

Workshop Objectives

- Identify **key** management/research **needs and questions**
- Exchange information on **ongoing and planned research and monitoring**
- Solicit feedback on the **POLAR Integrated Research and Monitoring Plan** and planned **ABOVE** activities
- Identify **best practices for engaging** and including **communities and Indigenous Knowledge holders** in research/monitoring activities
- Explore **collaboration opportunities** in the context of ongoing monitoring and research and management/research questions



What Does Success Look Like?

- ◆ For the Slave Geological Province and adjacent areas in the NWT and Nunavut:
 - ◆ Key priority research and monitoring needs and gaps identified
 - ◆ Existing and planned research and monitoring identified
- ◆ ‘Actionable’ priority collaborations and partnerships identified that:
 - ◆ take advantage of POLAR and NASA’s research and monitoring plans
 - ◆ Address priority needs and knowledge gaps
 - ◆ Build upon existing capacity in the region

Workshop Schedule

◆ Day 1:

- ◆ Introduce POLAR and NASA's research and monitoring plans for the region and seek feedback
- ◆ Present research, monitoring and management needs and activities from a broad range of perspectives

◆ Day 2

- ◆ Discussion Map Stations and Breakouts
- ◆ Identify collaboration opportunities that leverage and add-value to POLAR and NASA's plans

◆ Day 3 Morning:

- ◆ Learn about the NASA ABoVE Science Cloud and Airborne Campaign
- ◆ Identify key next steps for pursuing strategic partnerships