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Sent electronically: sehaloak@nunavut.ca

Re: WWF Comments on Draft Nunavut Land Use Plan

Dear Ms Ehaloak,

WWF is pleased to provide the attached comments on the draft Nunavut Land Use Plan. We have provided both formal and informal input to the Nunavut Planning Commission on several occasions over the past several years, in support of the overall objectives of the Commission. With this submission, we provide maps delineating proposed conservation zones, and recommendations on the measures that will help to conserve the attributes that make these zones particularly significant.

We anticipate that we will have some supplementary technical information (such as ArcGIS shapefiles for maps) to submit at a later date, along with a translation into Inuktitut of the introduction to our submission.

We continue to take a keen interest in supporting the NPC and its objective of developing a comprehensive and effective Land Use Plan for Nunavut. We'd be pleased to meet with staff or Commissioners to elaborate on the information provided in this submission, and look forward to participating in further discussions and consultations. If you have any questions please contact Vicki Sahanatien at vsahanatien@wwfcanada.org or 867-979-7298.

Sincerely,

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Cc: Adrian Boyd, Director, Policy, Nunavut Planning Commission