinator. Chief was unable to attend at the last minute. ■ Consultation Coordinator stated that "this meeting is not consultation as they need to discuss this Project over the next few meetings on how they're going to be engaged". He raised a number of items of concern including environmental impact, cultural impacts, regulatory processes, aboriginal rights and accommodations. He indicated that they also advised they are interested in economic benefits. They are always interested in working together to build capacity and in collaborative efforts. Consultation Coordinator asked about what engagement process included. NextBridge gave an overview of the process and provided Consultation Coordinator the Project - Proposed ToR for the EA binder. This binder includes the ToR, Aboriginal Consultation Plan and the Project Description. Consultation Coordinator questioned accommodation and if there is assistance in getting the technical expertise to help them review the documents. Capacity support was offered by NextBridge. ■ Government to Government issues between the Crown and the First Nation were brought up. Consultation Coordinator discussed their traditional lands and the two watersheds of Lake Superior and James Bay. Consultation Coordinator mentioned that in past meetings their Council had raised issue around the time frames and asked what the current status of the Project is. NextBridge advised that the ToR must be reviewed by the Community by the end of March 2014 for comment. Consultation Coordinator is concerned about the short time line and expressed that they are challenged to get an independent review done by then. He also asked for electronic copies of the binder. NextBridge indicated that Capacity Funding Agreements (CFAs) are available to help Long Lake No. 58 First Nation secure resources for their reviews. Also mentioned that there is an Aboriginal Transmission Fund through the OPA. In closing Long Lake No. 58 First Nation through Consultation Coordinator welcomes development for the benefits of their community and the region. He mentioned that he may be available to meet with NextBridge in Ottawa the week of March 17, 2014 as many of the Long Lake No. 58 First Nation team will be there to discuss capacity funding and next steps.
March 12, 2014	Phone call	Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator telephoned NextBridge to request a copy of a draft CFA and to also confirm that the First Nation was developing a work plan and budget and he would be in touch soon.
March 13, 21014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator to inform him that the draft CFA was not yet ready for distribution and that he would be contacted as soon as it was.
March 20, 2014	Phone call	Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator telephoned NextBridge and asked for the complete contact information from the NextBridge representatives that attended the meeting on February 27, 2014.
March 20, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator the contact information for NextBridge.
March 20, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator a copy of the draft NextBridge CFA for his review and committed to working with him on an engagement and consultation plan as well as accompanying capacity funding budget for Long Lake No. 58 First Nation.
March 23, 2014	Phone call	Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator telephoned NextBridge to request a conference call between NextBridge, the First Nation and the First Nation's consultant to discuss the draft CFA. A call was arranged for March 24, 2014.

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Table 2-IX-7: Long Lake No. 58 First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
March 24, 2014	Phone call	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge arranged a conference call between Long Lake No. 58 First Nation and their Consultant. NextBridge confirmed that a Draft Capacity Funding Agreement had been forwarded to Long Lake No. 58 First Nation and that NextBridge had received a copy of Long Lake No. 58 First Nation Consultation and Development Protocol. Commented that from the Traditional Territories maps that Long Lake No. 58 First Nation provided illustrated that their territories do not overlap with the Project area. Consultation Coordinator indicated that Long Lake No. 58 First Nation Territory overlaps in the watersheds (Lake Superior and James Bay) and the two Treaties of which Long Lake No. 58 First Nation is not a signatory to either Treaty. The Consultation Coordinator re-iterated that Long Lake No. 58 First Nation has not surrendered any rights to the Crown. NextBridge noted that the Project description identifies Long Lake No. 58 First Nation in Treaty 9 and asked if this was an accurate geographic description of where their land sits. Consultation Coordinator responded that those boundaries from the two Treaties encroach on their Traditional Territory. ■ NextBridge advised that Long Lake No. 58 First Nation was identified by the Crown as a Community that needed to be consulted with. NextBridge asked if the community would provide a draft workplan and budget as NextBridge does want to develop a CFA with the Community. Consultation Coordinator noted that Long Lake No. 58 First Nation believes energy Projects have a lot of impact and can enhance their ability to realize their own economic development Projects. NextBridge needs information so that they can understand Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's assertion and interest in the Project and that they do provide capacity funding to help the community get the necessary information to us. Consultation Coordinator remains concerned with the short time frames. NextBridge asked when the First Nation could get us a draft workplan and budget and Consultation Coordinator advised by the end of the week.
March 31, 2014	Email	Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator emailed NextBridge a copy of a draft CFA with proposed edits and a copy of a draft budget.
April 10, 2014	Email	Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator and NextBridge exchanged emails to set up a phone call time for April 11, 2014.
April 11, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator to discuss the draft CFA. The Consultation Coordinator indicated that Long Lake No. 58 First Nation has Aboriginal rights throughout their territory and in the vicinity of the Project. Additional topics discussed included budgets, Aboriginal rights and confidentiality issues.
April 16, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator to discuss the draft budget and as well as to provide an update on the planned field studies and geotechnical work planned for the upcoming summer months.
April 16, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator met to discuss the draft CFA. Long Lake No 58 First Nation indicated that they are not a signatory to any treaty but are working on a land claim. Long Lake No. 58 First Nation also indicated that they have interests and rights beyond the boundaries of their traditional territories as currently documented.
May 2, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Chief, Consultation Coordinator, Band Manager and consultant in NextBridge Toronto office to discuss budget and workplan for CFA.
May 20, 2014	Email	Long Lake No. 58 First Nation emailed NextBridge a signed copy of their CFA and BCR.
July 3, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation a fully executed copy of the CFA.
July 3, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator to provide the agenda for a July 4, 2014 call, provide an update on environmental field program and geotechnical workplan, and provide dates for the proposed second and third round of public open houses.

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Table 2-IX-7: Long Lake No. 58 First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
July 4, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge arranged a conference call with representatives of Long Lake No. 58 First Nation (Consultation Coordinator, consultant) to discuss arrangements for Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's first community meeting to be scheduled in Thunder Bay for August 17. Long Lake No. 58 First Nation will arrange logistics as it is their event and NextBridge will attend with Project team members to provide information using the open house story boards and Project handouts. NextBridge support will be on hand to record questions to ensure that proper follow up can occur. Long Lake No. 58 First Nation will also have their consultant on hand at the venue to conduct Traditional Knowledge Assessment interviews and mapping
July 11, 2014	Phone call	Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator telephoned NextBridge to advise that they are not able to hold their Thunder Bay community meeting on August 17, 2014 and they will look to move it to the following weekend on August 24, 2014.
July 25, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's consultant the shapefiles of the alternatives to the reference route for their use in preparing the Long Lake No. 58 First Nation report.
August 1, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
August 1, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator confirming August 24, 2014 community meeting date and final details for NextBridge participation.
August 8, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's consultant the shapefiles for the proposed geotechnical drilling program, including updated borehole, updated access route and new helicopter landing files.
August 11, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator the Notice of Commencement of EA and to advise him of the second round of public open houses scheduled for August 18 to 23, 2014. The notice included the dates and individual locations. Confirmed that the open houses were for information and that they were not replacing individual First Nation consultation processes.
August 19, 2014	Email	Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultant emailed NextBridge to confirm August 24, 2014 community meeting. The Consultant confirmed that the Matawa Tribal Council office is the open house location, that Long Lake No. 58 First Nation submitted an ad to the local newspaper, and attendance of himself and several members of Chief and Council at the meeting.
August 24, 2014	Open house	NextBridge members attended the Long Lake No. 58 First Nation open house on August 24 at the Matawa office in Thunder Bay. Chief, Councillor Consultation Coordinator, Band Manager and consultant attended along with approximately 20 members of the community. NextBridge reps provided a verbal Project presentation to the entire group and proceeded to guide community members around the open house panels and route maps on display. Members also participated in TEK interviews with the First Nation's consultant in the next room. No specific questions were asked of the NextBridge group and Consultation Coordinator indicated that they would roll up information from the open house in their report to NextBridge following their final open house and TEK study.
September 17, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Consultation Coordinator to confirm October 22, 2014 as the date for the second open house to be held on the Long Lake No. 58 First Nation reserve in October.
October 11, 2014	Email	Long Lake No. 58 First Nation emailed NextBridge the Long Lake No. 58 First Nation Final Report for the Project
October 22, 2014	Open house	NextBridge members attended the Long Lake No. 58 First Nation open house on October 22, 2014 at the Community Centre on reserve. Chief, Councillor Consultation Coordinator, a Councillor, Band Manager and consultant attended along with approximately 25 members of the community. NextBridge reps provided a verbal Project presentation to the entire group and proceeded to guide community members around the open house panels and route maps on display. No specific questions were asked of the NextBridge group and Consultation Coordinator indicated that they would roll up information from the open house in their report to NextBridge following their TEK study.

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Table 2-IX-7: Long Lake No. 58 First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation a letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; and, ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
November 10, 2014	Email	Long Lake No. 58 First Nation emailed NextBridge a summary of issues that were raised during independent community open houses
February 5, 2015	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Long Lake No. 58 First Nation Community Contact to follow up with final report from open houses and TEK work.
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director.
May 27, 2015	Email	Long Lake No. 58 First Nation emailed NextBridge the Long Lake No. 58 First Nation Traditional Knowledge Assessment (TKA) Report and Map.
June 1, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation to acknowledge receipt of Long Lake No. 58 First Nation TKA Report.
August 17, 2015	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Long Lake No. 58 First Nation Community Contact to provide an update on the Project.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation to provide information on Bill 112.
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
April 8, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation a Notice of Public open houses for week of April 18, 2016.
April 14, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Long Lake No. 58 First Nation Community Contact in follow up to April 8, 2016 email to provide a Project update and advise that a newsletter and Project open house materials would be available on Project website.
September 8, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Long Lake No. 58 First Nation's Band Manager, Consultation Coordinator and consultant to provide an update on the Project.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation the draft EA for review.
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Long Lake No. 58 First Nation the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House

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Table 2-IX-8: Michipicoten First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
April 25, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Michipicoten First Nation in preparation for upcoming consultation activities
May 13, 2014	Email	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation to introduce the Aboriginal Workforce Liaisons position /person who was hired to assist with the Projects Employment Strategy. ■ Emailed a job posting for the position of "Aboriginal Environmental Monitoring"
May 14, 2014	Email	Confirmed contact point in order to move forward with community consultation planning and on-reserve land use permit
May 20, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation a letter of introduction for McLeod Wood Associates Inc. to consult with community regarding permitting & construction.
May 20, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Michipicoten First Nation to discuss permit to use reserve lands & community consultation requirement.
May 22, 2014	Email	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation's Band Manager exchanged emails to discuss scheduling potential meeting dates with Chief & Council.
June 4, 2014	Email	Exchange on coordinating community meeting events.
June 16, 2014	Email	Sent copy of Data Sharing Confidentiality Agreement.
June 24, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation's Chief discussed the need to have a community meeting.
July 1, 2014	Email	Michipicoten First Nation emailed NextBridge confirmation of meeting on July 16, 2014.
July 14, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation requesting confirmation of access to reserve for geotechnical investigations.
July 16, 2014	In-person meeting	Informational meeting between NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation's Chief and Band Manager to update on Project progression, on-reserve land use permits and consultation plans. The community is looking for the ability to connect their solar and small hydro Projects to the grid and thought that they could do so through the Project. Michipicoten First Nation consultation process to sign a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with a workplan and a budget and were going to forward proposed wording for the MOU. Michipicoten First Nation is interested in line clearing contracts. The community had questions of how the Bamkushwada LP communities would participate in the EA – collectively or individually.
July 21, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation's Band Manager discussed next steps to proceed with consultation
July 22, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation regarding the equity position of the Bamkushwada LP.
July 27, 2014	Email	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation introducing the purpose and need for collecting data regarding community assets, for the purpose of participating in procurement for the Project. ■ Email identifies proposed process and supporting documentation to complete the inventory.
July 31, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation discussed the geotechnical investigation and budget and workplan for the Capacity Funding Agreement (CFA).
August 1, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Michipicoten First Nation an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
August 7, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation following up on the community contracting asset inventory.
August 12, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation to request a meeting to move consultation forward and discuss CFA.
August 14, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation discussed how to move consultation forward.
August 20, 2014	Email	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation exchanged emails. Michipicoten First Nation will send NextBridge their version of a CFA shortly.
September 4, 2014	Email	Michipicoten First Nation emailed NextBridge following-up on sending community version of memorandum of understanding on how to work together on the Project.
September 10, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation's Chief discussed the lack of progress with consultation efforts.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
September 29, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation to follow up on status of community CFA.
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Michipicoten First Nation a letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; and, ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Michipicoten First Nation to provide an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director.
September 18, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation information on fall activities – geotechnical archaeological and access plan investigations.
January 6, 2016	Phone call	Arrange teleconference to discuss CFA.
January 11, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation teleconferenced to discuss the CFA.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation to provide information on Bill 112.
January 26, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation met to provide an update on Project and discuss the budget and workplan for the CFA.
March 7, 2016	Email	Inquiring on budget and workplan for the CFA.
March 21, 2016	Email	Follow up on previous email.
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Michipicoten First Nation a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
March 29, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation discussed the budget and workplan.
April 5, 2016	Email	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation arranged for a call to discuss budget and workplan.
April 6, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation had a teleconference to discuss moving consultation forward.
April 13, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation discussed budget and workplan and how to move consultation forward.
April 14, 2016	Email	Michipicoten First Nation emailed Michipicoten First Nation the budget and workplan from community for the CFA.
April 17, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation copies of public open house materials – newsletter, fact sheets, and Project update.
April 20, 2016	Phone call	Set up meeting to have environmental consultant travel to the community and work on GIS files with staff.
April 21, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation's Band Manager and GIS staff met to exchange data. Went to public open house in Wawa. NextBridge provided an introduction to the Project to the new Band Manager. Michipicoten First Nation provided NextBridge data discs of traditional knowledge
April 28, 2016	Phone call	Call to arrange community meeting to discuss Project – set date for week of May 23, 2016.
May 16, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation make arrangements for community open house.
May 19, 2016	Phone call	Cancellation of community open house
July 25, 2016	Email	Sent signed CFA.
July 25, 2016	Phone call	Community has informed NextBridge that all consultation efforts will cease until participation agreement has been signed

