# WOODFIBRE LNG & FORTIS BC EAGLE MOUNTAIN GAS PIPELINE

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## **WOODFIBRE LNG & PROPOSED FLOATEL #2**

Woodfibre LNG has submitted an application for a second Floatel within the Certified Project Area (CPA)

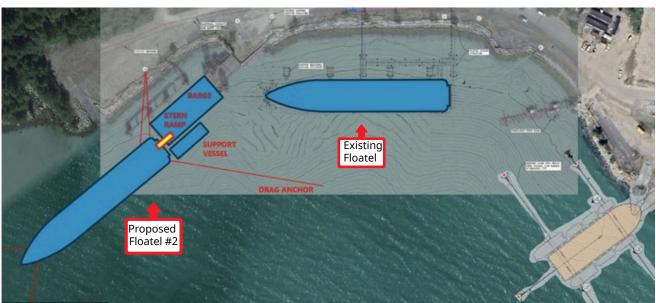
Woodfibre LNG first proposed mooring a cruise ship, known as a Floatel, to house workers in 2019. This ship was proposed to house up to 652 workers as a way of minimizing interaction with the Squamish community and avoiding impacts to local services and housing.

By December 2023, the Floatel proposal was approved by the Impact Assessment Agency of Canada, BC Environmental Assessment Office (EAO) and Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw. As part of a memorandum of understanding, Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw also worked with closely with the EAO to ensure conditions of approval were adequately addressed, and as a regulatory body, issued its own amendment conditions under the Squamish Nation Environmental Assessment Agreement.

Originally, WoodfibreLNG planned to complete certain construction phases one after the other, but to catch up, they now want to carry out some of this work simultaneously.

To do so, they would need to significantly increase its workforce. As a result, Woodfibre LNG has applied to add a second Floatel to house up to 630 additional workers for approximately 18 months. Non-local workers would be ferried from Vancouver directly to the floatel.

At this stage, the application has been submitted to the Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw, the District of Squamish, EAO, and the Federal Impact Assessment Agency. Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw will conduct a thorough review of this application with consideration for all potential concerns, including environmental impacts to Howe Sound (e.g., herring and effects from shading) and social impacts.



PROPOSED LOCATION OF FLOATEL #2

#### PROPOSED FLOATEL #2 CONT'D

#### Some conditions of approval for the first floatel that will also be required for Floatel 2 if approved:

- Out of town workers living at the Floatel are not allowed to travel to and from Town of Squamish during off-shift hours
- Several policies, training commitments, and reporting obligations must be completed to focus on safety and security, including Gender and Cultural Safety Plans and Committees
- All Floatel waste (garbage, sewage, etc) must be barged to existing treatment facilities, no discharge will be authorized from the Floatel to Átl'ka7tsem
- Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw cultural training for Floatel residents, and ongoing Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw involvement in workplace culture
- We will give a respectful welcome to guests in our territory and expect also the guests to behave respectfully

# PIPE RACKS ARRIVE AT SWIÝÁT

Seven pipe rack modules—each measuring approximately 30–50 metres long, 5–10 metres wide, and 6–12 metres high—are scheduled to arrive at the Woodfibre LNG site at the end of May. These modules are large steel structures designed to support the pipes, cables, and control systems essential to the operation of a liquefied natural gas (LNG) facility. Fabricated overseas at a specialized yard, the modules are being transported to the site by ship.

Upon arrival, they will be offloaded at the Marine Offloading Facility, a purpose-built dock and ramp designed for receiving large-scale deliveries such as these.

The modules will then be transported into place on site using Self-Propelled Modular Transporters (SPMTs)—motorized vehicles equipped with hydraulic lift systems—and lifted into final position using large cranes. Throughout this process, Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw Indigenous Monitors will be present to oversee adherence to SNEAA and Management Plan commitments.



PIPERACK MODULES ON SHIPPING VESSEL

### WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Have you been impacted as a result of the current construction activities that are taking place?

Please report to:

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Woodfibre LNG: info@wlng.ca or 1-888-801-7929

FortisBC EGP:

egp@fortisbc.com or 1-855-380-5784

EGP Community Conduct Line (specific to conduct in Squamish):

EGPWCC@rubinthomlinson.com or 1-855-514-6644