

## **Hearing Format**

The Commissioner's hearing on the pipeline expansion proposal will begin on Friday January 7<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM MST and will conclude (at the latest) at 4:30 PM, MST.

### **Time Allotment**

Time allocations are strict. Groups will be allotted 10 minutes to present their arguments before the Commissioner group with an additional 5 minutes provided afterward for other groups to ask questions. An additional five minutes following question periods are allotted to ensure a smooth transition between presenting groups. Note that all times in the time table below indicate start times.

### **Setting**

The hearing will take place online through the social platform ZOOM. A link will be provided in advance by way of email no later than Thursday at 5:00 pm.

### **Hearing Etiquette**

For the hearing to operate smoothly all individuals will be required to follow a set of social etiquettes, so disturbances do not erupt:

1. As per the course syllabus, dialogue within and between groups must be kept respectful at all times. Dr. Voth will be present to address transgressions of course policy as he sees fit.
2. All participants who are not a part of the presenting group or have not been given the permission to speak must keep their microphone (mic) on mute.
3. All participants are encouraged to turn on their camera while speaking, either during their presentation or when asking questions to foster a collaborative environment.
4. Procedure must be followed in order to ask for clarification, ask questions, or raise concerns:
  - a. If you would like to ask a question during a question period, please use Zoom's 'raise hand' function. Commissioners will review how to find this in the opening remarks.
  - b. Commissioners will call on an individual with a raised hand to turn on their mic and ask their question. Individuals will be called on a first-come first-serve basis.
  - c. Groups are encouraged to ask only one question at a time to give others an opportunity to participate. If there are no other questions and time permitting, we will offer the opportunity to ask additional questions.
5. The chat box will not be available throughout the hearing to avoid disruptions. If you have any questions for stakeholder groups, please reserve them for noted questions periods. If you have any questions for the Commissioners, please email Courtney ([courtney.leblanc@ucalgary.ca](mailto:courtney.leblanc@ucalgary.ca)), this inbox will be actively monitored throughout the hearing.

## **Schedule**

### **9:00 AM - Commissioner opening remarks**

9:15 AM - Trekerky

9:35 AM - Sunchild First Nation

### **5-minute bio break**

10:00 AM - United Conservative Party, Government of Alberta

10:20 AM - Alexander First Nation

10:40 AM - Métis Nation British Columbia

### **5-minute bio break**

11:05 AM - Alexis Sioux Nation

11:25 AM - New Democrat Party, Government of British Columbia

11:45 AM - Coldwater Indian Band

### **1-hour lunch break; resume at 1:00 PM**

1:00 PM - Erminesken Cree Nation

1:20 PM - Musqueam First Nation

1:40 PM - City of Vancouver

### **5-minute bio break**

2:05 PM - Squamish Nation

2:25 PM - Gunn Lake Métis Local

2:45 PM - Tsleil-Waututh Nation

### **10-minute bio break**

3:10 PM - 15-minute open question period

3:25 PM - Trekerky closing considerations

3:30 PM - Statement of final positions from all attending parties

### **3:45 PM - Commissioner closing remarks**

### **3:50 PM - Dr. Voth's POLI345 closing remarks**