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Michipicoten First Nation an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment (EA) Report submission.
December 8, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Michipicoten First Nation and left a voicemail notifying that the draft EA Report would be available for review this week.
December 12, 2016	Email	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation exchanged emails about the draft EA report.
December 12, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation discussed the draft EA report by phone.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Michipicoten First Nation the draft EA for review.
December 20, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation about scheduling a community open house in Michipicoten.
December 21, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation to confirm if the draft EA packages were received.
December 22, 2016	Email	Michipicoten First Nation emailed NextBridge confirming that the draft EA packages were received.
January 13, 2017	Email	NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation about scheduling a community meeting.
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Michipicoten First Nation the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House
February 1, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned and left a voicemail for Michipicoten First Nation's chief.
February 6, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Michipicoten First Nation's chief to discuss the Project, Michipicoten First Nation's new Consultation Coordinator and Project permitting.
February 16, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Michipicoten First Nation to provide a technical briefing for the Project. NextBridge provided an overview of the Project and presentation. Other topics discussed included caribou, staging areas, GIS data, access roads and draft EA comments. Michipicoten First Nation requested a community information session about the Project.
February 23, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Michipicoten First Nation discussed planning for a public meeting on March 7, 2017.
March 7, 2017	Open house	NextBridge conducted an open house for Michipicoten First Nation members. Concerns expressed included potential effects to Doré Lake, herbicide use and health effects from EMF. Other topics discussed included traditional land use, right-of-way revegetation and the need for jobs for community members. NextBridge expressed that they will work with community on draft EA comments and updated budgets.
March 21, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge conducted a technical teleconference with Michipicoten First Nation, Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation, Pic River First Nation and representatives from Pic River First Nation. Michipicoten First Nation expressed some comments on the draft EA including the potential for 'downstream' effects and the need for the Project. Other topics discussed included revegetation, geological assessments, private property and permitting and approvals
March 29, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Michipicoten First Nation's CEO to discuss scheduling a time to present Project information to the new Chief and Council.
April 4, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Michipicoten First Nation's CEO to discuss potential meeting dates to present Project information to Chief and Council.
April 6, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Michipicoten First Nation's CEO to discuss meeting with Chief and Council on April 27, 2017.
April 18, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation discussed the draft agenda for the April 27, 2017 meeting.
April 27, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Michipicoten First Nation to introduce the Project to the new Chief and Council, provide an overview of the EA process, provide an overview of the economic opportunities and participation and provide an overview of the federal permitting process to cross reserve boundaries.
May 4, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation met for a planning meeting.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
May 8, 2017	Email	NextBridge emailed Michipicoten First Nation's consultant regarding the sharing of TLU/TEK information with NextBridge's EA consultant.
June 2, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge and Michipicoten First Nation discussed details about the field monitoring 'kick-off' meeting in Thunder Bay on June 5, 2017.
June 5, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge hosted an archaeology and environment survey kick-off meeting. Community monitors and coordinator were present to listen to archaeology and environmental leads explain the health and safety requirements for conducting surveys, general timelines for surveys and protocols to follow regarding notification, mobilization and communication between the community, technical consultants and the Project.
June 15, 2017	Email	Michipicoten signed a letter affirming support for NextBridge's consultation interactions with the First Nations in respect of the Project for NextBridge's development of the Project and Project approvals sought by NextBridge, including the environmental assessment for the Project, and the leave-to-construction application to the Ontario Energy Board.

Table 2-IX-9: Missanabie Cree First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
December 4, 2013	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Missanabie Cree First Nation's Chief to provide an introduction to the Project. Discussed the potential impacts of the Project and the community's consultation protocol. Discussed Capacity Funding Agreement (CFA) and the community's three phases of meetings required under their consultation protocol.
December 16, 2013	Phone call	NextBridge and Missanabie Cree First Nation discussed budget for the upcoming January 8 and 9, 2014 meetings.
January 8 & 9, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Missanabie Cree First Nation's Chief and Council to provide an introduction to the Project. The community asked about the existing power line and if any work would be undertaken on that line. Responded that work would not be completed by NextBridge as that line belongs to Hydro One. It was also stated by a Councillor that a route through the park is preferred as the Councillor has issues with new right-of-way of way being cleared outside of the park. Other topics discussed included completion of Project-specific studies, the draft CFA and the draft EA.
January 27, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Missanabie Cree First Nation discussed invoicing for the January 8 and 9, 2014 community meeting.
January 29, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Missanabie Cree First Nation discussed invoicing for the January 8 and 9, 2014 community meeting.
February 3, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Missanabie Cree First Nation discussed the draft CFA.
February 21, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Missanabie Cree First Nation discussed the draft CFA.
March 13, 2014	Email	Missanabie Cree First Nation emailed NextBridge the signed CFA.
April 28, 2014	Email	Missanabie Cree First Nation emailed NextBridge the BCR for the CFA.
May 13, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Missanabie Cree First Nation's Chief information on geotechnical investigations
August 1, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Missanabie Cree First Nation an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
August 19, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge representatives attended a job fair at the Missanabie Cree First Nation reserve at Dog Lake. Spoke with a number of people in regard to the Project. No issues, just provided information.
September 29, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Missanabie Cree First Nation's Chief a Project update.
October 9, 2014	Phone call	Discussion with Chief regarding the CFA workplan and budget

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Table 2-IX-9: Missanabie Cree First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
October 29, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Missanabie Cree First Nation providing information to community on the Project and inquired about receiving traditional knowledge mapping
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Missanabie Cree First Nation a letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; and, ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
April 5, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Missanabie Cree First Nation's Chief and Consultation Contact that permission to proceed through Pukaskwa Park was not achieved and a new route will be developed. Requested that they contact NextBridge if there were any concerns
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Missanabie Cree First Nation a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director.
June 18, 2015	Phone call	Discussion with Chief on a potential meeting to update on the Project and capacity funding.
July 29, 2015	Email	Missanabie Cree First Nation emailed NextBridge traditional knowledge mapping in pdf format.
November 10, 2015	Email	Missanabie Cree First Nation emailed NextBridge the signed confidentiality agreement from Mushkegowuk Council, who holds Missanabie Cree First Nation land mapping, in order to share map data with NextBridge.
November 25, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Missanabie Cree First Nation the marked up to the confidentiality agreement.
December 14, 2015	Email	Missanabie Cree First Nation emailed NextBridge the signed confidentiality agreement.
January 12, 2016	Email	Missanabie Cree First Nation emailed NextBridge the traditional knowledge map data files.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Missanabie Cree First Nation to provide information on Bill 112.
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Missanabie Cree First Nation a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open House. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
April 5, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Missanabie Cree First Nation's Chief information regarding public open houses and informing of route change.
April 13, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge left message with Missanabie Cree First Nation to update on Project and discuss next steps.
April 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Missanabie Cree First Nation to provide an overview the new public open house material – newsletter and fact sheets.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Missanabie Cree First Nation an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Missanabie Cree First Nation the draft EA for review.
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Missanabie Cree First Nation the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House
February 1, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Missanabie Cree First Nation and left a voicemail for the Chief.
February 23, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Missanabie Cree First Nation's executive assistant to the Chief to discuss the preferred route. Missanabie Cree First Nation indicated that no issues had been raised about the route within the community to date.

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Table 2-IX-9: Missanabie Cree First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
February 23, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Missanabie Cree First Nation's Chief to discuss the Project. Topics discussed included the draft EA and the upcoming Resource Conference hosted by Missanabie Cree First Nation on March 23-24, 2017. Missanabie Cree First Nation requested capacity funding to review the draft EA and requested that NextBridge attend the conference to present the Project to community members.
March 24, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge attended Missanabie Cree First Nation's Natural Resource Conference. NextBridge provided a Project presentation to approximately 20 community members and answered questions. No Project concerns were raised by community members.
May 18, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Missanabie Cree First Nation's Chief discussed capacity funding requirements.
May 29, 2017	Emailed	NextBridge and Missanabie Cree First Nation's Executive Assistant to the Chief exchanged emails to discuss setting up a meeting on May 30, 2017 at Missanabie Cree First Nation's offices.
May 30, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Missanabie Cree First Nation's Executive Assistant to the Chief met to finalize the CFA and to discuss the next steps regarding community meetings.

Table 2-IX-10: Ojibways of Batchewana

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
January 9, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Ojibways of Batchewana's Consultation Coordinator to give an introduction to the Project. Discussed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to start the consultation process regarding the Project. Coordinator to send wording of a proposed MOU to NextBridge. The community identified the area of Pukaskwa National Park as being within the traditional territory of Ojibways of Batchewana. NextBridge provided a draft Capacity Funding Agreement (CFA) for review.
January 20, 2014	Email	Ojibways of Batchewana's Consultation Coordinator's emailed NextBridge to provide an update on the dissemination of Project information to Ojibways of Batchewana staff members and Council.
February 5, 2014	Email	NextBridge and Ojibways of Batchewana's Consultation Coordinator exchanged emails about the Project.
March 3, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Batchewana to request for information on consultation protocol.
March 26, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge left message with Ojibways of Batchewana to discuss consultation process.
April 11, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Batchewana to request for meeting on April 14, 2014
April 17, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Ojibways of Batchewana met to provide Project information to discuss consultation process and set potential meeting for April 30, 2014
April 25, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Batchewana to provide a draft CFA to the community.
April 29, 2014	Email	Ojibways of Batchewana cancelled the meeting scheduled for April 30, 2014.
May 5, 2014	Email	Requesting date for rescheduled meeting.
May 14, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Batchewana rescheduling meeting for May 26, 2014 at noon to overview the Project, the environmental ToR and CFA for the consultation process. NextBridge also sent a copy of the job description for First Nation Monitors who will be retained by Dillon Consulting.
May 26, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Ojibways of Batchewana met to discuss how NextBridge would engage the First Nation and to inform the community members about the Project. Presented the Project progress to date and overviewed the environmental field program. Some discussion regarding MOU and the capacity funding draft. Next meeting is planned for June 12, 2014.

