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April 11, 2017

Regular Board Meeting Minutes

### YLUPC Board Room, 307 Jarvis Street, Whitehorse

Meeting #01-2017-2018

### In Attendance

Yukon Land Use Planning Council (YLUPC)

George Nassiopoulos – Interim

Chair

Pearl L. Callaghan - Member

Vacant- Member

**YLUPC Staff** 

Ron Cruikshank – Director Heidi Hansen – Senior Financial

Administrator

Sam Skinner- Senior Planner Joe Copper Jack – Senior Policy

and Planning Advisor

Delegate/Guest: Yukon Government (YG)

Renee Mayes- EMR- Senior Planner George Stedkewicz-EMR –Land Use

Planner

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# **CLUPP – Common Land Use Planning Process**

Aganda Itamil Oi Aganda	Meeting called to order 9:05	a.m.	
Agenda Item:1.0: Agenda			
Comments			
Motion #1			
To accept the Agenda April 11, 2017 as	amended Add: Meeting with the Premier		
Moved: Pearl L Callaghan	2 <sup>nd</sup> George Nassiopoulos	Passed by Consensus	
Agenda Item:2.0: Delegation			
Comments			
Intro: Joe Copper Jack introduced himse	If as the new Senior Policy and Planning	Advisor	
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Agenda Item:3.0: Minutes	If as the new Senior Policy and Planning	Advisor	
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Agenda Item:3.0: Minutes	If as the new Senior Policy and Planning	Advisor	
Agenda Item:3.0: Minutes  Comments  Motion #2		Advisor	
Agenda Item:3.0: Minutes  Comments  Motion #2		Advisor	
Agenda Item:3.0: Minutes  Comments  Motion #2  To approve the Minutes of Jan 30, 2017 a		Passed by Consensus	
Agenda Item:3.0: Minutes  Comments  Motion #2  To approve the Minutes of Jan 30, 2017 a	as presented.		

Agenda Item 4.0: Director's Report and topics discussed under the Director's Report:	Action Items
Chair's Report	
Director's Report	
<ul> <li>"Office Refresh" is almost complete, including a new phone system.</li> <li>The Yukon College lectures provided by YLUPC staff were successful, and Council may consider keeping the lectures ongoing.</li> <li>It may be beneficial to introduce training to staff and commissions with respect to land use planning and First Nation courses.</li> <li>A CLUPP review discussion paper regarding a Yukon Land Use Planning Strategy was done by a consultant (Amy Ryder) and will be introduced to the Council members at a later date.</li> </ul>	
Chairs Report	
<ul> <li>The Chair felt the UFA forum was well received and a worthwhile gathering.</li> <li>The Chair has received a response from the Premier, and will be setting up a meeting prior to May 3, 2017.</li> </ul>	

Agenda Item 5.1: North Yukon Planning Region	Action Items
Linear Disturbance Mapping	
<ul> <li>In late March, the Senior Planner had a meeting with the implementation Directors, the results of the imagery gave approximately 97 % coverage of the LMUs.</li> <li>The Senior Planner is looking at 3 options to complete an interpretation by Sept 2017. However, there needs to be more discussion and consensus within the Yukon Government.</li> <li>Yukon Geomatics has the imagery and will put it on line and reprocess the high resolution imagery to help with the project.</li> <li>The Linear disturbance project helps with the implementation of the North Yukon Plan but may be useful in other regions.</li> <li>Access Management Planning in the North Yukon Planning Region is a joint project with the two governments (YG and VGG). The region has seen an increased interest in oil and gas exploration, and as a result an access management plan needs to be in place as part of the North Yukon Plan implementation.</li> <li>The government has informed the public that 15 blocks of land are been analysed for oil and gas exploration. These blocks of land are in the North Yukon and Dawson planning regions.</li> </ul>	

enda Item 5.2: Peel Planning Region:	Action Item
<ul> <li>The Supreme Court of Canada heard the arguments Mar 22, 2017, a response is anticipated in July 2017. The hearing is available for viewing online.</li> </ul>	
enda Item 5.3: Gathering of UFA Boards ( Mar 9 & 10, 2017)	

# The Secretariat is completing a summary of the Gathering, which will be available once all material is compiled. Council feels that there should be a common training for all new Boards and Committee Members as all members fall under the UFA. A general consensus is that there should be an annual UFA Boards and Committee Forum.

