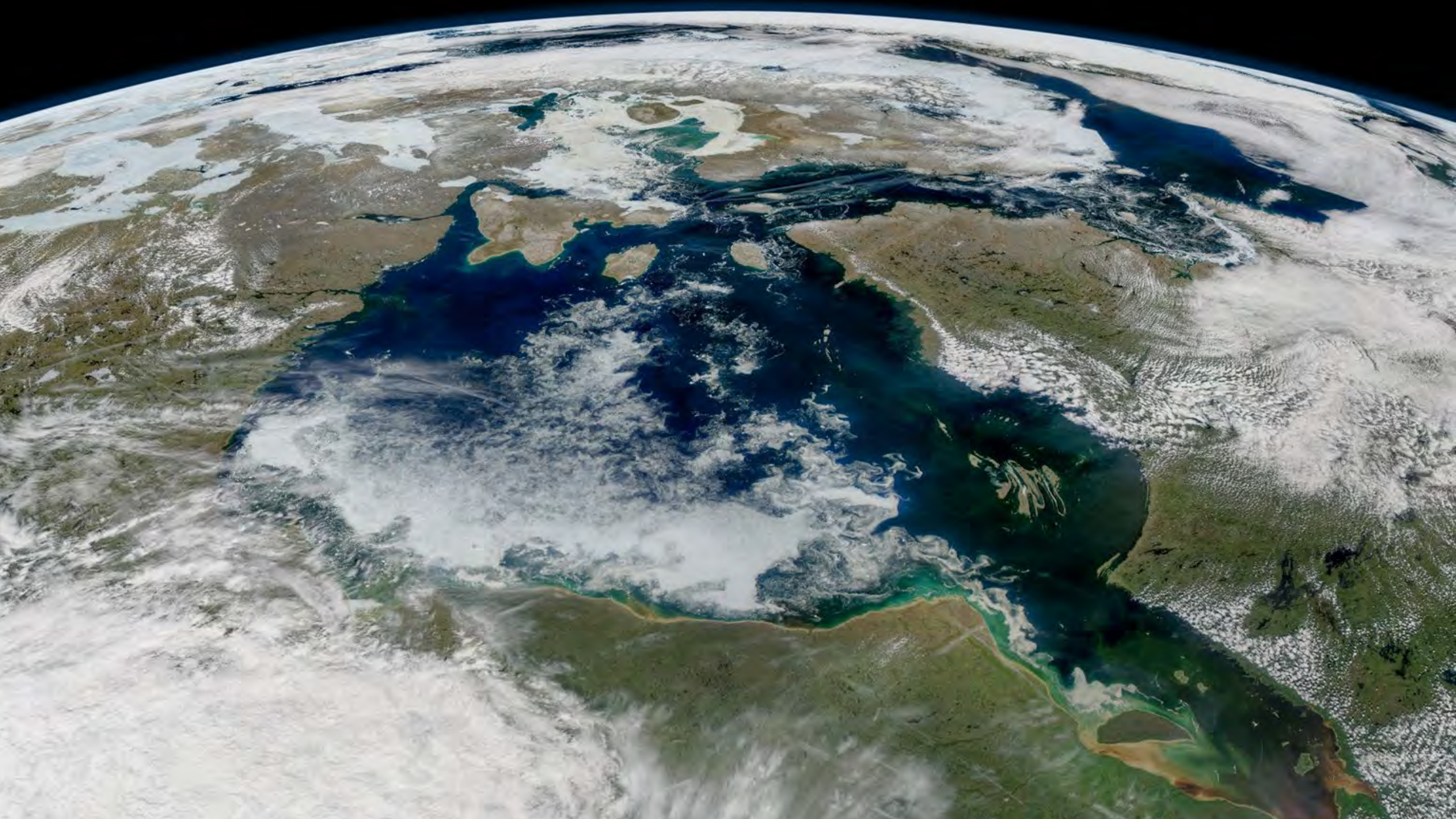




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