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Table 2-IX-10: Ojibways of Batchewana

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
June 12, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Ojibways of Batchewana met regarding planning and negotiating a process to work together to undertake the necessary studies to bring the EA and the Leave to Construct applications that are expected to be submitted in January 2015. Significant discussion about the transmission permitting process within Ontario and how it relates to the Batchewana permitting system, which is designed to work with Project proponents that are the outright owners of a Project. There was significant discussion regarding what studies have to be completed in order to get to Leave to Construct. The discussion then changed to developing a process which would meet both the First Nation's and NextBridge requirements.
July 20, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge left message with Ojibways of Batchewana to discuss next steps.
August 1, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ojibways of Batchewana an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
August 20, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ojibways of Batchewana and left a message for the Director of Renewable Energy.
September 4, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Ojibways of Batchewana's Director of Renewable Energy discussed organizing a meeting for September 10, 2014 to move consultation forward.
September 10, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Ojibways of Batchewana met and discussed how to combine the First Nation's process and the NextBridge regulated process in order to move forward with the CFA.
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ojibways of Batchewana a letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; and, ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ojibways of Batchewana a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Batchewana to provide information on Bill 112.
February 8, 2016	Email	Ojibways of Batchewana emailed NextBridge regarding Bill 112 and indicating a need for consultation and to set up a meeting.
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ojibways of Batchewana a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
April 5, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Batchewana information regarding public open houses and informing of route change.
April 8, 2016	Email	Introduced to new Consultation Consultant and seeking to move consultation forward.
April 13, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge left message with Ojibways of Batchewana to discuss the Project.
April 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Batchewana the new public open house material.
April 27, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge and Ojibways of Batchewana discussed potential meeting dates.
June 10, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Batchewana regarding setting meeting date.
June 15, 2016	Email	Ojibways of Batchewana emailed NextBridge confirming June 23, 2014 at Batchewana First Nation for meeting with Chief and Consultation Contact.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
June 23, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Ojibways of Batchewana natural resource unit. Discussed process for traditional knowledge assessment. Community will provide budget and schedule. Discussion in relation to how community information and consultation would take place. When undertaken the NextBridge team will accompany a representative of Ojibways of Batchewana Natural Resource unit to the three separate communities. Discussion in regard to what process will be in regard to having the Ojibways of Batchewana Council understand the work that will be undertaken in the traditional territory. Territorial maps as associated with early Treaty will be shared in the future when planning is underway for information/engagement sessions in the three communities
June 24, 2016	Email	Follow up requesting budget and timeline for a CFA.
June 28, 2016	Email	Ojibways of Batchewana emailed NextBridge the budget and requested an in person meeting to discuss.
July 21, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Ojibways of Batchewana met in Toronto regarding planning a community consultation process, budget and permitting process.
August 3, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Batchewana the CFA and revised budget.
September 20, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Ojibways of Batchewana met to discuss the CFA. Ojibways of Batchewana will send to Chief and Counsel and provide BCR.
September 22, 2016	Email	Ojibways of Batchewana emailed NextBridge the signed agreement and BCR.
September 29, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge and Ojibways of Batchewana discussed sending itemised list of what community requires to begin consultation in the next few weeks. Hoping to have a meeting with the community before the end of October 2016.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ojibways of Batchewana an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ojibways of Batchewana the draft EA for review.
January 23, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ojibways of Batchewana to discuss the CFA.
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ojibways of Batchewana the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House
January 24, 2017	Email	Ojibways of Batchewana emailed NextBridge the CFA.
February 21, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ojibways of Batchewana to discuss setting up an update and planning meeting.
February 23, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ojibways of Batchewana to discuss potential dates from the update and planning meeting. Ojibways of Batchewana indicated that the CFA has been sent to NextBridge.
February 28, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge and Ojibways of Batchewana discussed the CFA and scheduling of an update and planning meeting.
March 1, 2017	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Batchewana the fully executed CFA.
March 21, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge and Ojibways of Batchewana discussed setting up community information sessions.
April 3, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge and Ojibways of Batchewana had a teleconference regarding the draft EA review proposal and draft EA review.
April 7, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge and Ojibways of Batchewana discussed the draft EA review proposal.
April 11, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ojibways of Batchewana to discuss scheduling community meetings at Batchewana.
April 13, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ojibways of Batchewana to discuss the review of the draft EA.
April 19, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ojibways of Batchewana to discuss the draft EA.
May 30, 2017	Open house	NextBridge attended Ojibways of Batchewana community open house in Goulais Bay.
May 31, 2017	Open house	NextBridge attended Ojibways of Batchewana community open house in Batchewana Bay.

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Table 2-IX-10: Ojibways of Batchewana

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
June 1, 2017	Open house	NextBridge attended Ojibways of Batchewana community open house in Rankin.

Table 2-IX-11: Ojibways of Garden River

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
February 28, 2014	Email	Ojibways of Garden River and NextBridge exchanged emails discussing the Project. A potential meeting date scheduled for March 7, 2014.
March 3, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Ojibways of Garden River to confirm meeting on March 7, 2014. Ojibways of Garden River requested delaying the meeting until after the March break.
March 21, 2014	Phone call	Ojibways of Garden River telephoned NextBridge requesting potential meeting dates.
March 24, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Garden River potential meeting dates.
March 27, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Garden River to follow up on meeting dates
April 10, 2014	Email	NextBridge and Ojibways of Garden River exchanged emails about potential meeting dates. Community indicated April 24, 2014 is available.
April 17, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Garden River the agenda for the April 24, 2014 meeting. Ojibways of Garden River postponed the meeting until May 9, 2014
April 29, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Garden River confirming meeting on May 9, 2014.
May 9, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Ojibways of Garden River met to introduce the Project and provide an update to key staff at the First Nation. NextBridge made a presentation of the Project, some general questions about the Project were asked, including how will land under the line be revegetated.
May 13, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Garden River information on geotechnical investigations.
July 11, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Garden River the draft letter to community for their use to inform NextBridge that they are currently not interested in consultation at this time.
July 22, 2014	Phone call	Ojibways of Garden River telephoned NextBridge following-up on draft letter.
August 1, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ojibways of Garden River an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
August 20, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge left voicemail with Ojibways of Garden River regarding the draft letter.
September 4, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Ojibways of Garden River's Consultation Contact discussed the draft letter which would indicate to NextBridge that the community is not interested in consulting at this time. However, the community is interested in jobs and contracting opportunities if they arise. The Consultation Contact will discuss with the Chief and follow up.
September 4, 2014	Email	NextBridge and Ojibways of Garden River exchanged emails about meetings and documentation.
September 15, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Garden River regarding the draft letter.
September 29, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Garden River regarding the draft letter.
October 30, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Ojibways of Garden River and their Economic Development Unit regarding Project consultation and provided a Project update. Discussed the draft letter regarding community consultation not required, however, the Chief and Council instructed that a meeting should be held with Elders to determine if there was an interest in the community's territory. Ojibways of Garden River definitely interested in receiving information and job postings which may be of an interest to community members.

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Table 2-IX-11: Ojibways of Garden River

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ojibways of Garden River a letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; and, ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ojibways of Garden River a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Garden River to provide information on Bill 112.
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ojibways of Garden River a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
April 5, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Garden River information on public open houses and route change around Pukaskwa Park.
April 13, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge left voicemail with Ojibways of Garden River to follow up on Project and provide a Project update.
April 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Garden River the new public open house material – newsletter and fact sheets.
May 30, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge and Ojibways of Garden River discussed setting a meeting at Garden River First Nation. Consultation contact and Chief to select possible dates and revert to NextBridge.
June 10, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Garden River to follow up with community on potential meeting dates.
June 15, 2016	Email	Ojibways of Garden River's Consultation Contact emailed NextBridge informing that there has been no discussion on meeting dates.
June 20, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Garden River following-up on meeting dates and engagement.
November 30, 2016	Phone call	Ojibways of Garden River telephoned NextBridge requesting an update on the status of the Project. NextBridge committed to sending prospective meeting data to discuss the Project.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ojibways of Garden River an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ojibways of Garden River the draft EA for review.
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Ojibways of Garden River the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House
January 25, 2017	Email	NextBridge emailed Ojibways of Garden River to request a meeting during the week of February 20, 2017 to provide Project information.
January 27, 2017	Email	NextBridge and Ojibways of Garden River scheduled a Project information meeting date for February 23, 2017.
February 23, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Ojibways of Garden River met and NextBridge provided a technical briefing to discuss the Project. Topics discussed included the draft EA. Ojibways of Garden River indicated that they have not identified any direct impacts that required identification at this time but that a more detailed analysis is ongoing.
March 28, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge and Ojibways of Garden River discussed the budget for community meetings.
May 8, 2017	Email	Ojibways of Garden River emailed NextBridge regarding capacity funding to review the draft EA.

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Table 2-IX-11: Ojibways of Garden River

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
May 10, 2017	Email	NextBridge and Ojibways of Garden River exchanged emails about the CFA and budget for community meetings.

Table 2-IX-12: Pays Plat First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
November 29, 2013	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation's Chief to provide an overview of NextBridge and the Project. Chief was out of the office and a message was left with their assistant.
December 3, 2013	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation's Chief to follow up on previous message. Chief was out of the office and a message was left with their assistant. Informed assistant that NextBridge had open houses underway if the Chief or Council was interested to drop-in any one of them to meet the Project team and to get an update on the Project. Informed assistant that public open houses are not meant to replace direct First Nation engagement and we plan to arrange direct engagement activities with the community.
January 16, 2014	Phone call	Pays Plat First Nation's Chief left a voicemail for NextBridge in response to voicemails previously left.
January 17, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation's Chief who was not in so a message was left with their assistant.
January 24, 2014	Phone call	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation's Chief once again to follow up on the Chief's message to contact him. Chief was not in so a message was left with their assistant. The assistant asked to pass the call onto Economic Development Officer (EDO). NextBridge provided the EDO with an update on the Project. EDO is quite familiar with the Project and is aware of the negotiations that BLP is undertaking with NextBridge. The EDO and Council have been briefed by Pays Plat First Nation Board of Directors on the Bamkushwada Board and advised Pays Plat First Nation that all BLP-based First Nations are not proceeding with consultation activities until a commercial agreement is reached on the Project. ■ The EDO indicated that he may be involved with the Project once engagement and consultation work is approved to start by Council. The EDO also raised the point that the Project route is transecting the Pays Plat First Nation Reserve and candidate lands for proposed Reserve expansion and that discussion on Section 28.2 permitting would also be required. EDO indicated that he is aware of the reference route and is also very familiar with Section 28.2 permits as he has been involved in the Hydro One permit currently on the Pays Plat First Nation Reserve. EDO indicated that he would brief the Chief of the discussions.
April 16, 2014	Phone call	The Pays Plat First Nation Director on Bamkushwada Board telephoned NextBridge to provide an update on Pays Plat First Nation's position regarding consultation. The Director indicated that commercial negotiations were proceeding well and term sheet is almost agreed to. The Director indicated that further negotiations would follow the term sheet and as such, Pays Plat First Nation would not be ready to begin engagement and consultations and that he was relaying the message on behalf of Chief.
April 29, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Pays Plat First Nation's Chief at a forum in Thunder Bay. Chief confirmed Pays Plat First Nation Director on Bamkushwada Board's comments and that Council was not ready to begin engagement until the commercial negotiations were completed.
May 9, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation's Chief on the understanding that BLP has made progress with NextBridge and that route communities were going to begin to engage. Chief said that the community is not yet satisfied with the progress and will not yet start engaging.
May 13, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation to introduce the Aboriginal Workforce Liaison person who will be assisting with the Project's employment strategy. NextBridge emailed a job posting for environmental monitoring.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
May 23, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation BLP Board member to determine whether Pays Plat First Nation was ready to initiate further discussion on a consultation plan and budget. The Board Member indicated that they need to speak with Council at Pays Plat First Nation for clearance and will reply within the next week.
June 19, 2014	Phone call	Pays Plat First Nation BLP Board member telephoned NextBridge to arrange a meeting on June 26, 2014.
June 26, 2014	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation BLP Board member to discuss the consultation plan for Pays Plat First Nation. NextBridge asked whether Pays Plat First Nation had a consultation protocol but the Board member was not aware if one existed. The Board member indicated that they would send Council an email to determine if the community has a protocol. ■ The Board member indicated that the community would like to hire a member to manage consultation work and that they need capacity funding for meetings, interviews, advisor's costs to name a few. The Board member indicated that he will help the community draft a capacity funding budget. NextBridge requested the First Nation also draft an accompanying consultation plan.
July 9, 2014	Phone call	Pays Plat First Nation BLP Board member telephoned NextBridge to arrange a meeting on July 11, 2014.
July 11, 2014	In-person meeting	<p>NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation BLP Board member. The Board member confirmed that Council has approved the start of engagement on the Project. Pays Plat First Nation will develop a budget and plan to start Project information sharing in the community. However, Pays Plat First Nation will not begin TEK interviews or share this data while the commercial negotiations are still ongoing.</p> <p>NextBridge acknowledged that this was a start and that they would work with the community to start getting Project information into the community. NextBridge was also hopeful that full engagement including TEK / TLU work could proceed soon as this is essential for consultation. The Board member acknowledged this but confirmed that this was all he was able to commit to at this time. NextBridge asked about the potential for community support of a permit for the line to cross Reserve lands and the Board member indicated that Council was ok with the concept of the reference route passing through their Reserve lands.</p>
July 17, 2014	Phone call	Pays Plat First Nation's Chief Executive Office telephoned NextBridge to arrange meeting on July 22, 2014.
July 22, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and Councillor. Provided a Project update and review of draft budget that Pays Plat First Nation CEO had prepared for engagement and consultation activities. Councillor confirmed that they wanted to negotiate funding support to hire a coordinator, hold community meetings and conduct TEK work, but that they would not start TEK work until the commercial negotiations were completed. The Councillor indicated that Pays Plat First Nation does not have a lot of TEK data and that they will need to concentrate on gathering information during the Project. The Councillor indicated that the Pays Plat First Nation consultation plan had to account for consideration of potential impacts to their traditional territory as well as discussion on the line crossing their reserve and even their Additions to Reserve work. Pays Plat First Nation CEO indicated that the EDO will be appointed as the Community Contact for the Project in the interim.
July 27, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation regarding the community asset inventory.
August 1, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Pays Plat First Nation an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
August 7, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation to follow up on the community asset inventory.
August 11, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation CEO the Notice of Commencement of EA and to advise him of the second round of public open houses scheduled for August 18-23, 2014. The notice included the dates and individual locations. NextBridge confirmed that the open houses were for information and that they were not replacing individual First Nation consultation processes.
August 13, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation CEO to notify him of proposed dates (August 20 to 22, 2014) for on-reserve field work and to seek consent to enter onto lands. The CEO confirmed approval to proceed onto the reserve for field studies but want to ensure that a Pays Plat first Nation member would attend as one of the Aboriginal Field Monitors. Confirmed the Field Monitor participation and indicated that NextBridge would follow up with these details via email.

