

The MOECC is doing some up dates to the air monitoring station. They will be in the community this week installing an Air Pointer.

The Air pointer is a portable air monitoring station that has become increasingly popular for short and medium-term air monitoring projects. The air pointer we are planning to deploy is housed in an approximately 8 foot by 8 foot fence for both the security of the instrument as well as for safety. It operates on standard 120V AC power and is capable of measuring a wide variety of pollutants.

The proposal is to construct a temporary fence directly adjacent to the existing Aamjiwnaang station fence, connect the instrument to an external outlet from the AFN station and run the air pointer for at least 2 weeks to assess performance before re-locating to another location. Attached is a picture of the fence structure and the Air pointer itself for reference.

