

# Tłıchǫ All-Season Road. Hwy 3 to Whatı.



## Overview

This newsletter, by the GNWT Department of Transportation and the Tłıchǫ Government, is the first in a series about the proposed Tłıchǫ All-season Road (TASR). It is meant to provide Tłıchǫ community members with information about the project. Each newsletter focuses on different topics and highlights the various processes that will limit environmental and social impacts to the surrounding area from the construction of the road.

## Project Summary

- 94 km long
- 60 m right-of-way
- 2 lane gravel road with 4 bridges
- Speed limit 70 km/h
- Traffic estimated at 20 to 40 vehicles/day
- 4-5 borrow sources with access roads near ROW (TBD)
- Camp (150-person) needed near KM25 and KM50
- 2-4 years construction
- 15 water crossings along route (4 bridges, remaining are culverts)
- Crossings designed to protect fish
- Route avoids cabins and culturally significant areas
- Most of route already well-established and disturbed by fires

## Wek'èezhìi Land and Water Board

Land Use Permit and Water Licence applications were submitted to the WLWB on March 31, 2016. Reviewers have until May 30, 2016 to provide comments about the project and the DOT has until June 20, 2016 to respond. The WLWB will then review all material and decide next steps (e.g. issue permits and licences, hold public hearings, or send project for an EA). <http://lwbors.yk.com/LWB IMS/ReviewComment.aspx?appid=10878>

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