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August 15, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation EDO to discuss the community asset inventory.
August 18, 2014	Phone call	Pays Plat First Nation EDO telephoned NextBridge to discuss the community asset inventory.
August 25, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation CEO to provide a copy of the Capacity Funding Agreement (CFA) for review and to determine whether there would be interest to schedule an open house in the community around September 20, 2014.
September 3, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation CEO to follow up on CFA review. The CEO confirmed that Council wants to begin engaging and would like to start with a meeting in the community. The CEO proposed either September 19 or 21, 2014 for the community open house event and requested that NextBridge confirm one of the dates. The CEO also requested a meeting with NextBridge on September 5, 2014 to finalize the draft workplan and budget.
September 5, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation CEO and EDO to work on draft budget and workplan for CFA.
September 8, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation CEO and EDO a conditionally approved CFA budget from NextBridge.
September 21, 2014	Open house	NextBridge members attended the Pays Plat First Nation open house at the Pays Plat First Nation Community Hall on reserve. Pays Plat First Nation CEO confirmed that Chief was unable to attend and sent his regrets. Councillors attended along with approximately 10 members of the community. NextBridge representatives provided a verbal Project presentation to the entire group and proceeded to guide community members around the open house panels and route maps on display. NextBridge also prepared a specific map for the community with greater detail around the reserve and the Additions to Reserve lands. No specific questions were asked of the NextBridge group and Pays Plat First Nation CEO indicated that they would continue to engage members on the Project in the community. The CEO also requested a meeting with NextBridge on September 24, 2014 to finalize the draft workplan and budget.
September 24, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation CEO to discuss the CFA workplan including the Council's decision to hire two coordinators to manage the consultation activities for the First Nation. At this early date in the project, NextBridge asked Pays Plat First Nation whether they wanted to focus primarily on the original reference route through their Reserve or if they wanted NextBridge to focus on the alternate route around the reserve. Pays Plat First Nation provided a letter that confirmed they wanted NextBridge to focus on the reference route through the Reserve and that PPFN supported this "in principle". The basis for this position was that Pays Plat First Nation already had a HONI line(s) through the Reserve and they had Section 28.2 permits in place for these so they were agreeable to proceed in the same manner for NextBridge. The "in principle" position took into consideration that Pays Plat First Nation required more information in order to make a more formal decision once the EA and other planning work was completed.
September 24, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation CEO a copy of the final CFA for execution along with instructions for signing including the need for a BCR to endorse the CFA.
November 4, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation CEO to notify him and the community of the recent decision to extend the Project schedule from 2018 to 2020. Confirmed that NextBridge remained committed to continue engaging the community as originally planned and was looking to get the signed CFA and BCR soon. Indicated that there would be an opportunity to discuss the Project extension in greater detail and what the extension meant for longer term engagement activities.
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Pays Plat First Nation a letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; and, ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
November 7, 2014	Phone call	The Pays Plat First Nation CEO telephoned NextBridge to request a meeting with NextBridge on November 11, 2014 in Thunder Bay to deliver a hard copy of their signed CFA and BCR.

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November 11, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation CEO in Thunder Bay where the CEO provided the hard copy of the signed CFA and BCR. The CEO provided an update indicating that they are ready to post for two Project coordinators in the community but that Pays Plat First Nation will need a funding advance to begin the work. Pays Plat First Nation CEO indicated that Council wanted the coordinators hired for December 1, 2014.
December 8, 2014	Phone call	The Pays Plat First Nation CEO telephoned NextBridge to request a meeting with NextBridge on December 10, 2014 in Pays Plat to introduce 2 newly hired Consultation Coordinators.
December 10, 2014	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li data-bbox="716 505 1953 724">■ NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation CEO and two newly hired Consultation Coordinators. NextBridge provided a Project backgrounder and update for the group as well as an update on the information sharing and engagement work to date including the September 21, 2014 open house in the community. Pays Plat First Nation CEO reviewed the CFA workplan with the Consultation Coordinators and explained that they would be required to implement the agreement in the community. NextBridge asked if Pays Plat First Nation has a consultation protocol and whether it can be shared with NextBridge. Pays Plat First Nation CEO indicated that they had a draft version and that they would need to check with Council if it could be released. NextBridge requested that Pays Plat First Nation share any existing TEK/TLU data and the Pays Plat First Nation CEO confirmed that while the Council has approved early engagement work they have not approved the sharing of data at this time because of the status of the commercial negotiations. <li data-bbox="716 732 1953 899">■ The group had discussion on the CFA workplan and the need for the Consultation Coordinators to plan open house dates in the community, TEK and TLU interviews and to also work with NextBridge on questions and issues raised in the community. Based on Pays Plat First Nation CEO's comments, it was agreed that the Consultation Coordinators would draft a high level schedule to cover the next several months so that open house dates could be planned and information on the Project could be shared with the community. NextBridge also asked that TEK/TLU work be planned and proceed so that it can be ready when the approval is given by Council to release it. The Consultation Coordinators both indicated that they had very little experience with this type of work and asked if they can call on NextBridge for support as they learn.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
December 15, 2014	Email	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge emailed the Consultation Coordinators in follow up to the December 10, 2014 meeting. Confirmed that NextBridge is committed to discussions in a Consultation stream as well as a Participation stream and that the consultation stream includes carrying-out the delegation of the Crown's "duty to consult". NextBridge sent a copy of the NextBridge-Ontario Government Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) as requested by Pays Plat First Nation. ■ NextBridge asked for an emailed copy of the draft Consultation Protocol so that we can better understand the community's processes and to also ensure that we can work to meet any requirements set out within the protocol. NextBridge asked for an emailed copy of the draft consultation plan/schedule in order to meet the deliverables outlined in the CFA. NextBridge provided an update on the extended timelines for the Project and confirmed that NextBridge is currently working on a new schedule to submit to the OEB this month. Once the new schedule is approved, new materials will be developed and provided to the community. As well, there will be discussions about additional time that we have in order to conduct engagement and consultation activities. NextBridge sent a copy of the Data Sharing Agreement and confirming BCR as requested by Pays Plat First Nation. ■ NextBridge provided Pays Plat First Nation with Project route maps as well as a map specifically identifying the Pays Plat First Nation Reserve and "Crown Lands" that have been identified by Pays Plat First Nation and federal and provincial governments as "Candidate Lands" that are under consideration for an Additions to Reserve Process that these 3 parties are engaged in. NextBridge provided the maps at the request of Pays Plat First Nation so that Pays Plat First Nation could see the overlay of the proposed reference route through the Pays Plat First Nation Reserve as well as "Candidate lands" that are in the process of Additions to Reserve. Pays Plat First Nation asked for this map so they could engage with their members on issues related to TEK/TLU information gathering in their area, on their Reserve and on their "Candidate Lands". ■ Confirmed that NextBridge is asking for Traditional Knowledge and TLU data relevant to the Project and proposed corridor to include in the planning process. This includes data that the community currently has assembled and also, there are resources available to help with additional Traditional Knowledge collection workshops/interviews. NextBridge confirmed that the provided route maps may be used for community engagement, Section 28.2 permit discussions in the community and TEK/TLU interviews. NextBridge also confirmed the work being done on the Pays Plat First Nation Community Profile & Asset Inventory as well as a Skills Inventory. ■ Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinator emailed NextBridge a copy of Pays Plat First Nation's draft consultation protocol.
December 24, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation CEO the fully executed version of the CFA.
January 17, 2015	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators to follow up on their progress after the December 10, 2014 meeting. The Coordinators requested a meeting for January 19, 2015 for support in developing a consultation plan.
January 19, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators as requested to provide support in the development of a consultation plan. The Consultation Coordinators will work with the information provided and will draft a plan for review in the next week. NextBridge also shared resources with the Consultation Coordinators (record of contact form) so that they had tools and understanding on how to gather comments, questions or concerns from members.
January 21, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators to invite them to attend an EA workshop with NextBridge and Dillon Consulting.
January 21, 2015	Phone call	Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators telephoned NextBridge to confirm interest to attend a workshop.
January 29, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators to confirm the EA workshop in Thunder Bay on February 11, 2015 at the Valhalla Inn.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
February 11, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge arranged an EA workshop with Dillon Consulting in Thunder Bay. The Pays Plat First Nation Consultation Coordinators attended and were provided an overview of the EA process with an emphasis on how and where their First Nation can provide information and participation into the planning process. The workshop introduced members from Fort William First Nation, Red Rock Indian Band and Pays Plat First Nation for networking opportunities and to allow them to share experiences from their respective communities.
February 12, 2015	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators to follow up on the EA workshop. Both felt that the workshop was very worthwhile as it showed them how a proponent conducts an EA and how First Nation consultation can occur for input into the planning process. Asked how the progress was coming on the consultation plan and they indicated that they needed more time to put it together and as well, they needed additional support in the development of a consultation plan. The Coordinators requested a meeting on February 19, 2015 to discuss developing a consultation plan.
February 19, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators as requested to provide support in the development of a consultation plan. Provided examples for them to consider so they could understand what should be typically considered in a plan. The Consultation Coordinators are awaiting feedback from their Council on proposed open house dates. The Consultation Coordinators are also waiting for TEK data from other consultation staff so they can review it and determined if more data needs to be collected based. They did confirm again that Council has not approved the release of data at this time. They confirmed that they have and will continue to handout Project information door to door in the community to inform members on the Project. NextBridge shared ideas about engagement practices and the Consultation Coordinators shared ideas they had to encourage turnout and participation from the community members once they begin to hold information/open houses. The Consultation Coordinators indicated that they will work with this information provided and will draft a plan for review by the end of February.
March 7, 2015	Phone call	Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators telephoned NextBridge to request a meeting for March 12, 2015 for support in developing a consultation plan.
March 12, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators as requested to follow up on their development of a consultation plan. They still have not put the plan on paper but they have been working on implementing the CFA. They indicated that they have met with Council to inform and update them on the Project. They continue to go door to door in their small community as home visits are an accepted practice to engage with members. They have met with their GIS Consultant (CE Strategies in Thunder Bay) to review the data that had been previously collected in the community. They are waiting to meet with other consultation staff to discuss which Elders and members have been interviewed so they can develop a plan for further TEK work.
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Pays Plat First Nation a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director.
April 16, 2015	Phone call	Pays Plat First Nation's CEO telephoned NextBridge to meet while he was in Thunder Bay during the day. NextBridge agreed to meet.
April 16, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation CEO in Thunder Bay to review the CFA. The CFA is set to expire, however NextBridge confirmed they intend to extend the dates of the agreement if the First Nations agree in order to continue the engagement work. The CEO agrees with the extension but is proposing to shift some of the line items to allow more to be spent on wages as the coordinators are the biggest part of Pays Plat First Nation's engagement plans. NextBridge asked Pays Plat First Nation CEO to provide a proposed budget amendment and this would be reviewed.
April 28, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation to follow up on the community asset inventory.

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May 6, 2015	Phone call	Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators telephoned NextBridge to request a meeting for May 8, 2015 for support in planning a TK/TLU study.
May 8, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators as requested to help build their capacity to conduct a TK/TLU study. Sample resource guides on how to conduct a TK/TLU study were provided as well as discussion on how they may be able to apply these tools in the community. The Consultation Coordinators are to draft a survey questionnaire as a first step. The Consultation Coordinators are also to complete a progress report as well as schedule for the CFA activities and TK/TLU study.
May 11, 2015	Email	Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinator emailed NextBridge a progress report covering the period of December 2014 to April 2015.
May 11, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation Consultation Coordinators and EDO a draft community profile for review.
May 19, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators to thank them for the completion of the progress report. The outstanding items include: (i) development of a workplan with a schedule to identify when the deliverables in the CFA would be completed. (ii) the development of a workplan with a schedule specifically for the TK/TLU work. NextBridge acknowledged that Pays Plat First Nation CEO has confirmed the use of other consultation staff and this individual has much of the First Nation's Traditional Knowledge as well as survey and GIS capabilities. NextBridge acknowledged that it appears that the necessary resources are in the community to undertake the TK/TLU work that has been discussed and now a schedule needs to be completed for the work. NextBridge confirmed that these scheduled activities were needed in order to support the CFA extension request.
May 29, 2015	Email	Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinator emailed NextBridge submitting two draft workplans for consideration.
May 31, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation Consultation Coordinator to acknowledge receipt of the workplans and request to arrange a call to discuss.
June 2, 2015	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators to discuss emailed work plans from Friday, May 29, 2015. NextBridge indicated that the workplan should include more detail around timeframes for Council meetings, community meetings, working group meetings, etc. It should also include a contingency plan in the event that they cannot meet the dates identified. The TK workplan should also include more detail around process, resources, timeframes and report writing. It should also include a contingency plan in the event that they cannot meet the dates identified.
August 17, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators to check in on their progress in the community.
September 14, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators to check in on their progress in the community. Pays Plat First Nation emailed NextBridge informing that only one Consultation Coordinator is still working on the Project. Pays Plat First Nation wants to schedule an open house in the next few weeks and was also working on an updated activity report for the CFA.
September 29, 2015	Email	Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinator emailed NextBridge an activity report for the period of May – August 2015.
October 26, 2015	Phone call	Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinators telephoned NextBridge to request a meeting for October 30, 2015 for support on TK/TLU processes.
October 30, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinator. The Coordinator provided a copy of the Pays Plat First Nation survey that has been used for TK/TLU work. NextBridge was able to review the survey on site but was not able to take a copy of the survey as Council has not yet approved any release of TK/TLU information including the survey. The Coordinator indicated that interviews were conducted and that the data for these interviews needs to be written up into a report. NextBridge asked if any comments, questions or concerns have been recorded from any of their door to door engagement work or TEK interviews and if so could this be provided so that NextBridge could address them. The Coordinator indicated that he was instructed not to share information until the commercial negotiations were completed.
December 7, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinator and CEO to request an activity update.

