

WMFN LANDS DEPARTMENT

BAND GENERAL UPDATE

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GENERAL OVERVIEW

- Oil and Gas
- Windfarms
- Pipeline projects
- BC Hydro projects
- Coal Projects
- Forestry/Wildlife Projects
- TLE/Partnership Agreement
- Other (Studies/NWSS/TSNPN/TUS)

OIL AND GAS PROJECTS

- About 365 applications in 2020
- CNRL biggest player
- Approximately 54 companies within WMFN's Admin boundaries
- Dormant well work
- Orphan well work
- Pad work

Windfarms

- WMFN has successfully began producing windpower with the...project.
- Announced on Earth Day (April 22, 2021)
- Approximately 5 Windfarms are in NEBC (roughly 9 in the province)

Pipeline Projects

- Coastal GasLink (TC Energy)
 - Work continuing through break up but at a reduced rate
 - Covid impacted
- Saturn Connector (TC Energy)
 - Working on TUS
 - To start late 2021
- (Northriver Midstream)
 - Working on TUS
 - NR hoping to start application process by Q3

BC Hydro Projects

- PRES – will be doing planting this year
 - Completing TUS documentation (held up by COVID)
 - Work on reclamation this year (planting)
- Kelly Lake Connector
 - Upgrade on this line – not a lot of detail yet
- Transmitter replacement
 - Replacement on reserve in June
- Site C
 - Mental health study survey done on April 30th. Anthropological study currently being worked on with interviews later this year.

Coal Projects

- Conuma
 - Hermann, Brule, Hudette
- Teck
 - Quintette - reclamation
- HD Mining
 - Murray River
- Glencore
 - Sukunka
- CTI Plus
 - Rocky Creek

Forestry/ Wildlife Projects

- Forestry
 - Continued discussions with companies and government
 - Large file and will be looking for assistance
- Wildlife

TLE/Partnership Agreement

- TLE
 - Lands will be assisting with this file
- Partnership Agreement
 - Has begun
 - TWG /CRC have been meeting for almost a year

Other

- Studies

- WMFN is hoping to embark on some studies this year (swan/muskrat/trails/licks and porcupine)

- TUS

- TUS's to be worked on/completed Northriver pipeline, Saturn TUS, PRES TUS, Shell TUS

- NWSS

- Maternal pen going w/ 14 animals.

- TSNPN

- Continuing to do great work, with the possibility of expanding

Questions

