

The following is a summary of official Minutes of the Conrad Steering Committee taken July 8, 2015.

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- Dawson City and Forty Mile site visit update: Steering Committee saw the example of a co-owned, co-managed Historic Site and met with the Heritage staff of Tr'ondëk Hwëch'in. Next trip will be to Ft. Selkirk Historic Site in August. Invitation to Lawrence Ignace to participate in Ft. Selkirk trip.
- Brian Johnston, Parks Branch, Environment gave an update on the progress of the construction of the Conrad Campground and will continue to update the Conrad Steering Committee.
 - There has been construction at campground in the last 3-4 weeks. There is crushed gravel to campground turnoff only – none going into the heritage site. Campground outhouses and cook shed will be installed in the fall.
 - Will be providing a new access road off the highway. 50m up the highway, 140m to connect to the access road. This was not in the original plans.
 - Gate to campground will be up shortly.
 - Access will remain open to the heritage site.
 - There will be a turning sign for campground “camping area”. Could put a sign “unmaintained road” to heritage site. Will be doing signage for whole campground and would like to do it jointly with Historic Sites.
- Conrad Research Project lead by Colleen James completed in March 2015
- Archaeology survey of Heritage Resources Inventory awarded to Stantec, Ty Heffner will start site work in August, and has made contact with CTFN regarding hiring CTFN field assistants. There are three components to this archaeological project:
 1. Pre Contact: looking for evidence of past human use, such as stone tools. Will survey every 20m, unless there is something of significance, then will sample every 5m.
 2. Post Contact: documenting historic features and structures.
 3. Underwater component: Diving team and remote controlled devices will document historical material in the water.