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Table 2-IX-12: Pays Plat First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
December 7, 2015	Phone call	Pays Plat First Nation CEO telephoned NextBridge in follow up to email requesting an activity update. The CEO indicated that he had laid-off the Consultation Coordinator in mid-November. The CEO was not aware of the progress that was made. He requested that NextBridge meet with himself and Council to follow up. Parties agreed to meet on December 16, 2015.
December 16, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation's Chief, a Councillor and Pays Plat First Nation CEO as requested. NextBridge provided a Project update as well as update on the Pays Plat First Nation CFA. The group discussed the lack of progress from the two coordinators and suggestions to get the engagement work back on track. Chief indicated that there is an appeal to the First Nation Election that was held last month and this is impacting business in the community. He asked that NextBridge be patient as they worked through their political issues. Pays Plat First Nation CEO is to gather data collected from the coordinators and reconcile his budget to propose a solution to continuing with engagement work in the new year. The CEO committed to follow up early in January 2016.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation to provide information on Bill 112.
January 22, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation CEO to follow up on the December 16, 2015 meeting. The CEO indicated that the election appeal has not yet been resolved and that he is not yet able to put together his revised budget or plan to move forward.
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Pays Plat First Nation a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
March 31, 2016	Phone call	Pays Plat First Nation CEO telephoned NextBridge to follow up. The CEO confirmed the election appeal is resolved and it resulted in no changes to Council. He wanted to get a Project update and was instructed by Council to re-hire a coordinator. The CEO confirmed that they would follow up with a plan next week and requested a meeting be arranged for April 8, 2016.
April 8, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation CEO and a Councillor. The CEO plans to re-hire one Consultation Coordinator to pick-up on the interview work that was completed last summer. He will prepare a financial report as well as an activity report for review. The CEO will have the Consultation Coordinator hired in a week and asked for a follow up meeting on April 15, 2016.
April 8, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation CEO and Consultation Coordinator to notify them of upcoming spring field work and the interest from NextBridge to recruit Aboriginal Field Monitors.
April 15, 2016	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation's Councillor, the Consultation Coordinator, Pays Plat First Nation CEO and consultation staff to pick-up on the engagement work previously completed by Pays Plat First Nation. Consultation staff shared a copy of the interim TK/TLU work they have done with the Pays Plat First Nation culturally sensitive areas map. Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinator confirmed that they can provide the shapefiles for the map but needs to get them from their GIS consultant (CE Strategies) in Thunder Bay. The Consultation Coordinator will arrange this in the next several days to be able to provide the data to NextBridge. ■ The Consultation Coordinator is working on a summary of issues report and will have it completed in the next several weeks. The Consultation Coordinator has received Project shapefiles that include the updated route along with proposed laydown areas, and worker construction camps that can be used for community engagement work. He confirmed that CE Strategies can use the files to produce maps for Pays Plat First Nation. NextBridge asked if Pays Plat First Nation wanted to use the same field monitor that they have previously used for field work. The CEO confirmed that they would use the same member for this work. NextBridge advised the group of upcoming public open houses on the week of April 18, 2016 if anyone wanted to drop-in for updated Project information or to meet the NextBridge team.
April 18, 2016	Public open house	A Pays Plat First Nation met a NextBridge representative at the Thunder Bay public open house and discussed the Project.
April 20, 2016	Public open house	NextBridge met the Pays Plat First Nation Consultation Coordinator at the Nipigon public open house and provided an update on the Project including the EA work and upcoming spring fieldwork. NextBridge provided copies of the Project newsletter and Project handouts.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
May 10, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation's CEO to arrange a meeting for May 12, 2016.
May 12, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation CEO and consultation staff to provide hard and electronic copies of the public open house materials as well as electronic copies of the route maps. Consultation staff asked for printed copies of route map tiles (6 in total) so they can continue TK/TLU work in the community. Pays Plat First Nation confirmed that the TK/TLU shapefiles and summary of issues report are not yet ready for submission. The Consultation Coordinator requested that a meeting be arranged for May 17, 2016 to hand over TK/TLU shapefiles at the First Nation's GIS consultant's office.
May 16, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Pays Plat First Nation CEO to confirm the June 15, 2016 open house date as requested by Pays Plat First Nation.
May 17, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation's Consultation Coordinator and consultation staff. Staff provided the GIS shapefiles for the Pays Plat First Nation Culturally sensitive Areas Map. Pays Plat First Nation indicated that the map was an interim map as it reflected information from only a portion of their members. Pays Plat First Nation indicated that they may continue to interview additional members to potentially provide a final version of the map. The Consultation Coordinator provided a hard copy of a summary of issues report that was also indicated to be interim and only reflected information collected to date.
May 24, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation's CEO to arrange a meeting for May 31, 2016 to introduce Haneshe Environmental and to discuss plans for an open house on June 15, 2016 in the community.
May 31, 2016	In-person meeting	Haneshe Environmental met with the Consultation Coordinator and an Indigenous Observer to discuss the field study workplan
May 31, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pays Plat First Nation CEO to discuss plans for the June 15, 2016 open house in Pays Plat First Nation. The CEO confirmed that he was notified by the BLP Board member and confirmed by Chief to cancel the open house and to hold off on engagement and consultation activities. The CEO wants to continue with the field monitor work separately.
October 6, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pays Plat First Nation's CEO to arrange a meeting for October 11, 2016.
October 11, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with three Pays Plat First Nation Councillors along with Pays Plat First Nation CEO. Discussed the Section 28.2 permit process to help the Council understand the steps and parties involved. Some members of the Pays Plat First Nation Council understand the permit process from the current transmission line that passes through the reserve. Council understands that the process is initiated by a BCR but as a result of the holdback on engagement activities and consultation, Pays Plat First Nation Council will not begin discussions to initiate the permitting process.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Pays Plat First Nation an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Pays Plat First Nation the draft EA for review.
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Pays Plat First Nation the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House
February 1, 2017	Open house	NextBridge conducted an open house that was attended by approximately 20 Pays Plat First Nation members. Concerns expressed included chemical spraying on the right-of-way, protection of beaver and moose and impacts at river crossings. Additional topics discussed included access roads and traditional land use, community recognition, laydown areas and permitting requirements.
March 6, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge conducted a technical briefing meeting and teleconference call with Fort William First Nation, Pays Plat First Nation and Red Rock Indian Band. A Project update was provided and comments on the draft EA and budget updates were discussed. A concern was expressed about the use of recreational vehicles and fishing by Project workers and the archaeological discovery protocol was discussed.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
June 5, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge hosted an archaeology and environment survey kick-off meeting. Community monitors and coordinator were present to listen to archaeology and environmental leads explain the health and safety requirements for conducting surveys, general timelines for surveys and protocols to follow regarding notification, mobilization and communication between the community, technical consultants and the Project.
June 15, 2017	Email	Pays Plat First Nation signed a letter affirming support for NextBridge's consultation interactions with the First Nations in respect of the Project for NextBridge's development of the Project and Project approvals sought by NextBridge, including the environmental assessment for the Project, and the leave-to-construction application to the Ontario Energy Board.

