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KIA CONGRATULATES AGNICO EAGLE MINES LTD. ON THE ACQUISITION OF TMAC RESOURCES INC.

RANKIN INLET, NU – January 5, 2021 – The Kivalliq Inuit association would like to congratulate Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd. (AEM) on the acquisition of all common shares of TMAC Resources Inc. to further develop the Hope Bay project in the Kitikmeot Region of Nunavut.

Kivalliq Inuit Association President Kono Tattuinee states that "The Kivalliq Inuit Association is very happy to learn about AEM's acquisition of TMAC Resources Inc. The KIA recognizes AEM as a global leader in the gold mining business and we are excited about what this will mean for all Inuit in Nunavut and especially for our regional counterparts in the Kitikmeot.

The Kivalliq Inuit Association looks forward to opportunities for collaboration with Agnico Eagle Mines LTD. and the Kitikmeot Inuit Association on advancing important issues such as training and development of the Inuit workforce which maximize Inuit participation and benefits.

The Kivalliq Inuit Association *is a "Designated Inuit Organization" (DIO), which represents the interests of all Inuit living in the Kivalliq Region, acts as a lobbying group, administers and monitors certain provisions of the Nunavut Final Agreement in the Kivalliq Region. The KivIA mission is to represent, in a fair and democratic manner, Inuit of the Kivalliq Region in the development, protection, administration and advancement of their rights and benefits as an aboriginal people; as well as to promote their economic, social, political and cultural well-being through succeeding generations.*

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