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Agenda Item 6.0 Finance and	l Adminis	tration		
	Council	reviewed the Feb 2017 financ	al statements.	
Motion # 3				
Chair to sign the Payment Funding A	greement fo	r the fiscal year 2017-2018.		
Moved: Pearl L Callaghan	<b>2</b> <sup>nd</sup> <b>G</b>	George Nassiopoulos	Passed by Consensus	
Motion #4				
To appoint Crowe MacKay as auditor	s for the fisc	cal year 2016-2017.		
Moved: George Nassiopoulos	<b>2</b> <sup>nd</sup>	Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	
Motion #5				
To appoint Chair to sign contacts for	Director and	Senior Financial Administrate	Dr.	
Moved: George Nassiopoulos	<b>2</b> <sup>nd</sup>	Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	

Agenda Item 7.0: Training an	nd Orientation		
Confirm May 1 or 2 <sup>nd</sup> (pr	referably the 1 <sup>st</sup> ) for training and orientation of New Member (s) wi	ith current Members.	
Agenda Item 8.0 Correspond	lence and Relevant Media		
Council reviewed the correspondence	ce.		
Schedule and Next Meeting			
Next Meeting Date: TBA			
Approval of Regular Board M By Motion #1, at Regular Board M	Teeting #01- 17/18 April 11, 2017. Teeting #02 17/18 TBA.		
Chair	YLUPC Secretariat	Date:	



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Meeting #02-2017-2018

### In Attendance

Yukon Land Use Planning Council (YLUPC)

Pearl L. Callaghan – Chair Lois Craig- Member Vacant- Member YLUPC Staff

Ron Cruikshank – Director Heidi Hansen –Senior Financial

Administrator

**Delegate/Guest:** 

Natalie Lowrey-CWS

Yukon Government (YG)

Renee Mayes- EMR- Senior Planner

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# Meeting called to order 1:07

Agenda Item: 1.0: Confirmat	ion of Chair		
Comments			
Motion #1			
For Pearl L Callaghan to remain as I back to Council at a later date.	nterim Chair, until such time as a new Member	is appointed or until Pearl L Callaghan brings it	
Moved: Lois Craig	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	
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Agenda	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	
Agenda	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	
Moved: Lois Craig  Agenda  Comments  Motion #2	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	
Agenda Comments		Passed by Consensus	

Agenda Item:2.0: Delegation	
Comments	

Agenda Item:3.0: Minutes	
Comments	
Motion #3	
To approve the Minutes of April 11, 2017 as presented.	
Approved: Pearl L Callaghan as only current Member present at the April 11, 2017 meeting.	

# Agenda Item 4.0: Director's Report and topics discussed under the Director's Report: **Action Items Chair's Report Director's Report** May 17 was a full training and orientation for the 2 new members (one has since resigned), new members were introduced and conflict of interest assessments were completed. • North Yukon Planning region work continues with the Senior Planner. RFP has been sent out and will be awarded next week. The RFP is for an analysis of the satellite imagery for the North Yukon. • The Chair, Director and Senior Policy and Planning Advisor attended the PIBC conference in Prince George BC in May 2017, a lack of attendance by First Nation people was observed. The Council updated the Teslin RRC on Chapter 11. The Council had a booth at the LSCFN GA. Letter was received from VGFN, YG, and TH regarding the restart of the Dawson Planning Region process. **Chair's Report** The PIBC conference was well attended with many interesting agenda items to appeal to attendees. Oral traditions workshop in Teslin attended by the Chair and the Senior Policy and Planning Advisor was an emotional and well received workshop. It included storytelling, song and dance. It may be a valuable tool for Council and future Commissions to participate in an Oral Traditions Workshop. The importance of using First Nations knowledge for Land Use Planning was discussed. The Chair also attended the Training and Orientation for the New Members.

Agenda Item 5.1: North Yukon Planning Region	Action Items
<ul> <li>Conformity Checks in the North Yukon</li> <li>A letter received from YG and VGG indicated the Yukon Land Use Planning Council should be performing the conformity checks as an interim solution.</li> <li>The Director indicated that it is important to continue to address the life of a commission after a plan and all the relating tasks to a commission. A solution has not been received with the outstanding issues that Council has with the land claim agreements. It would be beneficial to address these issues as a whole and not through piece work.</li> <li>Revisit the issues after legal advice has been received on the letter</li> <li>Territorial wide framework would be essential for successful land use planning.</li> </ul> A Quarterly Directors Implementation Review meeting on June 27, 2017 will take place to provide an update on the Lineal Disturbance in the North Yukon Planning region. The Senior Planner is planning to attend.	A) Letter of May 9, 2017 received from VGG and YG to receive legal advice.

