PROPOSAL REVIEW

Project Number: 246-15-01 **Applicant:** Johnny Nivingalok

Title: Harvesting Data Collection

Funding Requested: Single year funding \$15, 421.82

Rank: 2 / 2 Scoring Breakdown: NWMB Priority: 2.50 / 17.50

Total Score 63.5 /100 Regional Priority: 8.50/ 7.50 (no deductions) Quality: 28.00 / 35.00

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Project Summary:

The primary objective of this project is to record the number and location of animals being harvested by Kugluktuk hunters.

Project Contributions:

Requested from NWMB	\$15,421.82	80%
Other Contributions	<u>\$3,855.46</u>	20%
Total	\$19277.28	100%

NWMB Staff Evaluation:

<u>NWMB Priority</u>: #6 - Contributes to the development of plans for the management, classification, protection, restocking or propagation, cultivation or husbandry of particular wildlife (S 5.2.34 (i))

Regional Priority: #4 Kitikmeot- All species: community harvests

Project design:

Two data collectors will be hired to go house to house each month for a 12 month period to collect harvest information which will include the type of animals hunted, how many are being hunted and the locations of the hunt. A graph will be created for each type of animal harvested each month.

Application of results:

Project results will be used to help the community determine which animals are declining and which animals are increasing as well as what is the best month and season to harvest each type of animal. Results will also be used to determine the distances being travelled to harvest wildlife and important hunting locations for the community.

Community involvement / consultation:

The project is supported by the Kugluktuk Hunters and Trappers Organizion. It will employ different community members each month who are on social assistance. Results will be

shared with other Kitikmeot Hunters and Trappers Organizations as well as with the Government of Nunavut-Department of Environment.

Recommendations: NWMB staff have no recommendations

Consultations: Karla Letto, Wildlife Management Biologist

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