

# Brett Wildman, Kulu Logistics and Exploration Ltd. Construction Specialist

Brett has over 20 years of experience in ice construction. He started out as an equipment operator and has risen to become a skilled ice construction superintendent with immense construction knowledge. Brett is proficient at mentoring field supervisors on the development and implementation of safe work procedures and in best construction practices.

#### **Education**

- Supervisor Level II Mine Health and Safety Act Certificate
- Aboriginal Cultural Awareness Certificate
- Standard First Aid Level C CPR
- Working Safely on Ice Energy Safety Canada
- Powered Mobile Equipment Safety Evaluators Course
- Principles of Health and Safety Management Certificate (ACSA)
- Managing Worksite Investigations Certificate (ACSA)
- Petroleum Safety Training
- Competency Certificate/Fall Protection Program
- Leadership for Safety Excellence Certificate
- Certificate of Proficiency (ACSA)
- Air Brake Certificate
- High School Diploma

## **Employment History**

- 2015 2021: NOR-EX Engineering Ltd.
- 2000 Present: Wildman Livestock
- 2001 2014: Nuna Logistics Ltd.
- 2000 2014: Trash Snowcat

## **Equipment Operating Experience**

- Tractor Trailers
- D4 & D6 Dozer
- 966 & IT28 Loader
- Skid Steer
- Snowcat

# ICE ENGINEERING DESIGN, SAFETY AND CONSTRUCTION HIGH LIGHTS

- (2016-2021) Ice Engineering Division, Nor-Ex Engineering Division of Associated Engineering Alberta North.
- Brett provided winter road construction consulting on projects in Canadas Arctic and Northern Regions. As well a team member on winter road route design and feasibility studies for mining and community support. Brett also provided specialty construction supervision, mentorship and support to northern indigenous communities during vehicle recovery projects, planning, construction through extraction.
- Amaruq Winter Road, Agnico Eagle Mines, Meadowbank, NU
  (2016-2019): Brett provided winter road construction training to the
  construction crew prior to the initial ice construction of the winter
  road spanning 80km from Meadowbank Mine to Amaruq Exploration
  Mine. Brett also provided construction supervision, mentorship and
  support to the northern indigenous employees during the ice
  construction phase.
- Dawson River Ice Bridge, Cobalt Construction, Dawson City, YK
   (2019- 2020): Brett was deployed to site to conduct an investigation
   and provide consultation support of a snow cat that broke through
   the Dawson River Ice Bridge.
- Ice Construction Safety Training, Plains Midstream, Peace River, AB
  (2019): Brett delivered the Working Safely on Ice training course to
  Plains Midstream Canada employees. Following the course, those
  that passed the test were then certified.
- Great Bear Lake Vehicle Recovery, Government of Northwest
  Territories, Deline, NT (2016): Brett was quickly deployed to
  investigate and provide support for the safe recovery and
  subsequent accident investigation of a fuel tanker that broke through
  the ice on a crossing of Great Bear Lake near Deline, Northwest
  Territories. Brett provided supervision and consulting knowledge on
  how to safely recover the vehicle from the ice crossing while
  mitigating environmental impact.
- Ice Construction Safety Training, Forbes Bros. Construction, MB (2016): Brett delivered ice construction safety training to Forbes Bros. Construction employees in various locations, travelling across the province of Manitoba.

#### SUMMARY OF EXPERIENCE

Prior to 2016, Brett spent 13 years working in various departments on the Tibbitt to Contwoyto Winter Road project for Nuna Logistics Ltd., ranging from an equipment operator to construction superintendent. He has a wealth of knowledge and experience in drill pad construction and ice road construction as a construction lead hand, foreman and camp/construction superintendent. Brett is an organized, results-orientated, and motivated individual with a solid supervisory background and experience working in remote locations with limited communications and limited logistical support. Brett has a proven track record of completing difficult projects on schedule and on tight budgets – he thrives in deadline driven environments.

Brett is a fourth generation Alberta rancher with a primary focus of purebred Red Angus production where alongside his wife Traci and daughter Paige own and operate Wildman Livestock near Sangudo Alberta. As a past 4-H and Jr. Angus member Brett acknowledged early on the important role that volunteers played in the development of agriculture youth and sustainability of these valuable programs and was a 20-year volunteer and past Committee Chair of the Calgary Stampede Steer Classic Committee. Brett is past President and is currently in his second term as a director on the Canadian Angus Association Board of directors, as well holds a director seat on the Canadian Beef Breeds Counsel.

Brett has excellent interpersonal skills, a professional attitude, and firm personality to manage projects both independently and as a team member. He is diplomatic and tactful with professionals at all levels, being accustomed to handling sensitive work situations in a professional manner.