

**NWT ESRF Management Board**  
**September 25-26, 2019 Meeting**  
**Record of Decisions**

Participants:

**Management Board**

Menzie McEachern – GNWT ITI  
Andrew Applejohn – GNWT ENR  
Ken Hansen – Industry  
Scott Gedak – Industry  
Ray Case – Public

**Secretariat**

Ian Butters  
Bruce Hanna

1.	Research Priorities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Recommendation to Minister of ITI that remediation be added as a research priority.</li></ul>
2.	Budget	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2020/2021 budget of 375K (100K administration, 275K research) is approved.</li></ul>
4.	Project proposal review	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Facilitation of biodiversity monitoring by northern communities using ARUs: Erin Bayne, University of Alberta - Funding Request of 10K approved.</li><li>• Sahtu Oil and Gas Boom-Bust Cycle: Vishni Peeris, NWT Bureau of Statistics – Funding request rejected based on insufficient detail.</li><li>• Methane Emissions Across the Inuvik to Tuktoyaktuk Region: Phil Marsh, Wilfrid Laurier and Oliver Sonnentag, University of Montreal – Year 1 funding request of 25K approved. Possible funding for future years based on Year 1 results.</li></ul>
7.	Outreach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• NWT ESRF will continue efforts to collaborate with federal counterpart.</li></ul>
8.	Next Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To be determined.</li></ul>