



WEBEQUIE SUPPLY ROAD PROJECT

Community Newsletter Issue 13 – August 2022

Greetings!

The Webequie Supply Road (WSR) Project Team wish to provide an update on the WSR project, focusing on the remaining virtual information sessions for Consultation Round 1, what Consultation Round 2 will look like, and information on our upcoming open house in Thunder Bay!

Since the Terms of Reference (ToR) was approved on October 8, 2021 the Project has entered the EA / IA phase, which will result in a single report addressing the requirements of both the federal IA and provincial EA.

Throughout the EA / IA phase, the Project Team conducts studies to gather information on a wide range of topics and consults with Indigenous communities, members of the public, and other stakeholders, to evaluate the Project and its potential effects. We are currently concluding our first round of consultation and will be moving into the second round.



Virtual Community Information Sessions

The Project Team will be wrapping up the remaining virtual community information sessions in the next couple weeks. During these one-on-one sessions with Indigenous communities, the Project Team has shared information about the EA/IA activities including consultation and engagement to date, study plans, assessment approach, valued components, Indigenous knowledge, consideration and evaluation of alternatives, and consultation approach and next steps.

If your community has not had their information session yet, stay tuned and watch for your invitation letter! In the invitation letter, we provide a link to the session's registration page and to the VR Open House created specifically for your community. The specific link to your community's WSR website page will be: [supplyroad.ca/\[community name\]](https://supplyroad.ca/[community name])

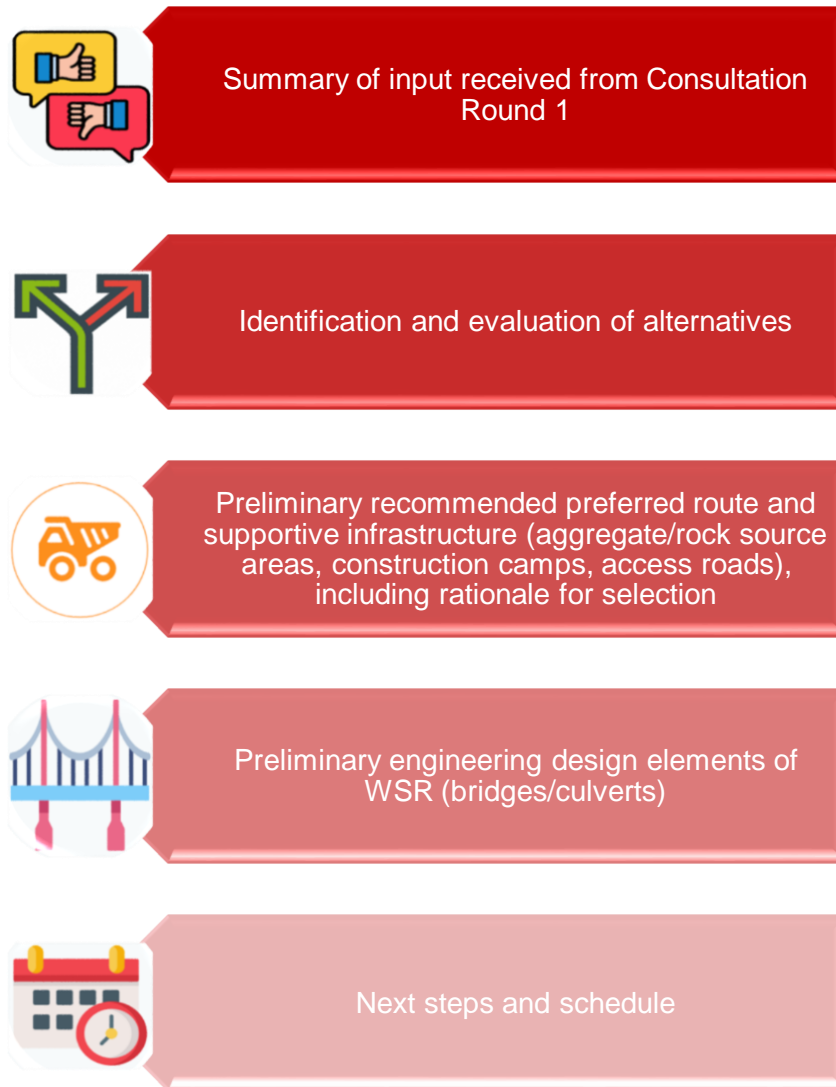
If your community's virtual information session has already occurred, you can visit supplyroad.ca/sessions/ to watch it again at any time. We encourage community members to watch their information session and ask the Project Team questions!



We are also available for additional engagement sessions with communities and would be happy to meet with communities virtually or in-person following COVID protocols.

Consultation Round 2

The Project Team will be completing Consultation Round 1 in the next few weeks and will be moving into Round 2, which will focus on the following topics:



WSR Open House

The WSR Project Team will be hosting an Open House for all community members at the Valhalla Inn in Thunder Bay on Thursday, August 25, 2022.

There will be two open house sessions: the first will take place from 2pm-5pm, with a presentation starting at 2pm and the second will take place from 6pm-9pm with a presentation starting at 6pm.

We welcome all community members to join the discussion, share feedback, and ask questions!



We continue to offer opportunities to comment and give input through email, comment box on the website, Wawatay radio call-in shows, and during our live streaming events!

Stay Tuned!

Stay tuned for our next Project update. For additional information on the project, please visit our project website at: www.supplyroad.ca or by contacting:

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