

Community Engagement Summary

Rolling River First Nation

Licensing and Environmental Assessment

Date	Methods of Engagement
February 21, 2008	Letter from Manitoba Hydro requesting an Introductory Bipole III meeting with Chief and Council
June 4, 2008	Introductory meeting with leadership
August 15, 2008	Letter from Manitoba Hydro providing information about regional introductory public open houses and suggesting that a community open house be planned in Rolling River First Nation
May 8, 2009	Letter from Manitoba Hydro requesting to hold an open house in Rolling River First Nation
May 26, 2009	Letter from Manitoba Hydro requesting participation in the ATK process
August 24, 2009	Letter from Manitoba Hydro indicating that Manitoba Hydro had selected a series of alternative route options and would like to hold a community open house in Rolling River First Nation
February 2, 2010	Letter from Chief and Council to Manitoba Hydro indicating that the meeting held on February 2, 2010 will not serve or be considered as consultation
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February 2, 2010	Round 3 Community Open House in Rolling River First Nation
July 27, 2010	Letter indicating that Manitoba Hydro had selected a preliminary preferred route for the proposed Bipole III Transmission Project; and that in viewing the preliminary preferred route, Keeseekoowenin Ojibway First Nation is considered to be outside of the general area under consideration for the new transmission line. No response was received from the letter
November 23, 2011	Letter indicating that Manitoba Hydro has now selected a preferred route for the proposed

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	Bipole III Transmission Project
November 20, 2014	MH sent a letter to Swan Lake First Nation requesting to meet with the community to review the EPP. The letter was accompanied with a link to the following documents: the Transmission Access Management Plan, the Bipole III Environmental Protection Plan, the Bipole III Transmission Line Construction Environmental Protection Plan (CEnvPP) for Segments S1 and S2, and the Culture and Heritage Resource Protection Plan (CHRPP). A copy of the sample questionnaire that MH uses to assist with developing a community appropriate protocol for the CHRPP was also enclosed. A copy of the Access Management brochure was also sent.
December 17, 2014	MH phoned and sent an email to follow up on the November 20, 2014 letter. No response was received.

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ATK studies	An attendee discussed the importance of Aboriginal knowledge and traditional land use studies and questioned whether Manitoba Hydro was interested in funding ATK studies.	Manitoba Hydro discussed with the community that the letter that was sent on May 26, 2009 was in regards to participating in the ATK process for Bipole III and interest in meeting with the community to further discuss their participation in ATK. It was noted that no response from the community was received to this letter.	
Burial grounds	An attendee shared his concern that Manitoba Hydro has no respect for burial grounds and	Manitoba Hydro acknowledges the need for careful protection and respect for all culture and heritage resources. The Environmental	Culture and Heritage Resources Protection Plan

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	<p>that the things that Manitoba Hydro did up north are unacceptable. Rolling River First Nation will do what they have to do to protect their children and grandchildren.</p>	<p>Protection Program (EPP) includes a Culture and Heritage Resource Protection Plan to safeguard and appropriately handle culture and heritage resources discovered during the construction of the Project.</p>	

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