

Public Notice of Housing Renovation Project

Tłıchq Government

Project Title: Housing Repairs and Replacement in Tłıchq Communities

Project Locations: Behchoko, Whati, Gameti, and Wekweeti - Tłıchq Communities, Northwest Territories (NWT)

Project Description:

Chiefs Executive Council (CEC) is pleased to announce that the Tłıchq Government (TG) is launching a private home renovation and replacement project as part of its Action Plan to address critical housing needs across the four Tłıchq communities of Behchokò, Whatì, Gamètì, and Wekweètì. This project is vital in improving living conditions for Tłıchq citizens, especially those in homes requiring urgent repairs.

In 2023, a comprehensive technical assessment was conducted on all private houses in the Tłıchq communities. Based on the condition of the housing CEC identified the following categories for renovation and replacement.

- Structural
- Roofing
- Mechanical and electrical
- Sewer and water; and
- Bathroom Repairs

Tłıchq Citizen's private homes with these issues will be addressed urgently due to their immediate needs.

The renovations will focus on:

- Demolishing houses that are beyond repair.
- Building new homes to replace demolished ones.
- Conducting essential repairs such as re-leveling, roofing, upgrading electrical systems, replacing fuel tanks, mold remediation, and addressing plumbing and freeze-up issues in homes that do not require demolition.

CEC has made this project a priority for the Department of Infrastructure, and renovation and construction activities are expected to begin in end of 2024. CEC encourages all citizens to carry out regular preventative maintenance on their homes to reduce damage from our harsh weather conditions.

For further details regarding the housing renovation and replacement project, including specific plans for each community and phases of implementation, please contact the Tłıchq Government's Infrastructure Department. Updates will also be made available on the Tłıchq Government website.

Contact Information:

Department of Infrastructure:

PO Box 92, Whatì, NT X0E 0Y0

Phone: 867-573-3012 ex 1403

Fax: 867-573-3222

Department of Infrastructure: Infrastructure@tlicho.ca

Project Email: housingrepairs@tlicho.ca

Website: <https://tlicho.ca/government/infrastructure>

Date: 22nd October 2024