

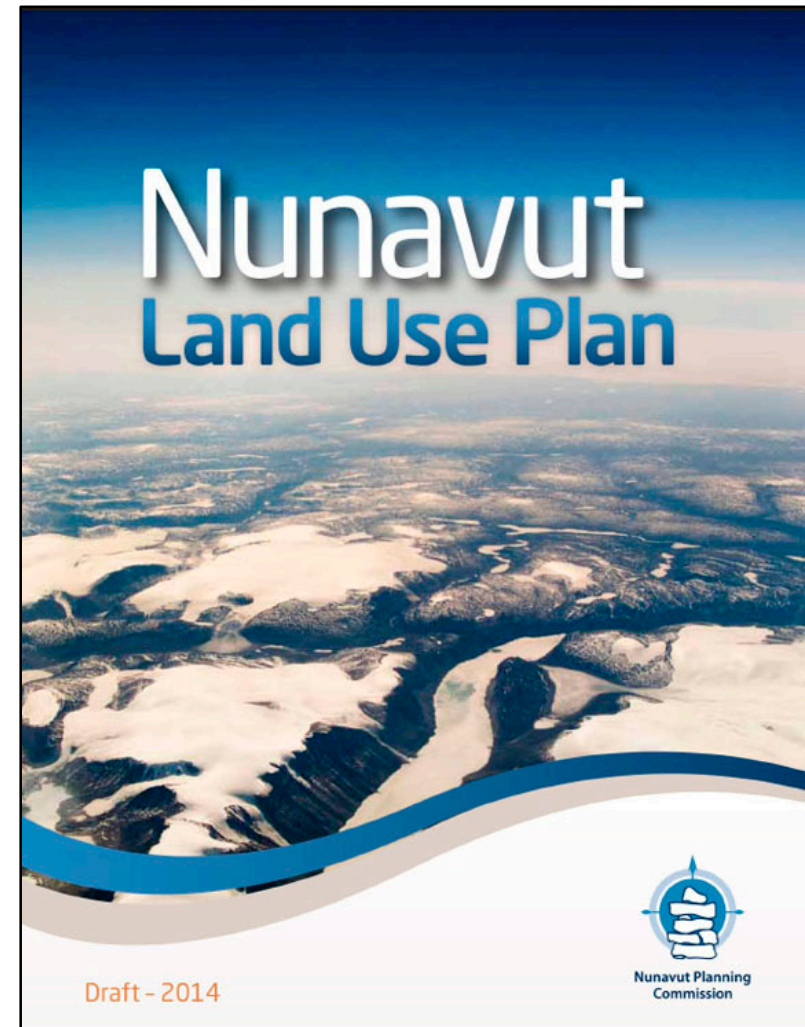


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Land Use Planning in Nunavut and Going Forward

Healthy Relationship with Regulators for Balanced Development

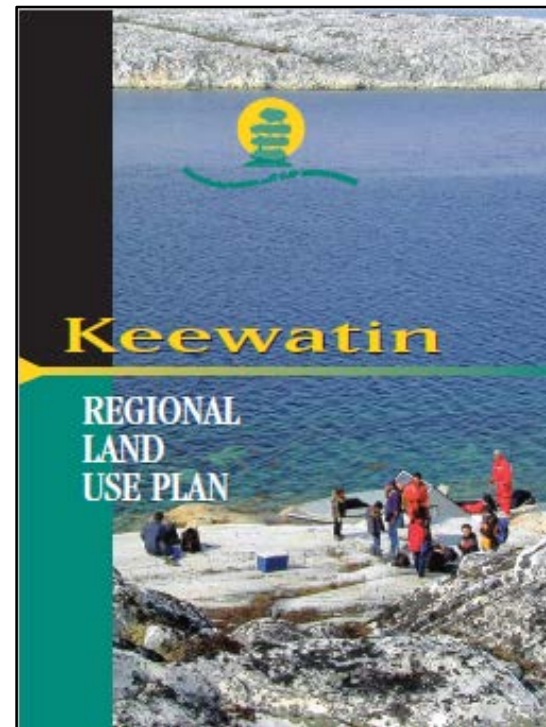
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Regulatory System

