

Atlin's Hydro Opportunity

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Dear Community Member,

On behalf of Tlingit Homeland Energy Limited, we are happy to share more information about the Project's overall progress. In our last letter, we discussed the continuation of the geotechnical work for the Atlin Hydro Opportunity. If you missed this update, please check out a copy on our website, <u>www.atlinhydro.ca</u>.

Geotechnical Investigations – Field Work Update

Dent Construction is expected to return in February 2024 for up to 3 weeks to complete the final field work required for the generation footprint geotechnical investigations. This will be more of the same scope previously undertaken and is the completion of work delayed in late 2023 by weather. This work will be undertaken along the penstock and powerhouse areas in accordance with updated permitting from the Province of BC.

Permitting Update

The project continues to advance with primary permitting including water licence, land tenure and authorizations, fisheries authorizations and cutting permits. The THEL team is working closely with numerous regulators including the Province of BC, Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada, Government of Canada, and the Yukon Government to ensure the project follows all rules and regulations required by the Provincial and Territorial Regulators. The project anticipates primary permits will begin to arrive in mid 2024.

Funding Update

The project has undertaken a high-level construction reprice which will be presented to funders and lenders in early 2024 to update the total project funding requirement.



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Taku Tlingit First Nation – Joint Clan Meeting

The Taku Tlingit First Nation held a Joint Clan Meeting on Dec 16, 2023, to discuss the project and continues to work in collaboration with THEL and the TRT's Project Review Group to ensure citizen's questions are addressed and proper procedures are followed in accordance with self governing protocols and traditions.

What's Next

The Atlin Hydro Expansion project is committed to further community engagement opportunities. If you are a community member and have specific questions or would like to see different aspects of the development of the project, please do not hesitate to contact us through our website, our THEL Facebook page, or reach out to our project team listed below.

individual looking to become part of the Atlin Hydro Expansion project, please do not hesitate to contact Darlene McGill with your information at <u>darlene.mcgill@takucorp.ca</u>

Stay Involved

There are several ways to stay involved:

- SUBMIT COMMENTS & QUESTIONS ON OUR WEBSITE. We are answering these and have posted answers to frequently asked questions on our website.
- FOLLOW UPDATES. Stay connected on social media for Project updates by liking and following our Facebook page @Tlingit Homeland Energy Limited.

Thank you for reading! We look forward to any feedback or questions you may have. If you would like to arrange a one-on-one meeting, please do not hesitate to email the contacts below.

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