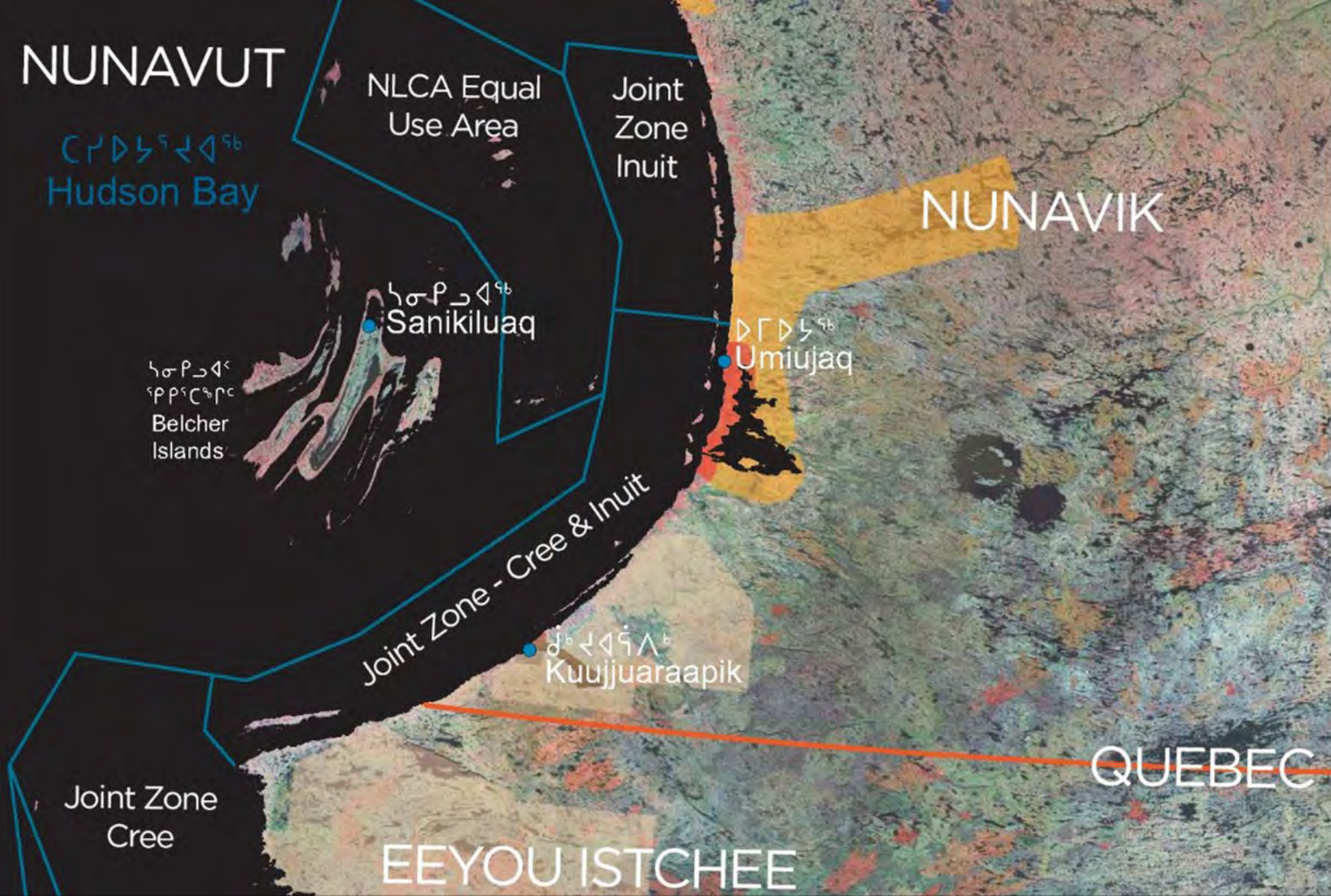
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