- NPC is the gatekeeper of Nunavut's regulatory system
- Proponents must submit a proposal to the NPC to determine conformity
- Two approved land use plans in place:
 - North Baffin Regional Land Use Plan
 - Keewatin Regional Land Use Plan





Regulatory System

- Online application and public registry at nunavut.ca
- NPC has 45 days to complete review of project proposals
 - Does the project proposal conform to the plan?
 - Does it require screening by NIRB?
 - Project proposal will then be forwarded to NIRB or to the regulatory authorities identified

Public Registry - Search

Keywords

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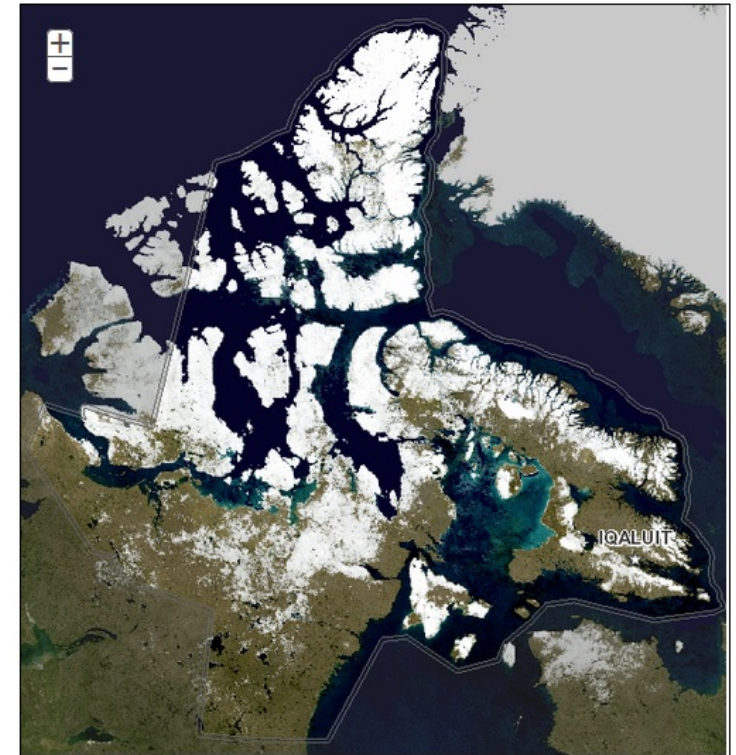
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The Draft Nunavut Land Use Plan

- 2007: Consultations with planning partners resulting in 5 broad goals with policies and objectives to support land use planning
 1. Strengthening partnership and institutions
 2. Protecting and sustaining the environment
 3. Encouraging conservation planning
 4. Building healthier communities
 5. Encouraging sustainable economic development

These goals (and the NLCA) have informed the development of the DNLUP over the past 8 years.





The Draft Nunavut Land Use Plan: 2008-2011

- Use and occupancy mapping
- Identification of important wildlife habitat
- Survey of current economic activity and potential, community infrastructure, and demographic information
- Identification of specific issues and priorities
- Working draft plan



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The Draft Nunavut Land Use Plan: 2012-2014