Table 2-IX-13: Pic Mobert First Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
April 25, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge made calls in preparation for upcoming consultation activities.
April 30, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pic Mobert First Nation's Consultation Contact to provide information regarding the Project.
May 13, 2014	Email	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation to introduce the Aboriginal Workforce Liaisons position /person who was hired to assist with the Projects Employment Strategy. ■ Emailed a job posting for the position of "Aboriginal Environmental Monitoring"
May 16, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation to arrange initial meeting on June 12, 2014.
June 4, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Pic Mobert First Nation's Chief discussed arranging initial meeting to plan consultation.
June 16, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation a copy of the Data Sharing Confidentiality Agreement.
June 25, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge conducted initial meeting with Pic Mobert First Nation Lands Director to provide Project overview and discuss consultation NextBridge provided an introduction to the electricity industry and went through the role of a transmitter. The community asked for information regarding the siting of the new transformer stations. They were concerned about outing of the line around the Pukaskwa Park as it may impact trap lines. Pic Mobert First Nation is in favour of going through the park. The community would like a copy of the MOU with the Crown, OEB Participation and Consultation plans. Discussed a Capacity Funding Agreement (CFA).
July 7, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation. Community is scheduling a meeting with Chief and Council to discuss the Project
July 24, 2014	Phone call	Pic Mobert First Nation telephoned NextBridge regarding potential environmental issues in the traditional territory and the need for release of data to evaluate EA.
July 24, 2014	Email	Pic Mobert First Nation emailed NextBridge inquiring about the environmental monitoring positions.
July 27, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation introducing the purpose and need for collecting data regarding community assets, for the purpose of participating in procurement for the Project. Email identifies proposed process and supporting documentation to complete the inventory.
August 1 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Pic Mobert First Nation an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
August 7, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation to follow up on the community asset inventory.
September 4, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation to discuss an initial meeting.
September 5, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pic Mobert First Nation to confirm a meeting date for September 10, 2014.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
September 5, 2014	Email	NextBridge and Pic Mobert First confirmed a meeting date for September 10, 2014 to discuss Project progress, the CFA and the start of community consultation.
September 10, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Pic Mobert First Nation met to overview Project progress, the CFA and start planning the community consultation.
September 29, 2014	Email	Checking on status for initial budget for CFA.
October 9, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation to follow up on consultation budget and workplan.
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Pic Mobert First Nation a letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
December 3, 2014	Open house	NextBridge representatives attended a community meeting on reserve (11 participants). Discussed potential impacts to traplines and traditional values during construction. NextBridge will work with the community to exchange data files in order to avoid or mitigate impacts during construction
January 23, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation's Lands & Resources Assistant map files to use in community meetings and interviews.
February 2, 2015	Phone call	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge and Pic Mobert First Nation discussed letter from the MNRF indicating that the transmission line will cross the reserve. ■ Worked with the community to provide proper maps to show that the line would not in fact cross the reserve
February 5, 2015	Email	Pic Mobert First Nation emailed NextBridge map files of additions to reserve to overlay on transmission route.
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Pic Mobert First Nation a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director.
May 20, 2015	Email	Pic Mobert First Nation emailed NextBridge the signed CFA.
September 18, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation information on fall activities – geotechnical archaeological and access plan investigations.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation to provide information on Bill 112.
January 29, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge and Pic Mobert First Nation discussed setting up time for a call to discuss providing community made maps.
February 29, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation a suggestion on how the community could use their economic development staff member to assist in Project.
March 7, 2016	Email	Pic Mobert First Nation emailed NextBridge to indicate that they have completed 75 interviews with community members to gain traditional knowledge in relation to the Project. They have completed a draft map but still need to do the community consultation and confirmation process of the map, which is scheduled for April 12, 2016.
March 9, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge and Pic Mobert First Nation completed a teleconference call to provide a Project update. Pic Mobert First Nation indicated that there are community members whose traplines may be affected by the new routing. Updated map data is needed to fully determine.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input. Updated map data was also sent.
April 8, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation the Data Sharing Confidentiality Agreement, provided information on the public open houses, attempting to set up meeting to have environmental consultant come to the community to assist with mapping files
April 17, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation the open house materials.
April 28, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge contacted Pic Mobert First Nation to provide an update to the community on public open houses.
April 28, 2016	Email	NextBridge contacted Pic Mobert First Nation to provide an update to the community on public open houses.
May 16, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge spoke with Pic Mobert First Nation's consultation contact regarding environmental monitors and open houses.
May 16, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation's consultation contact regarding environmental monitors and open houses.
May 19, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation to follow up on status of community made map. Pic Mobert First Nation indicated that verification meetings occurred in April and that new information needed to be incorporated. The map will be ready for NextBridge by the end of May.
June 28, 2016	Phone call	Follow up on the status of the community made maps. Indicated they will be ready mid-July.
July 20, 2016	Phone call	Follow up on the status of the community made maps and potential for community meeting. Indicated that they were at the printers and should have them shortly.
July 25, 2016	Phone call	Follow up on potential for community meeting.
July 25, 2016	Email	Follow up on potential for community meeting.
August 10, 2016	Phone call	Pic Mobert First Nation telephoned NextBridge requesting the newest map data to overlay on community made maps.
August 11, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation to provide the latest mapping data.
August 25, 2016	Email	Pic Mobert First Nation emailed NextBridge indicating a new GIS technician would be arriving in the community to finish the maps September 2, 2016
September 22, 2016	Email	Pic Mobert First Nation's Chief emailed NextBridge indicating that there will be no consultation on the Project until the economic participation agreement has been finalised.
September 28, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge and Pic Mobert First Nation discussed Pic Mobert First Nation's land use mapping.
October 26, 2016	Email	Pic Mobert First Nation requested assistance with their GIS files.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Pic Mobert First Nation an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 8, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Pic Mobert First Nation to notify them that the draft EA will be available for review this week.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Pic Mobert First Nation the draft EA for review.
December 20, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation to schedule a community meeting.
December 21, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation confirming that the draft EA documents were received. Pic Mobert First Nation responded confirming receipt of the documents.
January 13, 2017	Email	NextBridge and Pic Mobert First Nation discussed scheduling a community meeting.
January 16, 2017	Email	NextBridge and Pic Mobert First Nation scheduled a community meeting for February 16, 2017.
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Pic Mobert First Nation the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
February 16, 2017	Open house	NextBridge conducted an open house that was attended by approximately 40 Pic Mobert First Nation members. NextBridge provided a Project overview presentation. Concerns expressed included increase access, potential effects on blueberry harvesting, and potential effects on wildlife. Additional topics discussed included traditional land use, jobs and contracting opportunities, laydown areas, access roads and the draft EA.
February 16, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pic Mobert First Nation Chief and Council to discuss the Project. NextBridge provided a Project overview presentation. Topics discussed included the draft EA review, capacity funding, EMF, access roads. Pic Mobert First Nation also requested that manual vegetation management techniques be used within 50 km of their reserve.
March 16, 2017	Email	Pic Mobert First Nation emailed NextBridge their land and occupancy maps.
March 17, 2017	Email	NextBridge emailed Pic Mobert First Nation regarding the timing of the draft EA comments.
March 21, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge conducted a technical teleconference with Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek First Nation, Michipicoten First Nation, Pic Mobert First Nation and representatives from Biigtigong Nishnaabeg. Concerns expressed by Pic Mobert First Nation include herbicide application. Additional topics discussed revegetation, bear attractants, geological assessments and merchantable timber, nighttime construction and private property rights.
March 28, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge had a teleconference call with Pic Mobert First Nation to discuss the Pic Mobert First Nation land and resource use mapped data. Pic Mobert First Nation indicated concerns with construction in areas of new cut (not-parallelizing existing disturbance) and wanted further information regarding the timing of construction in multiple areas.
March 28, 2017	Emailed	NextBridge's consultant emailed Pic Mobert First Nation the contact information of the NextBridge GIS staff member who is available provide assistance to Pic Mobert First Nation in clipping their spatial data.
March 29, 2017	Email	Pic Mobert First Nation emailed NextBridge requesting to discuss the GIS files.
March 31, 2017	Email	Pic Mobert First Nation emailed NextBridge requesting to discuss the GIS files.
April 13, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge and Pic Mobert First Nation discussed the third party draft EA review.
May 1, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Pic Mobert First Nation to discuss environmental and archaeological monitoring opportunities with community representatives. NextBridge discussed the role of the monitor in enhancing information sharing, relationship building and engagement between the community and the Project. Other topics discussed included a capacity funding agreement to facilitate monitor's hiring and technical issues regarding notification, travel, expectations in the field and next steps to get monitors in place. The community was pleased NextBridge is offering multiple opportunities, in multiple surveys, for community members to see directly how NextBridge conducts surveys. The community was pleased to have an additional opportunity for their feedback, input and advice to be included in decision making about the Project.
May 29, 2017	Phone call	Coordination of Archaeology/permitting Indigenous monitor kick-off on June 5, 2017 and to finalize the monitor agreement.
June 5, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge hosted an archaeology and environment survey kick-off meeting. Community monitors and coordinator were present to listen to archaeology and environmental leads explain the health and safety requirements for conducting surveys, general timelines for surveys and protocols to follow regarding notification, mobilization and communication between the community, technical consultants and the Project.
June 8, 2017	Email	NextBridge's EA consultants emailed Pic Mobert First Nation to discuss Pic Mobert First Nation's digital land and resource use information.
June 12, 2017	Email	NextBridge's EA consultants emailed Pic Mobert First Nation to discuss Pic Mobert First Nation's digital land and resource use information.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
June 15, 2017	Email	Pic Mobert First Nation signed a letter affirming support for NextBridge's consultation interactions with the First Nations in respect of the Project for NextBridge's development of the Project and Project approvals sought by NextBridge, including the environmental assessment for the Project, and the leave-to-construction application to the Ontario Energy Board.

Table 2-IX-14: Red Rock Indian Band

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
November 29, 2013	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Red Rock Indian Band's Chief to provide an overview of NextBridge and the Project. Chief was out of the office and a message was left with their assistant.
December 3, 2013	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Red Rock Indian Band's Chief to follow up on previous call and message. Chief is very much aware of the Project and confirmed that he sits as a Board of Director on BLP. The Chief indicated that BLP is negotiating a commercial arrangement with NextBridge and that Red Rock Indian Band community will not engage or consult until a commercial deal is in place. Chief plans to attend the Project Public Open House in Nipigon this evening and suggested a meeting with NextBridge there.
December 3, 2013	Public open house	NextBridge and Red Rock Indian Band's Chief and Councillor met at the Nipigon Public Open House. The Chief reconfirmed that Red Rock Indian Band will not engage or consult until a commercial deal is in place. A Red Rock Band Councillor also attended the public open house and expressed frustration that NextBridge was consulting with the general public and not his First Nation. NextBridge provided the First Nation with copies of all of the Open House Round One handouts.
March 18, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Chief and Councillor at an Economic Development Forum in Thunder Bay. Chief provided an update on the progress of the commercial negotiations between NextBridge and BLP. Chief confirmed that no consultation work will be planned with Red Rock Indian Band until progress is made.
May 7, 2014	Phone call	Red Rock Indian Band Chief telephoned NextBridge indicating that he was in Thunder Bay and wanted to meet if available.
May 7, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Chief. Chief is more comfortable of where negotiations are at and would like to initiate engagement work. NextBridge asked if Red Rock Indian Band had a consultation protocol and if it could it be provided for review prior to discussing the development of a consultation plan. Chief to direct his consultation staff to forward their protocol. NextBridge also shared information about the planned environmental field work and geotechnical work. The Chief wants First Nation Environmental Monitors on site to oversee the work. The Chief requested another meeting in a week's time to follow up. A meeting date of May 16, 2014 was confirmed.
May 13, 2017	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Economic Development Officer (EDO) to introduce the Aboriginal Workforce Liaison staff member who will assist with the Project's employment strategy. NextBridge emailed the environmental monitoring job posting.
May 16, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Chief to discuss a consultation plan and supporting budget. Chief wants funding for a coordinator in the community (EA and employment participation) as well as funding to support Council meetings, member engagement, TEK / TLU interviews, community impact assessment, issues report, employment and economic development opportunities as well as legal reviews. Chief will direct a Councillor to draft a plan and budget for consideration.
June 4, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Red Rock Indian Band Chief to arrange a meeting for June 6, 2016.
June 6, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Chief to continue discussion on the development of a consultation plan and to introduce him to the Aboriginal Workforce Liaison.
June 12, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's new EDO a copy of the environmental monitoring job posting previously sent on May 13, 2017.

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Table 2-IX-14: Red Rock Indian Band

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
June 16, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor to discuss the environmental monitoring job posting. A follow up meeting was scheduled for June 25, 2014.
June 24, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor to follow up on discussion with Chief and to check whether any help was needed with the development of a consultation plan and supporting budget. The Councillor indicated that the plan was almost complete and a draft would be submitted by May 27, 2014.
June 25, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge and Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor met to discuss the Aboriginal Workforce Liaison position and the environmental monitoring job posting.
July 7, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor to follow up on the draft consultation plan and budget.
July 15, 2014	Email	Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor emailed the budget for engagement and consultation activities.
July 15, 2014	Phone call	Red Rock Indian Band Councillor telephoned NextBridge to arrange a meeting for July 22, 2014 to follow up on their budget email.
July 22, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor to discuss the budget that had been submitted to NextBridge for review. Had discussion about private lands that Red Rock Indian Band purchased south of Highway 11/17 and east of the Nipigon River with intentions to convert to reserve lands. Councillor indicated that she needs to confirm the Additions to Reserve process for Red Rock Indian Band and to determine whether the Project will have impact to land transfer
July 27, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor regarding the community asset inventory.
August 1, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Red Rock Indian Band an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
August 7, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor to follow up on the community asset inventory.
August 11, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor the Notice of Commencement of EA and to advise her of the second round of public open houses scheduled for August 18 to 23, 2014. The notice included the dates and individual locations. Confirmed that the open houses were for information and that they were not replacing individual First Nation consultation processes.
August 12, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor regarding the community asset inventory and community profile.
August 18, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Chief at the Nipigon Public Open House #2. Chief wants to get moving on engagement work. The Chief wants to sign a Capacity Funding Agreement (CFA) and then schedule a Red Rock Indian Band open house on September 20, 2014 in conjunction with their fall harvest celebration to be held at one of their own reserve facilities. Chief indicated they would be submitting a funding request to support their Fall Harvest event. Chief wants to begin engagement work by informing members about the Project. Chief asked NextBridge to follow up with Councillor to ensure the draft plan and budget get finalized so that arrangements can begin on the proposed September event.
August 21, 2014	Phone call	Red Rock Indian Band Councillor telephoned NextBridge to arrange a meeting for August 25, 2014 to follow up on their proposed budget for capacity support.
August 25, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor to discuss the proposed budget and scope of work proposed by Red Rock Indian Band. Discussed ideas of the duties of a funded consultation point person in the community and drafted the job description. The Band councillor indicated that they are trying to collaborate on the EA work as First Nations to the extent that their consultation point people could act as a team to work directly with Dillon as the EA consultant.
September 3, 2014	Phone call	Red Rock Indian Band Councillor telephoned NextBridge to arrange a meeting for September 5, 2014 to follow up on their CFA workplan and budget.
September 5, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band Councillor to work on draft budget and workplan for CFA.
September 8, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor a conditionally approved the CFA budget.
September 12, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Red Rock Indian Band Councillor to arrange details for the September 20, 2014 project open house in their community.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
September 17, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor a copy of the final CFA for execution along with instructions for signing including the need for a BCR to endorse the CFA. Also included copies of maps produced by NextBridge of the Red Rock Indian Band private lands south of the reserve and in the path of the reference route. The maps are intended to be used for engagement and consultation purposes.
September 20, 2014	Open house	NextBridge members attended the Red Rock Indian Band open house at the Red Rock Indian Band Chalet Lodge in the community. Chief and Councillor attended along with approximately 25 members of the community. NextBridge reps provided a verbal Project presentation to the entire group and were available to guide community members around the open house panels and route maps on display. No specific questions were asked of the NextBridge group and Chief indicated that they would continue to engage members on the Project in the community.
September 24, 2014	Email	Red Rock Indian Band emailed NextBridge a copy of the signed CFA and BCR.
September 25, 2014	Email	Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor emailed NextBridge a copy of a draft TEK workplan for review and to also confirm that Red Rock Indian Band has a consultation protocol and that she will arrange to have it provided by her Consultation Department. The Councillor also arranged a meeting for September 29, 2014 to introduce the First Nation's Consultation Coordinator.
September 29, 2014	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor and new Consultation Coordinator. The coordinator has been hired by the First Nation as their coordinator for consultation activities under the CFA. NextBridge provided hard copies of the open house handouts to Consultation Coordinator and requested that Red Rock Indian Band provide a copy of the First Nation's consultation protocol. The Consultation coordinator confirmed that the First Nation has a protocol but needed to arrange a meeting with their consultation department to have them review the protocol with all the parties.
September 30, 2014	Email	Red Rock Indian Band emailed NextBridge Red Rock Indian Band's consultation protocol and arrangements to meet with the department to review and discuss the protocol for October 2, 2014.
October 2, 2014	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ NextBridge met with Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator. NextBridge provided a Project backgrounder and update as well as an update on the information sharing and engagement work completed to date including the September 20, 2014 open house in the community. Consultation coordinator confirmed that she had spoken to the Councillor and that should would be required to implement the CFA in the community. NextBridge indicated that they were available to assist her wherever needed. NextBridge asked whether Red Rock Indian Band had existing TK/TLU data that can be shared and Consultation Coordinator confirmed that the Council has approved early engagement work but not the sharing of data at this time because of the status of the commercial negotiations. NextBridge asked if the Consultation Coordinator could begin to plan open house dates in the community, TK/TLU interviews and to also work with NextBridge on questions and issues raised in the community. The Consultation Coordinator indicated that she could and that she would draft a high level schedule to cover the next several months so that open house dates could be planned and information on the Project could be shared with the community. NextBridge requested that TK/TLU work be planned and proceed so that it can be ready when the approval is given by Council to release it. ■ Other consultation staff then joined the meeting to review the consultation protocol. The group confirmed that the protocol's title "They are learning with each other while they are doing" implies a need for proponents to foster capacity building in the community and in turn the community will help the proponent learn about the community's ways, values and interests. The protocol is not prescriptive but rather outlines a broader process built on developing partnerships.
October 15, 2014	Phone call	Red Rock Indian Band's Councillor telephoned NextBridge requesting participation at a Project open house in Thunder Bay on November 11, 2014 and in the community on November 13, 2014.
October 28, 2014	Email	Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator emailed NextBridge cancelling the November 11 and 13, 2014 community open house dates.

