

Greenlandic cultural and natural values are closely connected to social values as the traditional and cultural activities involves many social events and a rich social life compared to western societies. Hunting and fishing, naming traditions, and traditional clothing are currently being replaced by western influences, but are still well practised.

The impact on sites of cultural importance is considered medium, as the destruction during the construction phase of some of the sites are unavoidable. Nevertheless, none of the archaeological findings are considered unique or outstanding. Even the unique Hvalsøe ruins are outside and out of sight of the project area. The company responsible for design and construction, MTH, has been in dialogue with municipal and national authorities in order to find an acceptable mitigation measure.

Regarding the use of land, a report on Local use of natural resources in the "Killavaat Alannguat" region was finalised by the consultant company Orbicon in November 2010. This report describes activities in relation to present use of natural resources in this area. With "local use" is understood a broad range of activities related to fishery, hunting, sheep farming, stone collection, tourism, and recreational use by local inhabitants.