Agenda Item 5.2: Peel Planning Region:	Action Items
Peel Court Case	
<ul> <li>A summary timeline of the Peel Court case has been reviewed.</li> <li>The outcome of the Peel Court case will have an impact of regional planning and will need to be included as Learned in future land use planning.</li> </ul>	Lessons

Agenda Item 6.0 Finance and Administration					
Motion #4	Council reviewed	I the May 2017 financia	l statements.		
To amend Policy and Procedures :	section 7.6.1b) by addi	ng Aboriginal Day as a	Yukon Statutory Holiday		
Moved: Lois Craig		arl L Callaghan	Passed by Consen	sus	
Agenda Item 7.0: Correspo	ndence and Relev	ant Media			
	Council re	eviewed the correspond	dence.		
Letter from Indigenous and Northe	rn Affairs- Shared Arcti	c Leadership Model to	be tabled until next meeting.		
Agenda Item 8.0 Schedule	and Next Meeting				
KFN GA is June 24, 2017 NNDFN GA is June 24, 2017 CYFN AGM is June 27-29 <sup>th</sup> , 2017 TTC GA is July 11- 13 at Brooks B	rook				
Schedule and Next Meeting	J				
Next Meeting Date: July 26	, 2017				
Approval of Regular Board By Motion #1, at Regular Board	Meeting #02- 17		17		
Chair		YLUPC Secre	etariat	Date:	



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July 28, 2017

Regular Board Meeting Minutes

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Meeting #03-2017-2018

### In Attendance

Yukon Land Use Planning Council (YLUPC)

Pearl L. Callaghan – Chair Lois Craig- Member Vacant- Member **YLUPC Staff** 

Ron Cruikshank – Director Heidi Hansen –Senior Financial

Administrator

Joe Jack- Senior Policy and

Planning Advisor

**Delegate/Guest:** 

Adam Humphrey-KFN

Yukon Government (YG)
Jim Bell- EMR- Manager Land Use

lanning

Planning

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# Meeting called to order 9:10

Agenda Item: 1.0: Agenda			
Comments			
Motion #1			
To accept the Agenda as amended. Add Trainin to Dawson Planning Region and the effect the P			
Moved: Lois Craig	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	
Agenda Item:2.0: Delegation			
Comments			
Agenda Item:3.0: Minutes			
Comments			
Motion #3			
To approve the Minutes of June 23, 2017 as ame	ended.		
Moved: Lois Craig	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	

<ul> <li>Chair's Report</li> <li>Director's Report</li> <li>North Yukon Land Use plan technical working group has awarded a contract for the interpretation of the satellite imagery project.</li> <li>The staff and Chair have attended the CYFN, KFN, CAFN, NNDFN and TTC GAs .</li> <li>The NNDFN GA addressed sub regional questions.</li> </ul>	A) Final Audited Financial Statements to be posted on website.
<ul> <li>North Yukon Land Use plan technical working group has awarded a contract for the interpretation of the satellite imagery project.</li> <li>The staff and Chair have attended the CYFN, KFN, CAFN, NNDFN and TTC GAs .</li> </ul>	Financial Statements to be posted on
<ul> <li>project.</li> <li>The staff and Chair have attended the CYFN, KFN, CAFN, NNDFN and TTC GAs .</li> </ul>	
The staff and Chair have attended the CYFN, KFN, CAFN, NNDFN and TTC GAs.	
	A)Provide budg
SLC meeting may take place in late August or early September.	amounts for
The Director has been in contact with Canada regarding the status of the vacant member.	training
Chair's Report	
<ul> <li>The chair mentioned the Senior Policy and Planning Advisor is doing a great job doing PR work at the GAs.</li> <li>Members would like more information on the availability and training resources offered.</li> <li>It was mentioned it may be useful to have the following sessions sooner: CLUPP review, Strategic Planning and Communication Strategy, depending on the status of the new member. The Chair should speak to the Director of Aboriginal Affairs regarding new member status.</li> </ul>	
YG Update	
YG is currently working on what triggers a plan review for future planning commissions and also looking at the funding for plan reviews.	
• Sub reginal plans are also being looked into if they are part of Chapter 11, and where would the funds come from.	

