

TOWN OF HAY RIVER COMMUNITY MEASURES COMMITTEE MEETING May 8th, 2022 @ 8:00pm

Introduction (Glenn)

• Roll Call of all members in attendance – Attendee List attached

Break up Update – Director of Protective Services (Travis)

- Things have escalated quickly, including 2 rescues
- Difficult attempts in critical circumstances

SAO Smith

- Snow to continue
- Big jams to arrive next few hours
- Alert for Riverfront properties issued
- Evacuation Order sends them to the community centre to registrar
- If required, looking at outside communities

Mary Blake Moore

- NWT EMO has been contacted
- Determine what transportation options are available due to weather
- Other accommodations could in HR could be the schools

Michelle

- Alert is ready to go out on cell phones
- DM of Infrastructure talking about transportation. Airports in Yellowknife are open, roads covered in snow and ice. HR airport can close at anytime

Director of Recreation (Stephane) Registration Centre

- Registration Centre is open with cots and blankets and will be ready throughout the night
- 15 households from Paradise Gardens have registered already

CIIr Brian Willows

- Whispering Willows and Riverview Lodge who steps in to notify?
- Mary Blake Moore will reach out to housing



- Let the power company know when the power will need to be cut
- Patrols through KFN and Vale Island while safe to do so

Director of Protective Services (Travis Wright)

- Paradise Gardens flooded Came very quickly
- Very high risk to Riverfront properties
- Get communications out regarding of what's expected to come
- NWTEMO is working with MACA

GNWT Infrastructure (Allen Schaefer)

- Airport is fully functional currently
- Gravel Strip can be used
- Will keep administration up to date

Mayor Kandis Jameson

• If needed to evacuate the Seniors, Help will be required from Housing

MACA (Mary Blake Moore)

- Are the schools and recreation centre in a safe zone?
- They will be first option if no transportation is available

Adjourned at 8:45pm