

Henvey Inlet First Nation - Notice of Intent

To Establish a Wind Farm on the North Side of Henvey Inlet #2

To Obtain a Permit Under Section 28(2) of the Indian Act

Chief and Council normally enter into Permits with individuals or companies for the purpose of forest management, gravel and pit operations, to set up a public utility, to allow the passage of transmission lines or to erect towers on any Reserve property.

The Reserve lands surrounding the activity approved under the Permit remain available for general Band use.

Under a 28(2) Permit, Chief and Council must be confident that the Community is largely in favour of a project, or at least, not against it.

In the case of the Wind Farm Project, the Band will not proceed unless a very large majority of the Membership who express their opinion must be in support of the Project before it goes ahead.

A full information package will be sent to each household on-Reserve, mailed to all off-Reserve Members and posted to our web site. (www.hifn.ca)

Seeking support from the Membership is just one step in a process involving numerous studies, assessments and extensive negotiations that could take 5-7 years to complete before we actually see wind turbines on the horizon.

We Need to Hear Your Opinion - Your opinion will be kept confidential. The number of people supporting or opposing the project will be counted and verified.

How to Make Your Opinion Known

1) You can personally express your opinion ("I support it" or "I oppose it"), to any of the following three (3) individuals:

Chief Wayne McQuabbie
(wayne.mcquabbie@henveyinlet.com)

Raymond Kagagins, Economic Development Officer
(raymond.kagagins@henveyinlet.com)

Ken Noble, Special Projects
(kennoble@vianet.com)

2) You can send your opinion to any of the above via email.

3) You can phone any of the above noted individuals.

Phone: (705)857-2331

4) You can fax or send your opinion in writing via regular mail to Chief Wayne McQuabbie.

Fax: (705)857-3021

Mail: Chief Wayne McQuabbie
Henvey Inlet First Nation,
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Pickerel, Ontario
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**Opinion Collection Period:
Now to January 30, 2009**