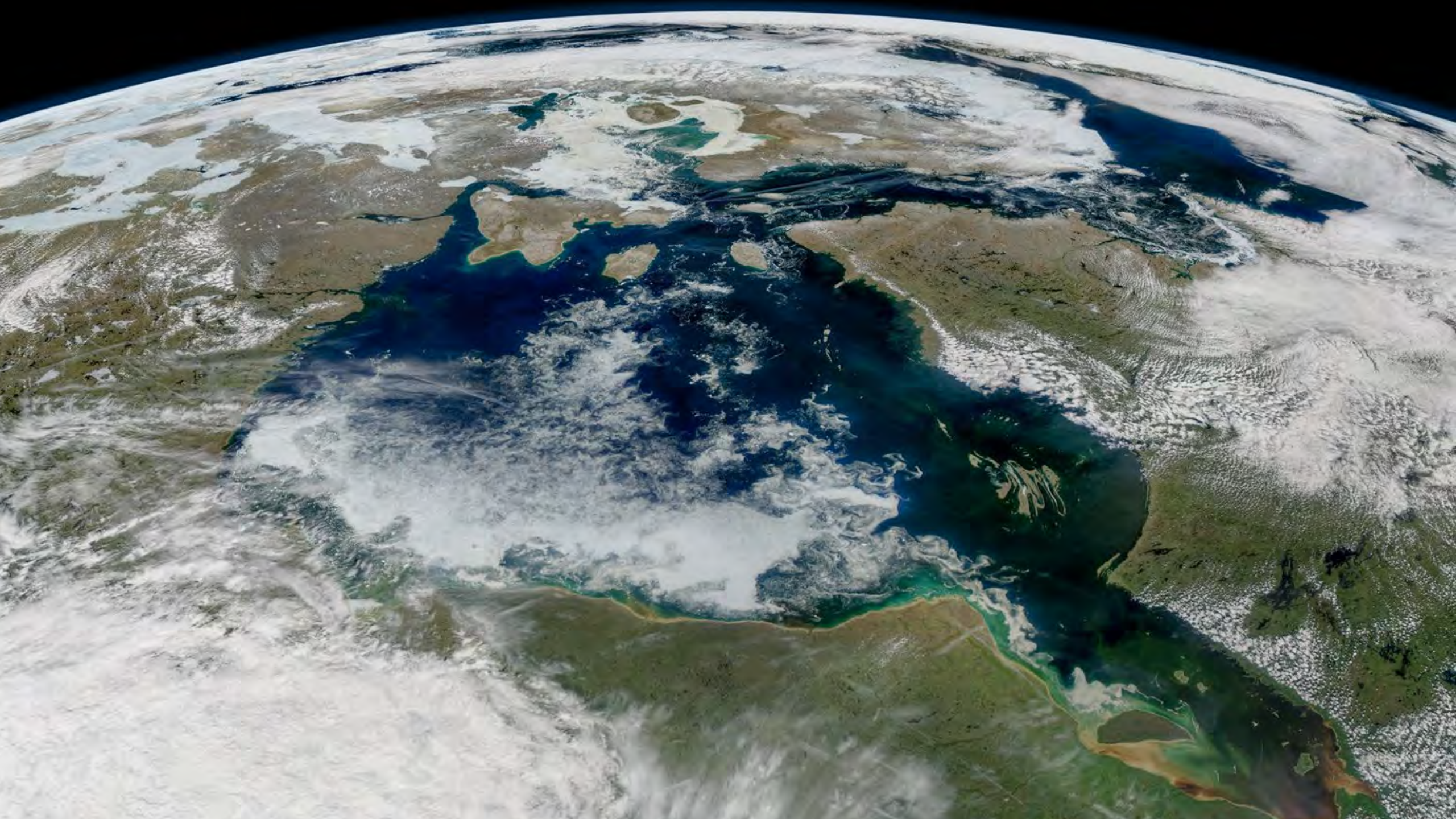
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TIMELINE