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Table 2-IX-14: Red Rock Indian Band

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed November 11, 2014 a letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
November 12, 2014	Email	Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator emailed NextBridge scheduling a December 6, 2014 community open house for the Project at the reserve. The Consultation Coordinator indicated that they wanted a presentation by NextBridge on the Project followed by an opportunity for members to ask questions and to review Project materials and maps.
December 6, 2014	Open house	NextBridge attended the Red Rock Indian Band open house at the Red Rock Indian Band Resource Centre on reserve. Chief and Councillor attended along with approximately 40 members of the community. NextBridge provided a verbal Project presentation to the entire group and provided an overview of the community engagement and process and commitment to work with the community and the Consultation Coordinator as the First Nation coordinator. Community members were able to view the open house panels and route maps on display. No specific questions were asked of the NextBridge group and Chief indicated that they would continue to engage members on the Project in the community.
January 14, 2015	Phone call	Red Rock Indian Band Consultation Coordinator telephoned NextBridge to arrange a meeting for January 21, 2015 for support in building capacity to conduct a TK/TLU study.
January 21, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator as requested to help build her capacity to conduct a TK study. Sample resource guides on how to conduct a TK study were provided as well as discussion on how she may be able to apply these tools in the community.
January 21, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator to invite them to attend an EA workshop with NextBridge and Dillon Consulting.
January 29, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator to confirm the EA workshop in Thunder Bay on February 11, 2015 at the Valhalla Inn. Also provided a copy of the Data Sharing Agreement between NextBridge and Red Rock Indian Band.
February 11, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge arranged an EA workshop with Dillon Consulting in Thunder Bay. The Red Rock Indian Band Consultation Coordinator and another First Nation staff member attended and were provided an overview of the EA process with an emphasis on how and where their First Nation can provide information and participation into the planning process. The workshop introduced members from Fort William First Nation, Red Rock Indian Band and Pays Plat First Nation for networking opportunities and to allow them to share learning experiences from their respective communities. Red Rock Indian Band Consultation Coordinator requested to meet on February 19, 2015 in follow up to the workshop. NextBridge confirmed the meeting date.
February 19, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator to provide maps following the EA workshop, including maps with tower locations to be used for TK/TLU work. The Consultation Coordinator indicated that she has completed several interviews but she has not been able to get the data onto their GIS System. As well, the Consultation Coordinator cannot get access to the previous TEK work and values data that are stored on the system. NextBridge indicated that the First Nation has funds available in the CFA for technical support and the Consultation Coordinator should discuss the issue with her Administrator.
February 20, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band a fully executed copy of the CFA.
March 23, 2015	Email	Red Rock Indian Band emailed NextBridge regarding the hiring of archaeological monitors.
April 7, 2015	Email	Consultation coordinator emailed NextBridge to confirm a Project open house to be held on May 6, 2015 and requested participation from NextBridge.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Red Rock Indian Band a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director;
April 17, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band Consultation Coordinator to confirm attendance at the scheduled community open house to be held on May 6, 2015.
April 28, 2015	Email	NextBridge provided Red Rock Indian Band with maps for the land use and traditional ecological use discussions with community members.
May 4, 2015	Email	Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation coordinator emailed NextBridge to cancel the May 6, 2015 community open house.
May 5, 2015	Email	Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation coordinator and NextBridge exchanged emails confirming a Project open house to be held on May 27, 2015.
May 21, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator to provide copies of maps printed for Red Rock Indian Band TEK work.
May 26, 2015	Email	Red Rock Indian Band Consultation Coordinator emailed NextBridge to cancel the May 27, 2015 community open house but kept the invitation open to NextBridge as a session will still be held with internal Consultation staff to discuss ways to collaborate in order to move forward.
May 27, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge representatives were able to travel to Red Rock Indian Band to meet with the Consultation Coordinator and other consultation staff at the Chalet Lodge. The Consultation Coordinator had to cancel the open house at the last moment but still invited consultation contacts from Pays Plat First Nation to gather to talk about progress on each community's engagement processes. NextBridge offered support to the community-based discussions.
June 12, 2015	Email	Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation coordinator emailed progress reports covering the period of October 2014 to May 2015.
June 17, 2015	Phone call	Red Rock Indian Band Chief telephoned NextBridge to arrange a meeting for June 19, 2015.
June 19, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Chief as requested to discuss the CFA workplan and budget. Chief indicated that the First Nation has spent the allocation of the budget for the Consultation Coordinator and that the Consultation Coordinator would be laid-off and engagement activities would stop on June 23, 2016.
November 27, 2015	Phone call	Red Rock Indian Band Chief telephoned NextBridge to arrange a meeting for December 2, 2015.
December 2, 2015	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Red Rock Indian Band's Chief and Band Administrator. Chief indicated that he reviewed the CFA budget with the Band Administrator and he was proposing to hire another Consultation Coordinator. NextBridge asked him if he would consider bringing back Consultation Coordinator as she is familiar with the file and has built capacity during her term. Chief indicated that it was the First Nation's policy to re-post and he had to follow policy. The Band Administrator is to reconcile the CFA budget and propose a new budget and workplan for the period of January to March 2016.
December 10, 2015	Email	Red Rock Indian Band's Band Administrator emailed NextBridge the revised budget for period of January – March 2016.
December 16, 2015	Phone call	Red Rock Indian Band's Chief telephoned NextBridge to inform that Red Rock Indian Band intended to hire a new Consultation Coordinator starting on January 4, 2016.
January 7, 2016	Phone call	Red Rock Indian Band's new Consultation Coordinator telephoned to introduce herself and request a meeting to learn about the Project. A meeting was arranged for January 22, 2016.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band to provided information on Bill 112.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
January 22, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator to provide a Project background and update. NextBridge shared progress reports on file for the First Nation to date and reviewed Project materials and maps provided to Red Rock Indian Band previously. The coordinator indicated that she was preparing to conduct TK/TLU interviews with members along with another member of the Red Rock Indian Band Consultation Department.
February 4, 2016	Email	Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation coordinator emailed NextBridge a progress report covering the period of January 2016.
February 8, 2016	Email	Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation coordinator emailed NextBridge to confirm a March 3, 2016 open house and requested for NextBridge participation.
March 1, 2016	Email	Consultation coordinator emailed a progress report covering the period of February 2016.
March 3, 2016	Open house	NextBridge attended the Red Rock Indian Band open house at the Red Rock Indian Band Resource Centre on reserve. Chief and Consultation Coordinator attended along with approximately 20 members of the community. NextBridge provided a verbal Project presentation to the entire group and provided an overview of the community engagement and process and commitment to work with the community and Consultation Coordinator as the First Nation coordinator. Chief indicated that they would continue to engage members on the Project in the community. The Consultation Coordinator requested a meeting be arranged for March 10, 2016 to follow up on the open house. NextBridge agreed to the meeting date.
March 10, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator as requested to help build her capacity to write a Traditional Knowledge (TK) report. Samples were shared to use as a guide on how to structure a TK report as well as discussion on how she may be able to apply these templates for the Red Rock Indian Band report.
March 21, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator notifying of the public open houses taking place the week of April 18, 2016.
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Red Rock Indian Band a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
April 5, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator GIS shapefiles from NextBridge that included the proposed route, access roads, laydown and storage yards as well as worker camp locations. The files are to be used for community engagement and TK/TLU work.
April 8, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator to notify of upcoming spring field work and the interest from NextBridge to recruit Aboriginal Field Monitors.
April 13, 2016	Email	Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator emailed NextBridge a progress report covering the period of March 2016.
April 14, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator a copy of the Aboriginal Field Monitor Job Doc to pass on to members interested in assisting with the spring field work activities.
April 20, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met the Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator at the Nipigon public open house and provided an update on the Project including the EA work and upcoming spring fieldwork. NextBridge provided copies of the Project newsletter and Project handouts.
May 5, 2016	Phone call	Red Rock Indian Band Consultation Coordinator telephoned NextBridge to arrange a meeting for May 11, 2016.
May 11, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator to provide 100 copies of each of the recent open house Project handouts, electronic copies of the handouts and electronic copies of the updated route maps in pdf format. The Consultation Coordinator requested NextBridge attendance at a proposed open house date of June 14, 2016. NextBridge indicated that they would need to confirm the date.
May 16, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed the red Rock Indian Band Consultation Coordinator to confirm the June 14, 2016 open house date as requested by Red Rock Indian Band.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
May 24, 2016	Email	Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation coordinator emailed NextBridge an interim TK/TLU progress report dated March 2016 and a Summary of Issues document.
May 24, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Red Rock Indian Band Consultation Coordinator to arrange a meeting for May 30, 2016 to introduce Haneshe Environmental and to discuss plans for an open house on June 14, 2016 in the community.
May 30, 2016	In-person meeting	Haneshe Environmental met with Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator and the Indigenous Observer from the community to discuss the field study workplan and to conduct an orientation session.
June 12, 2016	Email	Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation coordinator emailed NextBridge a progress report covering the period of April to May 2016.
June 14, 2016	Phone call	Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation coordinator telephoned NextBridge to cancel the open house scheduled for June 14, 2016.
July 4, 2016	Phone call	Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator telephoned NextBridge to discuss arranging an open house for the last week of July but confirmed that Chief will not participate until commercial negotiations are finalized.
July 22, 2016	Phone call	Red Rock Indian Band's Consultation Coordinator telephoned NextBridge to advise that she has been temporarily laid-off while engagement activities have stopped.
September 29, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge telephoned Red Rock Indian Band Councillor to arrange a meeting to discuss community engagement process as well as First Nation private lands along the project route. The Councillor suggested a meeting date of October 6, 2016 and he would arrange to have the Chief attend as well.
October 6, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Rock Indian Band Chief and Councillor to discuss the potential to restart engagement work. Chief indicated that the negotiations are not complete and as a result he is not starting to re-engage. Chief indicated that he wants to discuss process funding as well to include the private lands discussion into the First Nation's overall consultation process. Chief confirmed that the community needs to weigh in on the discussion of what to do with the lands and this cannot proceed until engagement starts up. Once engagement work is ready to begin, Red Rock Indian Band intends to submit a budget to cover process costs on the private lands discussions as well as for ongoing engagement and consultation work to pick up where they left off.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Red Rock Indian Band an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Red Rock Indian Band the draft EA for Review
February 2, 2017	Open house	NextBridge attended an open house with approximately 15 Red Rock Indian Band community members. Concerns were expressed about the need to compensate trappers for loss of available trapping lands. Topics discussed included economic opportunities, merchantable timber and land and resource use. Red Rock Indian Band requested to be able to remove chaga from Project footprint prior to construction.
March 6, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge conducted a technical briefing meeting and teleconference call with Fort William First Nation, Pays Plat First Nation and Red Rock Indian Band. A Project update was provided and comments on the draft EA and budget updates were discussed. A concern was expressed about the use of recreational vehicles and fishing by Project workers and the archaeological discovery protocol was discussed.
April 25, 2017	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Rock Indian Band an invitation to a meeting on May 1, 2017 to discuss field work and monitoring opportunities.
May 1, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Red Rock Indian Band to discuss environmental and archaeological monitoring opportunities with community representatives. NextBridge discussed the role of the monitor in enhancing information sharing, relationship building and engagement between the community and the Project. Other topics discussed included a capacity funding agreement to facilitate monitor's hiring and technical issues regarding notification, travel, expectations in the field and next steps to get monitors in place. The community was pleased NextBridge is offering multiple opportunities, in multiple surveys, for community members to see directly how NextBridge conducts surveys. The community was pleased to have an additional opportunity for their feedback, input and advice to be included in decision making about the Project.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
June 5, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge hosted an archaeology and environment survey kick-off meeting. Community monitors and coordinator were present to listen to archaeology and environmental leads explain the health and safety requirements for conducting surveys, general timelines for surveys and protocols to follow regarding notification, mobilization and communication between the community, technical consultants and the Project.
June 15, 2017	Email	Red Rock Indian Band signed a letter affirming support for NextBridge's consultation interactions with the First Nations in respect of the Project for NextBridge's development of the Project and Project approvals sought by NextBridge, including the environmental assessment for the Project, and the leave-to-construction application to the Ontario Energy Board.