Agenda Item 5.1: North Yukon Planning Region	Action Items
<ul> <li>Conformity Checks in the North Yukon</li> <li>A letter sent to YG in May 2016 regarding conformity checks in the North Yukon Planning Region was responded t 2017.</li> <li>The Council is waiting for clarity and a new member before a formal response is given to YG, the Council will also seeking legal advice on the letter from Yukon and VGFN to YLUPC regarding YLUPC performing the conformity cl</li> </ul>	checks in the North
	<b>B)</b> Send a "we are working on it" letter back

enda Item 5.2: Dawson Planning Region:	Action Item
<ul> <li>Dawson Planning Region</li> <li>A series of letter establishes a commission and a TOR a more streamlined process is required for efficiency.</li> <li>The DRPC resource assessment report is being reviewed by Parties.</li> <li>The Peel court case may also have an impact on the Dawson Planning Region.</li> <li>Council is seeking a more efficient way to bring the CLUPP review to the Parties rather than waiting for legal advice.</li> <li>NWT has examples of how to make the agreements work that the Yukon Government should follow. The Implementation Working Group should be able to give the Council clarity, however this has not been the case in the past.</li> <li>A big question at this time relates to plan review.</li> <li>The issues that have been plaguing the Council since inception, still plague the Council, and these issues need to be addressed.</li> <li>The Peel Supreme Court case may still have legal issues after the ruling (depending on the intricacy of the ruling) as the Parties will want to interpret the ruling. This may take some time and may delay the Dawson Planning start – up.</li> <li>YG believes the ToR for the Dawson planning region may be a good opportunity to include any Lessons Learned with the Peel Supreme Court Ruling.</li> </ul>	A) Provide Council with Supreme Coun decisions regarding big ( Consultation.

Agenda Item 6.0 Finance an	d Administration		
Motion #3	Council reviewed the July 2017 finance	cial statements.	A) future Annua Reports to be provided to Council 2 weeks prior to the end of July.
To approve Audited Finanl Statemen	nts for the fiscal year 2016-2017 and subm	nit to YG.	
Moved: Lois Craig	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	
Motion #4			
To approve Annual Report for the	fiscal year 2016-2017 and submit to Yo	3.	
Moved: Pearl L Callaghan	2 <sup>nd</sup> Lois Craig	Passed by Consensus	
Agenda Item 7.0: Correspon	dence and Relevant media		
	Council reviewed the correspo	ondence.	
Letter from Indigenous and Northern	Affairs- Shared Arctic Leadership Model	to be tabled until next meeting.	
Agenda Item 8.0 Schedule a	nd Next Meeting		
TH – GA Aug 26, 2017 Strategic Planning- Aug 29, 2017 9a	m		

Schedule and Next Meeting			
Next Meeting Date: Sept 18, 2017			
Approval of Regular Board Meeting # By Motion #1, at Regular Board Meeting #04	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Chair	YLUPC Secretariat	Date:	



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Sept 18, 2017

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Meeting #04-2017-2018

### In Attendance

Yukon Land Use Planning<br/>Council (YLUPC)YLUPC Staff<br/>Ron Cruikshank – Director<br/>Heidi Hansen – Senior Financial<br/>Administrator<br/>Vacant- MemberDelegate/Guest:Yukon Government (YG)Vacant- MemberHeidi Hansen – Senior Financial<br/>Administrator<br/>Joe Jack- Senior Policy and<br/>Planning Advisor<br/>Sam Skinner- Senior PlannerDelegate/Guest:

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Agenda Item: 1.0: Agenda			
Comments			
Motion #1			
To accept the Agenda as presented.			
Moved: Lois Craig	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	
Agenda Item:2.0: Delegation			
Comments			
Agenda Item:3.0: Minutes			
Comments			
Motion #3			
To approve the Minutes of July 28, 2017 as	amended.		
Moved: Pearl L Callaghan	2 <sup>nd</sup> Lois Craig	Passed by Consensus	

Action Items

Agenda Item 5.1: North Yukon Planning Region	Action Items
Imagery Interpretation Project	
<ul> <li>The imagery project has been progressing nicely, a quality control check has been done on the work completed.</li> <li>It may take the contractor a bit longer to interpret the data, however, the contractor mentioned that the project will still be on budget.</li> </ul>	

