



November 01, 2019

Re: Awasis Solar Community Notification Letter

Dear Community Stakeholder,

Cowessess First Nation is pleased to be partnering with Elemental Energy Inc. (Elemental) to develop, construct, own and operate a 10 MWac Solar project to be located on reserve status land owned by Cowessess in the RM of Edenwold, approximately 3km South East of Regina. The project will co-locate with the existing Cowessess Wind, Solar and Battery Energy Storage Facility. More information on the Project can be found on Elemental's website: <http://elementalenergy.ca/awasis-solar/>.

Elemental is a Canadian owned renewable energy development company with an operating portfolio of wind, solar and hydro projects located across Canada. Elemental owns and operates the 15MW Brooks Solar facility – Western Canada's first utility scale solar project – and are currently constructing the 22MW Innisfail Solar facility.

Over this past summer, efforts on project development have advanced with the completion of environmental assessments, geotechnical studies, legal agreements and our project submission to SaskPower. As part of the development process, we as partners are committed to community engagement and consultation ahead of this project's development. As such, please accept this letter and the enclosed Project Information Newsletter to (1) notify and provide you with information about the Project, and (2) invite you to be involved in the Project's public consultation process. The following pertinent information is included in the Project Information Newsletter:

- A map of the Project site and surrounding areas;
- The Project's expected development and construction timeline;
- Details on the community benefits and potential impacts; and
- An invitation to attend one of two public open house events:
 - Wednesday Nov 13th at the Cowessess Community Education Centre (GYM) from 5:00 to 8:00pm.
 - Thursday, Nov 14th at the White City Community Center from 4:00 to 8:00 pm.

We are extremely excited about the Awasis Solar project, and we welcome your feedback at any time. If you would like to meet or talk prior to the open house event, please let us know.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely,

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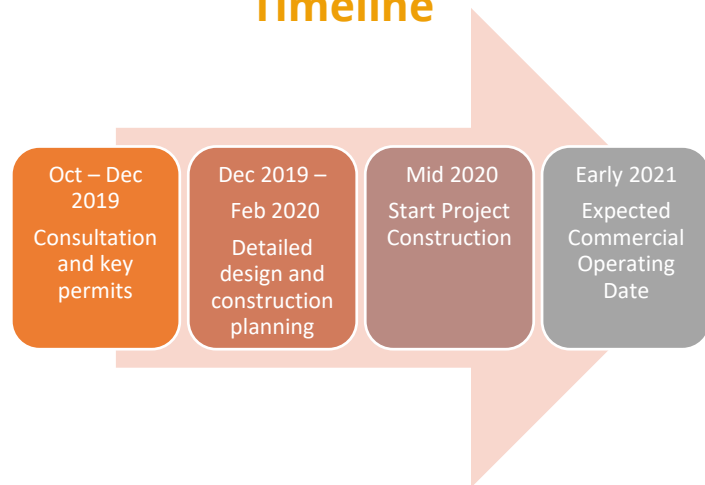
AWASIS SOLAR PROJECT NEWSLETTER

Picture: Elemental Energy's Brooks Solar Project Project

Project Description

- Cowessess First Nation and Elemental Energy have partnered to form Awasis Solar LP
- Awasis Solar LP will develop, construct, and own the 10MWac Awasis Solar project
- Land is owned by Cowessess First Nation
- Awasis Solar connects to SaskPower's distribution system, providing clean energy to local businesses, residences, and farming operations

Timeline



Public Open House

We are pleased to invite you to meet our team, learn more about the Project, and provide your feedback at our Public Open Houses.

Supper provided!

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13th

5:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Cowessess Community Education Centre, Cowessess, SK

