



SUMMARY OF THE TECHNICAL COMMITTEE MEETING ON THE DEWATERING OF THE COPPER PIT

May 20, 2025, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

During this ninth meeting, it was indicated that the Copper Pit water treatment project, the modelling of the York River and the continuous analysis project in collaboration with the Institut nationale de la recherche scientifique (INRS) will mobilize a large number of research personnel in the coming months.

The study area for biological inventories was defined according to the mine site, ponds and tailings ponds. These inventories are required for the environmental and social impact assessment and started in the first week of June as planned.

Drilling activities (resource definition and exploration) are ongoing. There are eight drills on the site that have been operating 24/7 since the end of May.

This meeting ended with a visit to the mine site by the members of the technical dewatering committee. The main places of interest such as the Copper pit, the dikes and watercourses that surround the site have raised awareness of the size of the territory as well as the important issues that are being taken care of by the dewatering technical committee.



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