Agenda Item 5.2: Dawson Planning Region:	Action Items
Restart Dawson Planning Region	
<ul> <li>The DRPC was put in abeyance Dec 2014, mainly due to the Peel court case and staffing issues.</li> <li>The SLC meeting will take place Sept 18, 2017 in the afternoon to try and get a resolution to many issues.</li> <li>The Director would like to see the funding, office location and staffing issues dealt with as a priority at this meeting.</li> <li>Council is concerned that any additional funds put forward to the Dawson Planning Region will have ramifications on the remaining planning regions and the funding that remains.</li> <li>The Director indicated that in the NWT, the funding for each planning region was agreed to before planning was started. In the Yukon, Canada contributed \$7.4 million for the entire Yukon but did not identify any rational for that amount.</li> <li>An examination into the funding for regional planning is desperately needed.</li> <li>It has been a general consensus with the Parties that Canada will not provide any additional funding for planning until the original funds have been spent.</li> <li>Council has attempted to get direction from the Implementation Working Group (IWG) on funding for planning regions.</li> <li>WRFN has a land block in the Dawson Planning Region and needs to be addressed by the SLC in the Dawson planning process. It should also be recognized that WRFN may be required to be part of the ToR for the Dawson planning region.</li> </ul>	

Agenda Item 5.3: Sub Regional District Planning:	
<ul> <li>NNDFN Stewart watershed</li> <li>This is the first Sub Regional Planning process though the land claims agreement.</li> <li>It is not clear if Council has any role in Sub regional Planning as previous attempts to get resolution to the matter remain unanswered.</li> <li>Sub Regional planning is to follow Chapter 11 guidelines, however, the Council will not be the budget reviewer.</li> <li>All Parties have to be in agreement before Sub regional planning can be finalized.</li> <li>Who funds sub regional planning?</li> </ul>	A) Check with NNDFN on who was copied on the letter to begin sub regional planning. A) Letter to be sent to NNDFN outlining Councils question

Created by Heidi - Council/Min				
Agenda Item 6.0 Finance	e and Admi	nistration		
	Cour	ncil reviewed the July 2017 financ	ial statements.	A) Confirm how other boards deal with COLA
Motion #3				
To approve COLA increase of	1% effective A	pril 1, 2018.		
Moved: Lois Craig	<b>2</b> <sup>no</sup>	Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	
Interim Report				
	from Accumul	7-2018, include the Peel decision ated Surplus to Main funding for i		
Motion #4				
To approve the Interim Repo	rt as amende	for 2017-2018 and submit to Y	G.	
Moved: Lois Craig	<b>2</b> <sup>nd</sup>	Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	
spor	ndence :	and Relevant media		
		Council reviewed the correspon	ndence.	
Letter from Indigenous and No	rthern Affairs-	Shared Arctic Leadership Model t	b be tabled until next meeting.	

# Agenda Item 8.0 Schedule and Next Meeting

TH - GA Oct. 15/16, 2017

Strategic Planning the week of Oct 23-27, 2017...pending the Peel court decision (Oct 4, 2017) Open House Dec 8, 2017

± 04- 17/18 Sept 18, 2017		
3 17/16 Oct 23, 2017.		
YLUPC Secretariat	Date:	
	25 17/18 Oct 23, 2017.	25 17/18 Oct 23, 2017.



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Yukon Land Use Planning Council (YLUPC)

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**YLUPC Staff** 

Ron Cruikshank - Director Heidi Hansen - Senior Financial

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Jim Bell-YG -Manager EMR

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# Meeting called to order 9:09

Agenda Item: 1.0: Agenda			
Comments			
Motion #1			
To accept the Agenda as amended, add Commu	unication Strategy Tab 8 and debrie	fing of TH GA (Tab 5).	
Moved: Lois Craig	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	

Agenda Item:2.0: Delegation	
Comments	

Agenda Item:3.0: Minute	es		
Comments			
Motion #2  To approve the Minutes of Sept 18, 2017 as amended.		A) All Correspondence to be reviewed by all Members.	
Moved: Lois Craig	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl I Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	

Agenda Item 4.0: Director's Report and topics discussed under the Director's Report:  Chair's Report	Action Items	
<ul> <li>Director's Report</li> <li>Topics will be covered during the meeting.</li> <li>A current discussion paper is being worked on by YLUPC staff for Sub- Regional Planning.</li> <li>The concept of interim measures for areas lacking a land use plan needs to be examined.</li> <li>Chair's Report</li> </ul>	A) Presentation for Modern Treaties Conference to be complete and presented to Council. A) Copy of Final Interim report to Council.	

