

Prince Rupert Gas Transmission Project Update September, 2014

Park Boundary Adjustment (PBA) Application Process

PRGT's current preferred route proposes to follow Highway 113 and cross the Anhluut'ukwsim Angwinga'asanskwhl Nisga'a (Nisga'a Memorial Lava Bed Park or Memorial Park) for approximately 12 km. PRGT is seeking approval for a Park Boundary Adjustment (PBA) and on July 31, 2014 submitted a detailed Stage 2 application to BC Parks and Nisga'a Lisims Government (NLG). Ultimately, the Stage 2 application will be reviewed by the BC Minister of Environment.

Through continued consultation and communications with BC Parks, NLG, and Nisga'a Villages, PRGT will strive to further understand the values of the Memorial Park and continue work to avoid or minimize effects on important areas and features through appropriate construction practices, mitigation and reclamation.



Construction of the route through the Memorial Park will take approximately eight months to complete and is proposed for 2017. PRGT will work closely with NLG and BC Parks on construction timing and other mitigation measures to reduce effects to the park and the people who use it.

The pipeline will be buried for its entire length through the Memorial Park and will therefore not be visible from the surface. PRGT will not be installing compressor stations, valves, above-grade piping, camps, stockpile sites or other infrastructure within the park.

For more information on PRGT's PBA application, visit our project website

www.princerupertgas.com/news/latest-news or the website of BC Parks at www.env.gov.bc.ca/bcparks.



Summer Fieldwork on Nisga'a Lands and Employment of Nisga'a Citizens

August, 2014

- BGC Engineering employed seven Nisga'a citizens in August for approximately 1256 hours of work. This included wildlife monitors and general labourers for survey field crews and geotechnical investigations.



Youth and Elder Camp

This summer PRGT and Geoterra sponsored a First Nations Youth Natural Resources Training and Mentoring Program. During this one month long program, technical pipeline experts and Aboriginal Elders mentored 18 youth from 18 different Aboriginal communities along the project corridor. One Nisga'a citizen participated in this program and received technical pipeline and safety training, as well as traditional teachings from Elders.



Youth Natural Resources Training Participants, July 2014

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