

Hudson Bay Working Group Meeting

Sept 24-26, 2002

Churchill, Manitoba

Reception to celebrate the launch of Canada's Oceans Strategy

hosted by Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Tuesday, September 24

7:00 - 9:00 pm

CHURCHILL TOWN CENTRE (PIONEER'S GALLERY)

Community of Churchill and Working Group Members are invited

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Draft Agenda

Wednesday, September 25

CHURCHILL NORTHERN STUDIES CENTRE

9:00 – 10:30

1. Welcome – Chair
2. Opening Prayer – Flora Beardy
3. Review Agenda - Chair
4. Members' Comments
5. Review minutes, action items from March 6-8 meeting - Chair
6. Coffee Break (10:30 – 11:00)
7. Canada's Oceans Strategy – What does it mean for Hudson Bay? (11:00 – 12:00)
 - Oceans Programs Manager, Dan Topolniski
 - Canada's Oceans Ambassador, Geoff Holland
 - Discussion
7. Lunch at CNSC (12:00 – 1:15 pm)
8. Protecting Hudson Bay: Can Canada's Oceans Strategy help? (1:15 – 1:45)
 - Marine Environmental Quality Coordinator, Don Cobb
9. Contaminants in Hudson Bay (1:45 – 2:15)
 - Research Scientist, Gary Stern
10. Drafting an IM Plan for Hudson Bay: Guidance to Committees
 - Helen Fast (2:15 – 2:30)
11. Coffee Break 2:30 – 3:00
12. Committee Meetings (3:00 – 4:00)
 - Economic Development Committee
 - Communications
 - Transportation
 - Wildlife and Environment

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Barbeque and Tundra Buggy Tour

hosted by Parks Canada and Fisheries and Oceans Canada

5:00 - 8:00 pm

Community Guests and Working Group Members are invited

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Thursday September 26

13. Committee Meetings (9:00 – 10:30 – incl. coffee break)

- Jurisprudence
- Research
- Finance
- Other committees complete work if needed

14. Committee updates to Working Group (10:30 – 12:00)

- a) Communications
- b) Jurisprudence
- c) Traditional Knowledge
- d) Transportation
- e) Wildlife and Environmental
- f) Economic Development
- g) Research Committee
- h) Finance

12:00 – 12:30

15. Review Working Group direction and number of formal WG meetings - Chair

16. Closing Prayer - Flora Beardy

17. Adjourn

12:30 – 1:45 lunch at CNSC

Field Trips

18. Port of Churchill Tour (2:00 – 3:00)

19. Churchill Weir and Parks Canada Train Station Tour (3:00 – 4:00)