Agenda Item 5.1: Yukon Forum	Action Items
Yukon Forum	
<ul> <li>Council is suggesting a conversation with the Parties prior to any action items being brought forward for the Yukon Forum, so all Parties can achieve the same objective.</li> </ul>	
The Forum may impact the Council's Work Plan as there was a similar workshop being planned by Council as the Yukon Forum.	
A possible workshop prior to the Yukon Forum as an information workshop may be a viable option for Council.	

genda Item 5.2: Peel Planning Region	Action Items
<ul> <li>YLUPC staff have been reviewing the previous judgements on the Peel Planning Region in preparation for the decision coming from the Supreme Court of Canada.</li> <li>The process has been to establish the possible outcomes and how to respond to the outcomes.</li> <li>The current communication strategy is for the Director to answer factual questions, and all other questions are directed to the Chair.</li> <li>A Press Release is normally issued after a major descion to express the views and opinions of Council.</li> </ul>	A)Engage Communication Strategist  A)Prepare possible question and outcomes for Peel Court Cas

<ul> <li>SLC Meeting of Sept 18, 2017 was quite successful, the Party to Party meeting scheduled for Oct 8, 2017 has been postponed.</li> <li>TWG meeting is scheduled for Oct 30 &amp; 31, 2017.</li> <li>Council participates on SLC if requested by SLC.</li> <li>It has been established that Council prepares the ToR that is to be approved by the Parties. The ToR is deemed to be the</li> </ul>	A)Update website with the Dawson Planning Regio restart
Commission's marching orders.  TH GA	
<ul> <li>Oct 14 and 15, 2017 the Chair, Director and Senior Policy and Planning Advisor attended the TH GA.</li> <li>The key issues were the restart of the Dawson Planning Commission, Chapter 11 discussion, and post Supreme Court Ruling on the Peel Planning Region.</li> <li>There was a general feeling of excitement about the restart of the Dawson Planning Commission.</li> <li>First Nation groups are starting to seek outside funding to produce land use planning in their traditional territory. It is believed the majority of First Nations will start implementing this procedure to kick start the land use planning process.</li> <li>YG indicated that the Parties do need some lead time to get the process going and this also relates to the Parties budget cycles.</li> <li>Council mentioned to YG that they would appreciate any information YG has, and would appreciate if YG shared any additional planning information in order for the Council to proceed with land use planning in the Yukon.</li> <li>YG mentioned they would most certainly share information and that Council is invited to ask for any assistance YG can give.</li> </ul>	

### **Amy Ryder Report**

### **CLUPP Report Outcomes:**

To look at how other jurisdictions tackle land use planning with in Canada (and Alaska) and put together a proposed framework with the data that will works within Chapter 11.

13 jurisdictional scans, 13 planning documents, and also some regional strategies were used for the data of the report.

Yukon strategies are high level direction.

Alberta and Saskatchewan commissions are provided with all the data necessary to complete the plan.

ToR only has directional information.

Saskatchewan deals with all the priorities issues that all planning region needs to be dealt with in detail, (i.e. transportation, park management).

NWT planning process is close to the Yukon approach.

Manitoba has the sub regional approach spearheaded by the First Nations.

Public Consultation in other jurisdictional land use planning approaches was generally less than that in the Yukon.

### Key ideas from the report to consider

ToR - keep it operational.

Having Parties agree on direction of the planning commission at the start of the planning process.

Have all the technical information provided to the Commission before the start of the Planning process.

Having options for a variety of planning scales seems to be a key to successful planning in other jurisdictions.

Agenda Item 6.0 Finance and Administration	
Council reviewed the Sept 2017 financial statements.	

Agenda Item 7.0 Policy and P	rocedures- Review		
Motion #3			A) Send letter to
To increase asset control section 6.3.3 Policy and Procedures to \$1,500 from \$500.		Canada to request Council surplus dollars be put toward Dawson and	
Moved: Pearl L Callaghan	2 <sup>nd</sup> Lois Craig	Passed by Consensus	future
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			and Planning
	Non- Admin Policy and Prod	cedures	products.
To confirm that	YULPC has no other Policy and Proce	dures that are non- administrative.	

