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C/TFN

Project:

C/TFN Learning Center

Subject:

October Update

NEWSLETTER

The Carcross/Tagish First Nation Learning Center is proceeding along as the building structure has now begun being erected. The delay in column supply has not held us back and the cooperating weather has made the problem more manageable.

Completed Items

- Both the sewage holding and fire suppression tanks are placed and backfilled.
- Backfill is progressing to a workable level and will be finished in the New Year.
- · Floor joist package has been completed.
- Building structure consisting of glulam's, columns and purlins in the process of being erected.
- · Ketza framed walls on the ground while waiting for columns to arrive.
- Generator set to arrive this week.

Upcoming Items

- Continue to finish building 'B' structure and awaiting delivery of building 'A' columns.
- L & M on site staining material and clear coating.
- As the structure goes up the roofing sub-contractor will be working closely behind Ketza to seal buildings.

Highlights

Crew and structure being erected. Backfill on east side of building. Totem Pole Progress.











C/TFN Learning Centre- Employment Update

As work continues on at the Learning Centre the citizens of C/TFN continue to leave a strong impression on the site. At its peak construction so far C/TFN citizens have held 8 of the 13 site positions. Currently there are 7 C/TFN members employed as material for the structure of the building begin to arrive to site and erection commences. Ketza will be hiring 3 more C/TFN citizens in the next week to add to our crew.





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Ketza has also used C/TFN citizens for janitorial services and garbage removal on site.

L & M painting has hired a local individual labourer to help with the staining and clear coating of purlins and columns.

Current employees with C/TFN ties are: Richard Atlin, Alvin James, Vince Kemble, Angela Low, Slade Johnson, Cory Thompson and by affiliation Gordon Longman.

C/TFN members are now gaining value experience in the erection of timber columns, d-fir glutam's and purlins. C/TFN employees are often paired with a more experienced carpenter to allow for skill development and more focused learning.

Each member of C/TFN continues to do an outstanding job and the dynamic on site is galvanizing with each day.