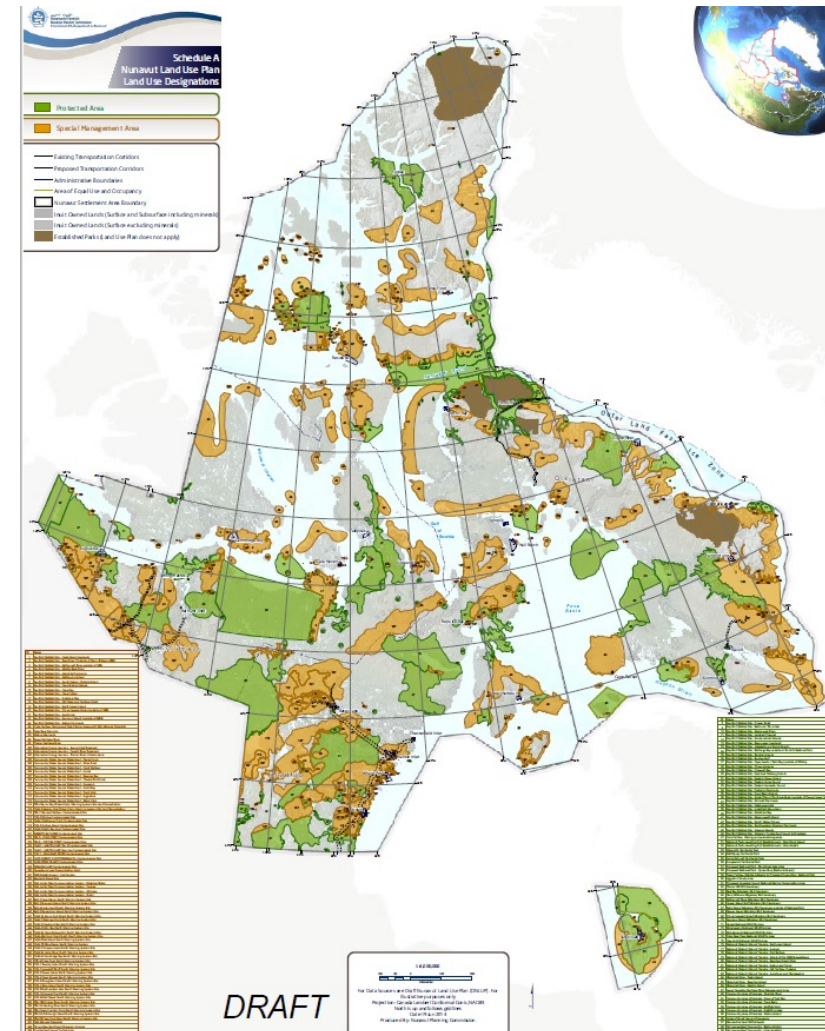
- First draft released September 2012
- National consultation on the DNLUP
 - 30+ communities
 - Nunavut, Nunavik, Northern Saskatchewan, Northern Manitoba
 - Territorial and federal government departments, Inuit organizations, institutions of public government, environmental non-government organizations, industry
 - Visits with elected officials, open houses, community meetings
 - All feedback compiled into reports





Technical Meetings

- 4 technical meetings over the past year
- All of this information is currently being considered and a refined Draft Plan version is being prepared for June 20, 2016





Public Hearing

- Opportunity for everyone to provide feedback and written submissions on the DNLUP in a public setting
- Regional workshops prior to public hearing
 - Explanation of the LUP
 - What the Plan says about the lands and the communities
 - Provides community members information about how to canvas their communities for input prior to the Public Hearing



Pond Inlet

March 7-9	Tech4 Caribou Session, Iqaluit
April 8	Tech4 Marine Session, Iqaluit
May 16	Participants submit written comments on DNLUP
May 30	Participants submit any responses to written comments on DNLUP/ Notification of intent to file expert report (if possible)
June 20	Release of refined DNLUP and Options and Recommendations Document (English only)/ Staff Notify of Need for additional expert reports (if possible)
July 25	NPC posts translated versions DNLUP online
August 15	Participants submit any expert reports to be put before Commissioners in public hearing
August 29-31	In-person Pre-Hearing Conference, Iqaluit
September 12	Participants submit any expert reports responding to Aug 15, 2016 reports
October- November	Regional Community Representative Sessions (North Baffin, South Baffin, Kitikmeot, Kivalliq, Denesuline, & Makivik)
November 28	Final deadline for written submissions on refined DNLUP, written evidence, or other materials to be relied upon in public hearing
January	2 nd Prehearing Conference
March and April	Final Public Hearing