**Traditional Ecological Knowledge
of Inuit and Cree
in the Hudson Bay Bioregion**

Voices from the Bay

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Environmental Committee of Municipality of Sanikiluaq

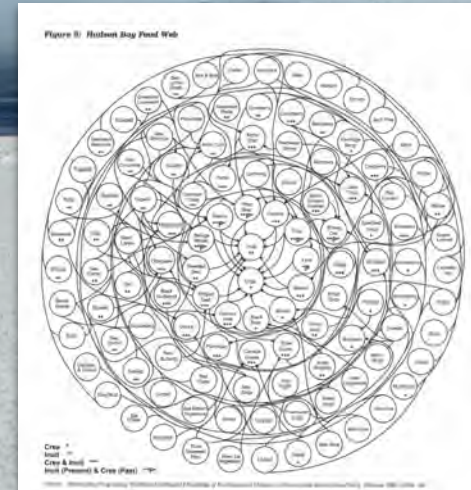
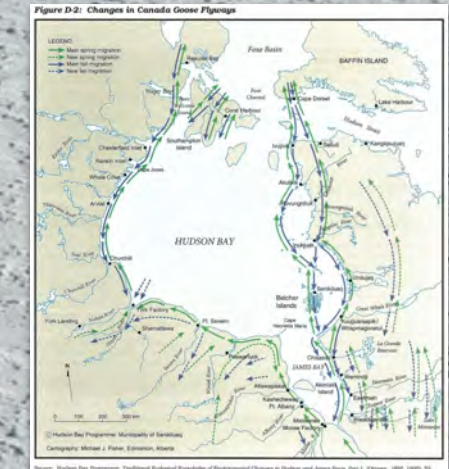


Figure D2: Changes in Canada Goose Flights

"We, as aboriginal people, are part of the land and water. We recognize and respect the delicate balance of nature for the total existence of all living things including those we see physically, and those we don't... Once these natural processes are disturbed and denied their natural flow, the aboriginal people of this country are adversely affected. Taking away the land and water takes away our pride, dignity, and ability to survive."





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TIMELINE

Stewardship efforts for Hudson Bay have included:

1992 Hudson Bay Program

1997 Voices From The Bay

2000 Hudson Bay Oceans Working Group

2004 Nunavut Hudson Bay Inter-Agency Working Group

2010 Hudson Bay Inland Sea Initiative

2012 Hudson Bay Neighbours Regional Roundtable

A Life Vest for Hudson Bay's Drifting Stewardship
NUNAVUUMMI TASIJARJUAMIUGUQATIGIIT KATUTJIQATIGIINGIT (NTK)¹

(Received 26 June 2007, accepted in revised form 5 March 2008)

“We therefore propose establishing a community-based monitoring and assessment network and a cooperative inter-jurisdictional stewardship body. Such a collaborative effort could make tangible progress toward sound, ecosystem-based integrated management of the Hudson Bay bioregion.”

2014



2016





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VISION STATEMENT AND GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- Created through consultation with communities and indigenous organizations through 2014-2018
- Formed the basis for the creation of the Consortium as a forum for coordination and sharing knowledge

2018





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**Planning for the future of
environmental stewardship
and sustainable development
for James Bay and Hudson Bay**



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HOW WE WORK TOGETHER

- Community-driven approach, created with and for communities
- Thinking about the region as a whole



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HOW WE WORK TOGETHER

- This is a forum and safe space for discussion on coordination, working together, sharing knowledge and expertise
- The Hudson Bay Consortium is **NOT** a forum for political issues, compensation, litigation/legal disputes