Table 2-IX-15: Métis Nation of Ontario

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
December 9, 2013	Email	Métis Nation of Ontario (MNO) emailed NextBridge signed an interim Capacity Funding Agreement (CFA) for traditional knowledge work.
December 11, 2013	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with MNO to discuss the memorandum of understanding and scheduling of initial meeting.
January 14, 2014	In-person meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Meeting with NextBridge, Dillon (Consultant to NextBridge), Calliou Group (Consultants to the MNO), MNO Executive Director, MNO Fisheries Habitat Liaison Officer, MNO Regional Councillor, President of Superior North Shore Métis Council, President of Greenstone Métis Council, MNO Captain of the Hunt (Region 2). NextBridge provided a Project overview and update; an overview of the regulatory process; a discussion on the Draft ToR; the Aboriginal consultation plan and the next steps. Dillon presented a brief overview of the regulatory process involved under Ontario's Individual EA. Calliou questioned about the applicability of the <i>Canadian Environmental Assessment Act</i> and Dillon explained that due to the voltage and length of the transmission line through Pukaskwa Part and the two First Nation Reserves, CEAA 2012 would not be triggered. A "Project Description" has been provided to Parks Canada and can be found in the supporting documentation to the ToR. Parks Canada will use this Project Description in their evaluation of whether the alternative route through Pukaskwa should be carried forward in the EA. There was discussion of when Parks Canada would consult with the MNO in this regard; however this was beyond the ability of NextBridge or Dillon to comment upon. ■ Calliou indicated that it is unlikely that any additional biophysical information needs to be collected as the Indigenous Valued Ecological Components (VECs) will mostly be social. The concern will be how will NextBridge offset, mitigate or compensate effects on Indigenous communities. The MNO would like to know what the plan is for biophysical field work in terms of time and location and would like to know what opportunities there are for MNO participation. Calliou inquired as to the details of how NextBridge will undertake the net effects assessment to determine standards and thresholds (i.e. criteria to be used to establish high, medium and low effects). Dillon responded that commonly used methods in EA will be employed in the net effects assessment.
January 17, 2014	Email	CFA signed and executed.
January 28, 2014	Surface mail	MNO mailed staff at Ministry of the Environment and Ministry of Energy a letter expressing concern regarding NextBridge's short timeframe for completing EA to meet Leave to Construct for the Project. NextBridge copied.
February 7, 2014	In-person meeting	CFA signed and executed.
February 11 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO the fish biologist job posting.
March 6, 2014	Email	MNO emailed NextBridge the signed CFA #2 for traditional knowledge workshop in Region 2 and interviews with community members.

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
March 19, 2014	Surface mail	MNO mailed NextBridge a request for the timeline and results for Stage One archaeological assessment.
March 25, 2014	Email	MNO's environmental consultant (Calliou Group) emailed NextBridge questions about the Project geotechnical work.
April 7, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO responses to questions sent by MNO environmental consultant (Calliou Group).
April 10, 2014	In Person meeting	NextBridge and MNO representatives and legal council met to discuss consultation work and economic participation opportunities.
May 12, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO the Job Description for Geotechnical Monitors.
May 18, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO a copy of signed Capacity Funding Agreement (CFA).
May 20, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO the preliminary geotechnical bore holes and high level access plan.
May 22, June 6, August 8, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO the GIS Shapefiles of geotechnical bore holes.
June 10, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO to provide clarification on borehole locations.
June 26, 2014	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO to provide the geotechnical work plan.
July 16, 2014	Letter	MNO sent letter to the Ministry of Energy inquiring about the Aboriginal Transmission Fund and seeking clarity on First Nation and Métis economic participation in the transmission line. NextBridge copied.
November 6, 2014	Letter	NextBridge mailed the three MNO communities informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; and, ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
January 5, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO to discuss upcoming meeting agenda.
January 8, 2015	Meeting	MNO and NextBridge discussed upcoming Project milestones, work plan and budget for the CFA.
January 19, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO messaging for Métis membership on Project delay.
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed the 3 MNO communities a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director.
June 2, 2015	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO to discuss the invoicing on the current CFA and the plan to slow consultation until decision from OEB on revised Project schedule and budget.
July 13, 2015	Email	MNO emailed NextBridge to discuss invoicing for current CFAs.
July 15, 2015	Phone call/Email	MNO and NextBridge communicated to discuss invoicing for current CFAs.
July 23, 2015	Phone call/Email	MNO and NextBridge communicated to discuss invoicing for current CFAs.
July 24, 2015	Phone call/Email	MNO and NextBridge communicated to discuss invoicing for current CFAs.
August 6, 2015	Phone call/Email	MNO and NextBridge communicated to discuss invoicing for current CFAs.
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed the three MNO communities and MNO about Bill 112.
February 3, 2016	Surface mail	MNO mailed a letter to the Ministry of Energy requesting more time to review the implications of Bill 112. NextBridge copied.
February 12, 2016	Email	MNO emailed NextBridge a copy of <i>Understanding the Metis Nation of Ontario Secretariat Act</i> which explains the Act (passed by the Ontario legislature in December 2015).

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Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge emailed MNO a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
March 29, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO requesting new CFA to start consultation activities again. Indicated starting summer field studies and have also identified a preliminary route and areas for construction related activities.
March 30, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO the GIS files of route and access plan.
April 4, 2016	Email	MNO emailed NextBridge requesting clarity on GIS files.
April 6, 2016	Phone call/Email	MNO and NextBridge discussed the need for a revised budget and workplan for consultation. NextBridge updated on upcoming Project activities and sent Open House notice for MNO to send to members.
April 12, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO the Aboriginal Community Advisory Board ToR for comment.
April 13, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO the updated GIS files of route and access plan.
April 26, 2016	Email	MNO emailed NextBridge to indicate that they are working on budget and workplan for revised CFA and requesting further clarity on GIS files.
May 24, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO a Word version of the ToR for the Aboriginal Advisory Board.
May 25, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO the dataset of Preliminary Route, Laydown Yards, Storage Yards, Worker Camps, and Access Roads.
July 18, 2016	Phone call	MNO telephoned NextBridge to discuss unbilled fees from consultation in 2015. Requested invoices and back up for payment. Also asked for a new consultation budget for a CFA.
August 19, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO information on new IESO funding program and offered to work with MNO on application.
August 23, 2016	Email	NextBridge and MNO exchanged emails. NextBridge requested a new budget and workplan for the CFA. MNO responded it would come after the Annual Assembly.
September 8, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO requesting a new budget and workplan for the CFA.
September 13, 2016	Email	MNO emailed NextBridge the new budget and workplan for the CFA.
September 21, 2016	Email	NextBridge mailed MNO minimal changes to the CFA.
September 27, 2016	Email	MNO and NextBridge exchanged emails with legal teams on CFA resulting in an executable version.
September 30, 2016	Email	MNO and NextBridge exchanged emails with legal teams on CFA resulting in an executable version.
October 3, 2016	Email	MNO and NextBridge exchanged emails with legal teams on CFA resulting in an executable version.
October 4, 2016	Email	MNO and NextBridge exchanged emails with legal teams on CFA resulting in an executable version.
October 5, 2016	Email	MNO and NextBridge exchanged emails with legal teams on CFA resulting in an executable version.
October 17, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO an update on the preparation of EA and requested a call to discuss.
October 19, 2016	Phone call	NextBridge and MNO discussed the EA schedule and how MNO could provide input.
October 20, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO a section of consultation record asking for review
November 25, 2016	Email	MNO's consultants, Calliou Group, emailed NextBridge the MNO TLU study and associated Integration Document.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed MNO an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed MNO the draft EA for review.

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Table 2-IX-15: Métis Nation of Ontario

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed MNO the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House
February 27, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge's EA consultants and MNO's consultants met to discuss the draft EA and the proposed approach to incorporate MNO data into the Final EA.
March 31, 2017	Email	MNO emailed NextBridge the <i>Métis Nation of Ontario Occupied Lands Report</i> for the Project.
May 16, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge, NextBridge's EA consultants, MNO and MNO's consultants met to discuss the draft EA. NextBridge provide a presentation on Project updates, EA methods and the proposed approach to incorporate MNO data into the Final EA.
May 23, 2017	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO the meeting minutes of the May 16, 2017 meeting.
May 25, 2017	Email	MNO emailed NextBridge acknowledging receipt of the May 16, 2017 meeting minutes.
June 13, 2017	Email	MNO emailed NextBridge requesting a community open house for the Project in Thunder Bay on July 14, 2017.
June 15, 2017	Email	MNO submitted to NextBridge the revised <i>Métis Nation of Ontario Occupied Lands Report</i>
June 22, 2017	Email	NextBridge emailed MNO to discuss logistical items related to the community open house scheduled for July 14, 2017
June 26, 2017	Email	MNO emailed NextBridge to discuss logistical items related to the community open house scheduled for July 14, 2017 including a draft agenda.

Table 2-IX-16: Red Sky Métis Independent Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
May 7, 2014	Phone call	NextBridge and Red Sky Métis Independent Nation discussed geotechnical work and spring field studies. Red Sky Métis Independent Nation asked about jobs - introduced new employment coordinator. Red Sky Métis Independent Nation would like a copy of the Stage One archaeology report. The community asked when The Project will be built because they looking for economic growth. Read the ToR and wanted to request that when NextBridge re-seed forested areas we should include berry bushes to keep the bears in the woods.
August 1, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Red Sky Métis Independent Nation an update letter, newsletter, and invitation to upcoming public open houses.
August 18, 2014	Public open house	Red Sky Métis Independent Nation's Executive Director attended the Thunder Bay public open house. NextBridge representatives walked them through the poster boards and provided Project information.
November 6, 2014	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Red Sky Métis Independent Nation a letter informing of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Terms of Reference Approval; ■ Ontario Power Authority and Ontario Energy Board Correspondence Regarding Project Schedule; ■ Pukaskwa National Park; and, ■ Rescheduling of the Third Round of Open Houses.
April 7, 2015	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Red Sky Métis Independent Nation a letter providing an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised development schedule progress; ■ Pukaskwa National Park study permits; and, ■ New Project Director.

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Table 2-IX-16: Red Sky Métis Independent Nation

Date	Communication	Communication Synopsis
January 18, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Sky Métis Independent Nation information on Bill 112.
January 25, 2016	Email	Red Sky Métis Independent Nation emailed NextBridge a response to the Bill 112 email requesting a meeting. Meeting arranged for February 2, 2016
February 2, 2016	In-person meeting	NextBridge met Red Sky Métis Independent Nation at Thunder Bay to discuss update on Project and Bill 112.
February 2, 2016	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Sky Métis Independent Nation data files of route as follow up to in person meeting on February 2, 2016.
March 28, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge emailed Red Sky Métis Independent Nation a Project update newsletter and Notice of Open Houses. The Notice of Open Houses provided notice for upcoming public Open House events, and the newsletter included details regarding route selection and upcoming opportunities for public input.
April 18, 2016	Public open house	Red Sky Métis Independent Nation's Executive Director attended the public open house. NextBridge representatives walked them through the poster boards and provided Project information.
December 5, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Red Sky Métis Independent Nation an update letter regarding the Environmental Assessment Report submission.
December 16, 2016	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Red Sky Métis Independent Nation the draft EA for review.
January 23, 2017	Surface mail	NextBridge mailed Red Sky Métis Independent Nation the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project newsletter ■ Notice of Open House
January 30, 2017	In-person meeting	NextBridge met with Red Sky Métis Independent Nation Community Executive Director and technical staff. NextBridge provided and overview of the Project. Concerns expressed included potential effects on walleye and sturgeon, potential effects on moose and eagles, Project staff fishing on off-hours and design features Additional topics discussed included the draft EA, access and private property compensation.
February 6, 2017	Public open house	A Red Sky Métis Independent Nation member inquired about the potential for dust and effects on vegetation resulting from the Project.
February 22, 2017	Phone call	NextBridge conducted a technical briefing teleconference to discuss the draft EA. Concerns expressed included greenhouse gases, nighttime construction and potential effects at Ouimet Canyon. Additional comments on the draft EA were provided by Red Sky Métis Independent Nation.
February 25, 2017	Email	Red Sky Métis Independent Nation emailed NextBridge the signed Capacity Funding Agreement (CFA).
April 12, 2017	Email	NextBridge's EA consultants emailed Red Sky Métis Independent Nation requesting traditional land and resource use information for incorporation into the Final EA.
March 20, 2017	Email	NextBridge emailed Red Sky Métis Independent Nation with the fully executed CFA.