



NUNAVUT TUNNGAVIK INC. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Rankin Inlet, Nunavut

October 22-24, 2019

Resolution #: RSA-19-10-10

Port and Harbour Facilities

Moved by: PJ Akeeagok

Seconded by: Stanley Anablak

WHEREAS almost all communities in Nunavut are coastal and there are very few port small craft harbour facilities across the territory;

WHEREAS having adequate docking and other marine infrastructure would greatly facilitate the development of commercial fisheries, increase Nunavut communities' connectivity to national marine corridors, contribute to the development of tourism and economic development in general;

WHEREAS increasing marine craft harbours in Nunavut would allow Inuit to have easier access to harvesting, reduce food insecurity and mitigate the risk of damage to hunting and marine equipment, reduce insurance cost while improving public health and public safety;

WHEREAS the community of Qikiqtarjuaq has completed a feasibility study for a port including architectural designs with the assistance of Qikiqtaaluk Corporation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Members support the efforts towards the establishment of the deep sea port project in Qikiqtarjuaq;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Members call on the Government of Canada and the Government of Nunavut to support the Qikiqtarjuaq project and take immediate action to make the project a reality;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Members call on the Government of Canada and the Government of Nunavut to build appropriate port and harbour facilities in all Nunavut communities.

In Favour: All
Against:
Abstention: 1

Carried: X
Defeated:

Dated: October 24, 2019