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WHAT WE WILL ACCOMPLISH

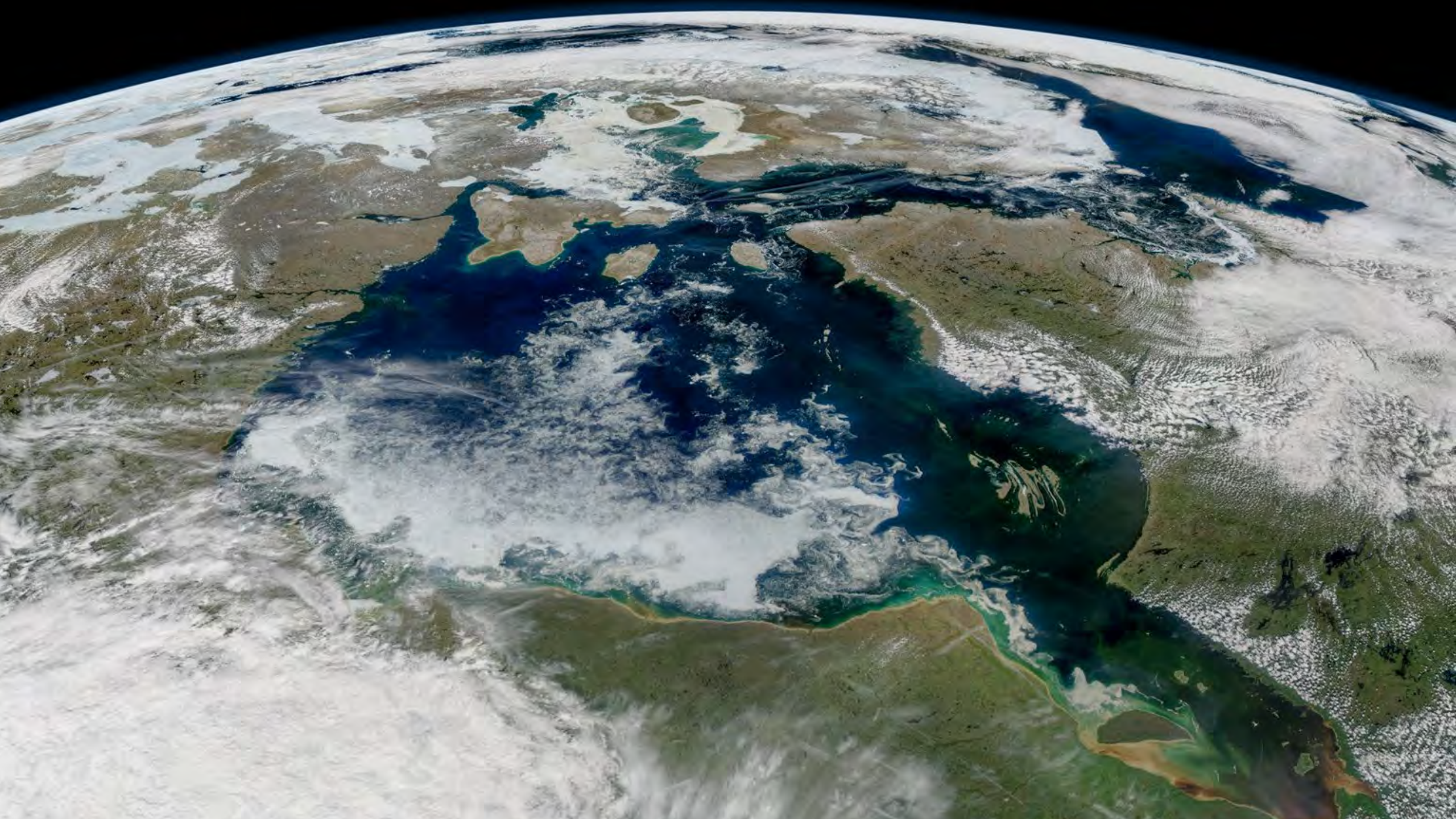
- Provide tools to facilitate coordination, knowledge-sharing among participants
- Can support participants and capacity building but **NOT** run programs on behalf of participants
- Does not represent participants or advocate on behalf of participants to coordinate and better understand each other



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WHAT WE WILL ACCOMPLISH

- Plan the road ahead and move from priorities to action
- Create a legacy for long term stewardship of the James Bay/Hudson Bay region through the Hudson Bay Consortium





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The Hudson Bay Consortium is a collaborative effort among communities, rights holders, Indigenous organizations and all levels of government to work together towards a shared vision for the region





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Hudson Bay Consortium Vision:
Encouraging and facilitating cross-jurisdictional and cross-cultural communication, cooperation and collaboration in the pursuit of knowledge and the means to protect, improve and steward the greater Hudson Bay/James Bay ecosystem for the primary benefit of the people, flora and fauna that live there





PARTICIPANTS work cooperatively to protect, improve and steward the Hudson Bay/ James Bay ecosystem

