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Re: Preliminary Design of Three Structures on Highway 11 Municipality of Greenstone and District of Thunder Bay, G.W.P. 6112-17-00 & 6085-17-00

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Ministry of Transportation (MTO) is planning to rehabilitate three structures located on Highway 11 (refer to attached map).

Inspections undertaken by the MTO have determined that these structures must be rehabilitated to preserve the integrity of structures and to maintain public safety. The rehabilitation work will be in the same location as the current structural footprint.

Highway structural improvements like this are carried out on a routine basis and, for purposes of MTO's environmental assessments, are categorized as "minor improvements." Construction activities associated with resurfacing these highways will be confined to the MTO highway right-of-way with little to no impact to fish and wildlife resources. Measures will be incorporated into the design to ensure that there are no adverse impacts to the environment because of the construction.

An engineering consultant has been hired by the Ministry and is currently undertaking design production. Construction is tentatively scheduled to begin in the summer of 2020.

We value your input on this project; please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

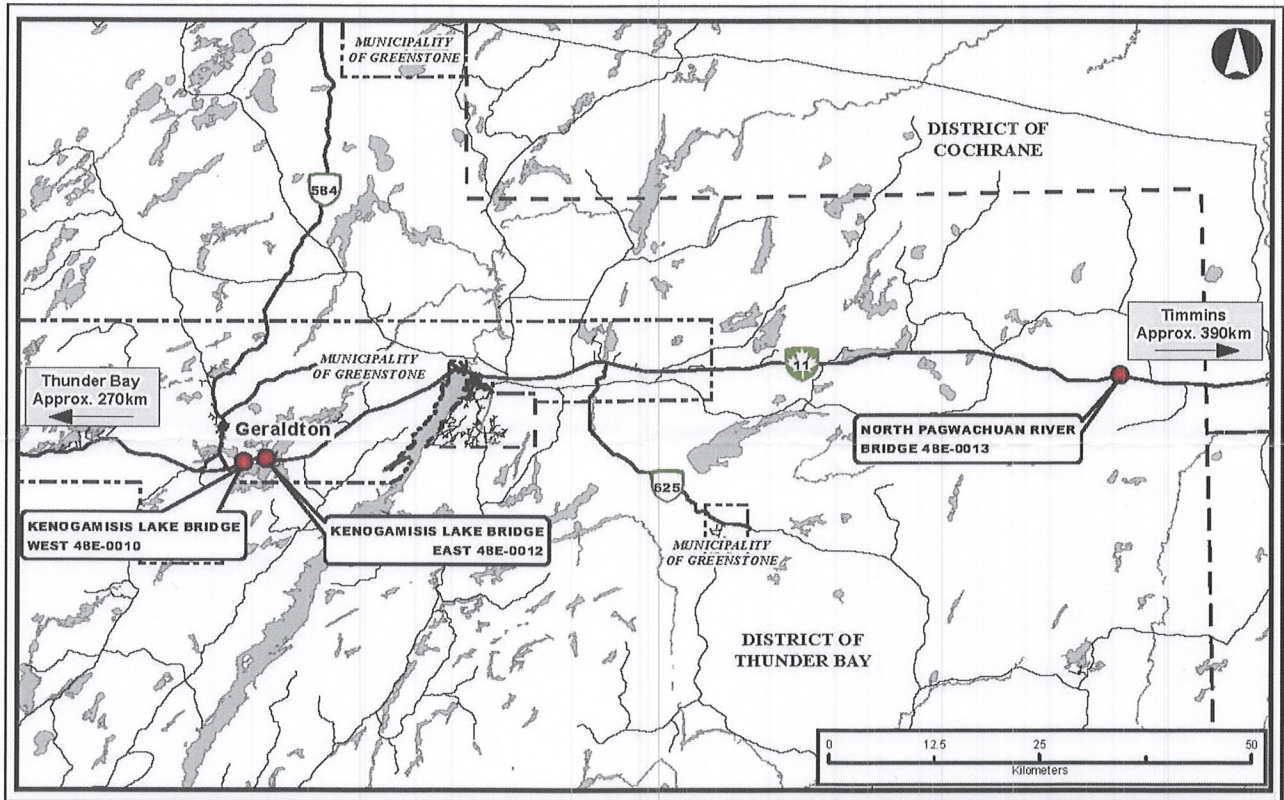
Sincerely,



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Attached: Key Plan



Key Plan – Preliminary Design of Three Structures on Highway 11 Municipality of Greenstone and District of Thunder Bay, G.W.P. 6112-17-00 & 6085-17-00