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14th

4:00 pm to 8:00 pm

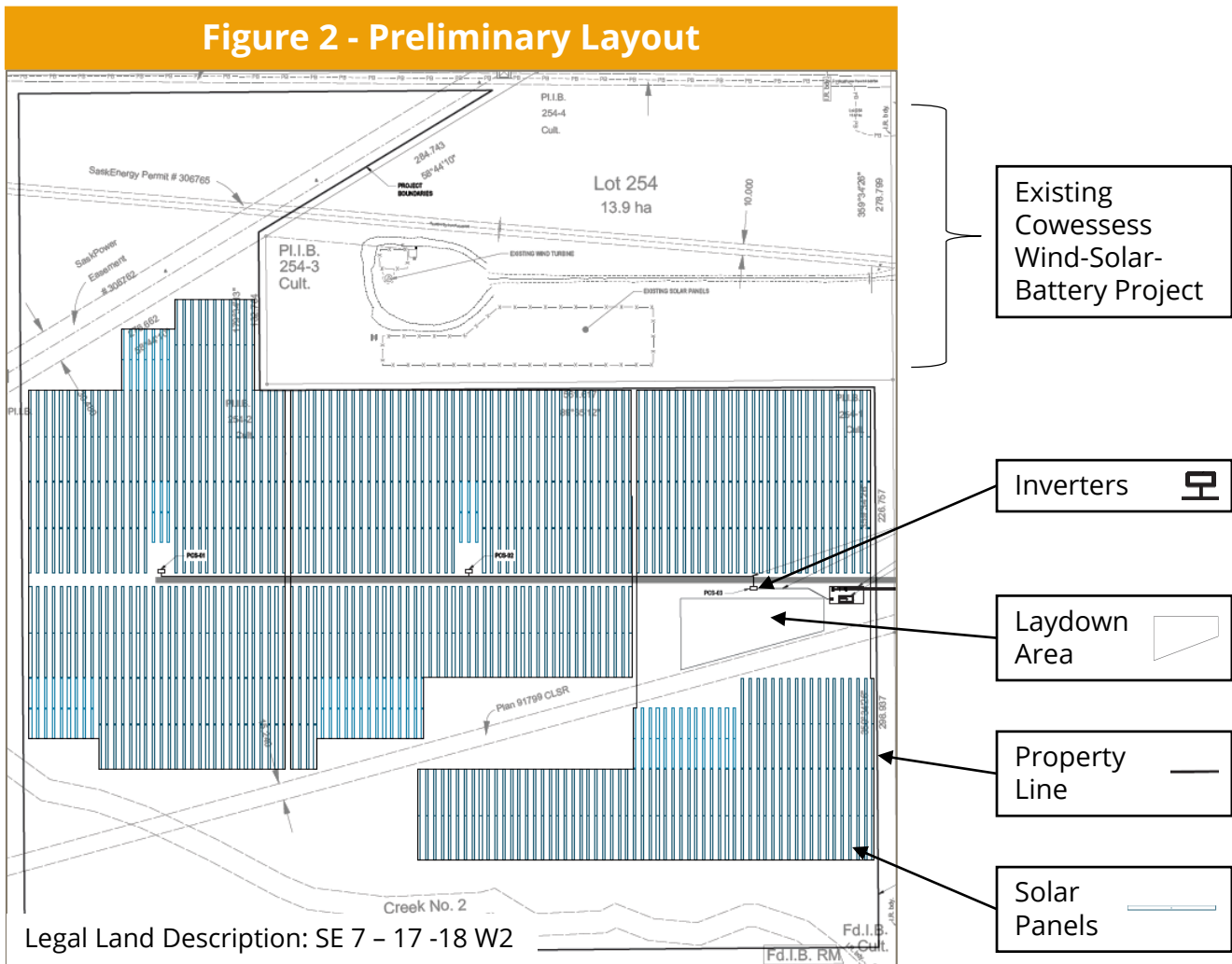
White City Community Center
12 Ramm Ave, White City, SK S4L 5B1

Project Location





Figure 2 - Preliminary Layout



Legal Land Description: SE 7 - 17 -18 W2

Project Lands	125 acres	Racking	Single-Axis Tracking
Capacity	10 MWac	# Panels	32,000 - 36,000
Inverters	3 x 4MW units	Panel Capacity	420 W





Community Impacts

- **Environment:** In accordance with Federal Environmental guidelines, a third-party environmental study was completed in Sept 2019 which concluded that the project presents low risk to wildlife and the environment.
- **Construction:** Construction will last between 8 to 10 months and will occur entirely on Cowessess' land (SE 7 - 17-18 W2). During this time, there will be increased construction traffic. Access routes for the Project will be through existing roads.

Contact Us

Awasis Solar LP is committed to having a positive social impact as a result of this project. We strive to be a good neighbour, working closely with the community to identify areas of opportunity and concern. Feedback is important to us. Please contact us if you would like to learn more about this project or would like to share information with us.

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Community Benefits

- **Employment:** Projected to create up to 100 jobs during construction. Positions required include:
 - Solar PV Installers
 - Electricians
 - Heavy Equipment Operators
 - General Labor
- **Economic Boost:** Construction and operations rely on local supply chain and services. Construction of Elemental's Brooks Solar project contributed \$4.5M of direct economic activity within County of Newell and \$7.0M within Alberta. Awasis Solar will also result in significant local benefits for Regina and Saskatchewan.

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