Participants

STEERING COMMITTEE guides the Consortium efforts

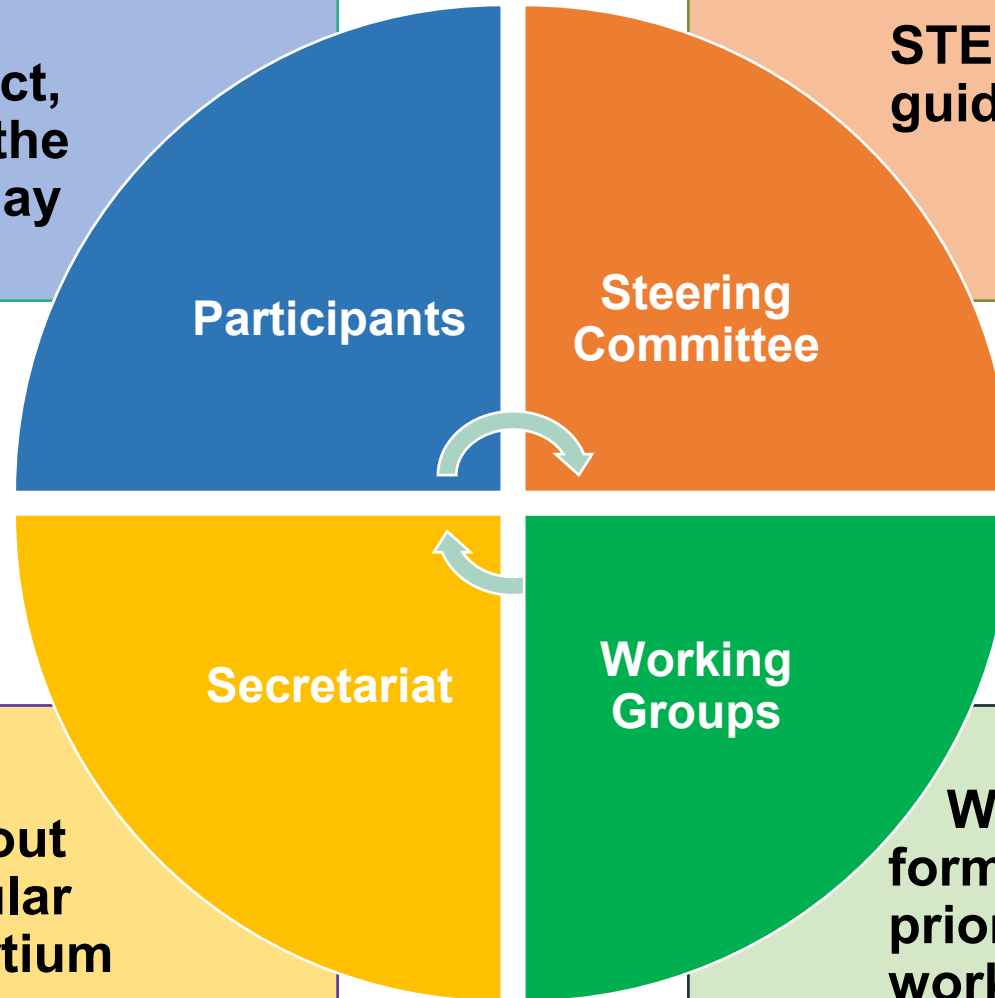
**Steering
Committee**

SECRETARIAT carries out administration and regular functions of the Consortium

Secretariat

WORKING GROUPS are formed to address community priorities and organize workshops

**Working
Groups**





WORKING GROUPS

Working Groups are formed to address community priorities and organize workshops:

- Coastal Restoration (*completed*)
- Communications
- Community-Driven Research and Monitoring
- Indigenous Stewardship and Protected Areas
- Emergency Response (*planned*)
- Community Fisheries (*planned*)



EVENTS

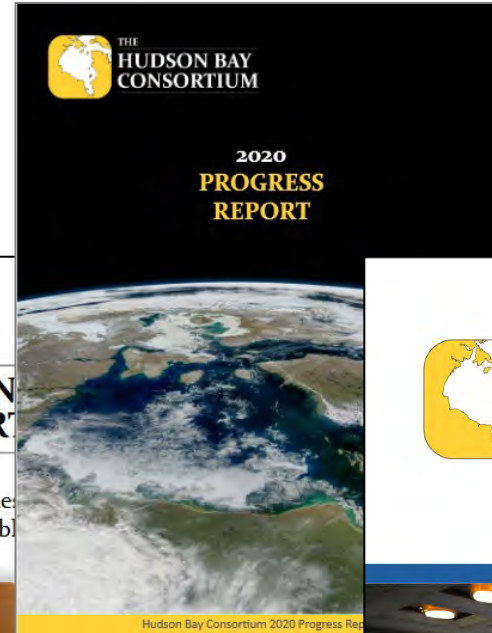
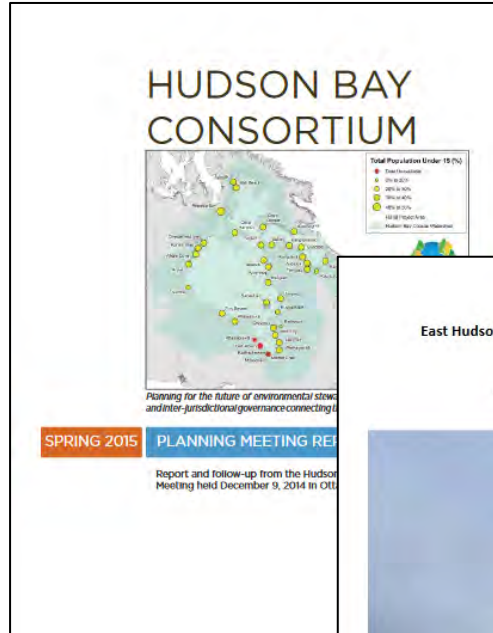
- **2014** Planning Meeting, Ottawa
- **2016** East HB/JB Roundtable, Chisasibi
- **2018** Hudson Bay Summit, Montreal
- **2019** East HB/JB Roundtable, Timmins
- **2021** East HB/JB Roundtable, Virtual
- **2022** Hudson Bay Summit, Montreal
- **2024** Hudson Bay Roundtable, Winnipeg





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STRATEGIC PRIORITIES





STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

5 Strategic Goals have been established and prioritized according to feedback received:

1. Create a space for people to come together for the stewardship of Hudson Bay and James Bay
2. Ensure that communities and their knowledge play a meaningful role in the long term stewardship of Hudson Bay and James Bay
3. Bring attention to community priorities and work being done to address them
4. Improve communication between regions
5. Encourage collaboration and relationship building



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STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

Greater marine traffic in Arctic waters and intensifying demand for Search and Rescue services require a new collaborative approach for Emergency Response



**Environmental Response
in the Canadian Arctic**

Prepared by
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April 2023



Strengthening the Foundation:
Proposal for a Hudson Bay Consortium
Working Group on Search and Rescue

Peter Kikkert and P. Whitney Lackenbauer



ROUNDTABLE OBJECTIVES

Throughout the Roundtable, discussion topics will include:

- Search and Rescue
- Marine Safety
- Emergency Response
- CCG Auxiliary
- New and Emerging Technologies
- Environmental Response
- Forward Planning for the Consortium
- Networking, building and strengthening connections



ROUNDTABLE OBJECTIVES

Throughout the next few days, we will:

- Discuss shared priorities for Search and Rescue, Environmental Response, and Marine Safety
- Share our experiences and learn from one another
- Learn about effective strategies, tools, and technologies
- Promote knowledge exchange between current leaders and future leaders
- Build and strengthen connections between communities, regions, regional organizations, governments and others



ROUNDTABLE OBJECTIVES

As we work through the agenda, some questions to consider:

- What are the shared challenges and priorities of communities?
- What strengths within communities should be recognized?
- What support is needed by communities?
- What resources are available to support this work?
- What is the best strategy for moving from priorities to action?
- What would the objectives of a new Working Group be?
- What next steps are required?



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