Agenda Item 8.0: Correspondence and Relevant media	
Council reviewed the correspondence.	
Letter from Indigenous and Northern Affairs- Shared Arctic Leadership Model to be tabled until next meeting.	
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Agenda Item 8.0 Schedule and Next Meeting	
Strategic Planning possible dates for 2nd day, are Nov 9, Nov 20 or Nov 24, 2017. Date to be confirmed. Open House Dec 8, 2017. TKC GA Oct 28 & 29, 2017. Nov 13- 17, 2017- Land Claim Coalition Conference, Ottawa	
Schedule and Next Meeting	
Next Meeting Date: Dec 8, 2017	
Approval of Regular Board Meeting #05- 17/18 Oct 23, 2017 By Motion #1, at Regular Board Meeting #06 17/18 Dec 8, 2017.	

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Chair

Date:



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Regular Board Meeting Minutes

YLUPC Board Room, 307 Jarvis Street, Whitehorse

Meeting #06-2017-2018

### In Attendance

Yukon Land Use Planning Council (YLUPC)

Pearl L. Callaghan – Chair Lois Craig- Member Vacant- Member YLUPC Staff

Ron Cruikshank – Director Heidi Hansen –Senior Financial

Administrator

Joe Jack- Senior Policy and

Planning Advisor

Sam Skinner- Senior Planner

Delegate/Guest:

Paula Pacholek- Environment

Canada

Nathalie Lowry- Canadian Wildlife

Bill Kendrick-TH

Yukon Government (YG)

Jim Bell- Manager, EMR

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# Meeting called to order 9:09

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Agenda Item: 1.0: Agend	da		
Comments			
	Opening Prayer- by Pearl Callagh	an	
	CYFN sent regrets for not attending the	e meeting	
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Motion #1			
To accept the Agenda as prese	ented.		
Moved: Lois Craig	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	
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Agenda Item:2.0: Delega	tion		
Comments			
Comments			
Agenda Item:3.0: Minute	s		
Comments			
Motion #2			
To approve the Minutes of Oct 23, 2017 as amended.			
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Moved: Lois Craig	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl I Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	

genda Item 4.0: Director's Report and topics discussed under the Director's Report:	Action Items
Chair's Report	
<ul> <li>Director's Report</li> <li>North Yukon Implementation disturbance project has been progressing and it is nearing the end.</li> <li>Two aspects of this project were the effects of the footprint and how long for regrowth after the activity.</li> <li>A second portion to the project to analyse regrowth, the funder has not been decided for this second portion of the project.</li> <li>Another project in progress is "What would initiate a plan review?"</li> <li>A sub regional planning paper is being completed by a contractor: Amy Ryder</li> <li>Modern Treaties conference (Ottawa Nov 14- 17, 2017) was well received and the land use planning breakout sessions were very informative.</li> <li>The Auditor General suggested that a modern treaties review group may be implemented.</li> <li>The Senior Policy and Planning Advisor mentioned that the conference was very beneficial to the Council.</li> <li>Chair's Report</li> </ul>	A) The Directors report for future meetings will be posted on the website subject to amendments.
<ul> <li>It is understood that the new member may be announced by YG today- Dec 8, 2017.</li> <li>The Chair sent her regrets about not being able to attend the Modern Treaties Conference in Ottawa, due to injury.</li> </ul>	

genda Item 5.0: A Yukon Regional Land Use Strategy	Action Items
<ul> <li>Appendix 1 will be made into a more readable version (formatting and size), and general cleanup of the Appendix.</li> <li>A few areas of the Ryder report need to be decided upon prior to finalization.</li> <li>Colour vs Black and White version of the report, The CLUPP Report reference needs to be removed until it is approved by</li> </ul>	A) The final version of the Ryder Report to be completed early in the New Year.

Agenda Item 5.1: Peel Planning Region	Action Items
Peel Planning Region Decision	
<ul> <li>The Council is happy the decision on the Peel has been received.</li> <li>There are quite a lot of implications of Chapter 11 to future land use planning.</li> <li>Council has received ongoing legal advice on the Peel ruling to help with a collective understanding of the ruling.</li> <li>Some portions of the Dawson ToR will be added or modified to take the Peel ruling into effect.</li> <li>Council will look at ways to avoid the legal process for future land use plans.</li> </ul>	

Agenda Item 5.2: YLUPC Stra	legic Plan		
Comments/Amendments Strategic	Plan 2017		
<ul> <li>There were two strategic plan</li> <li>It has been noted the planning</li> <li>There have been a number of Council's plans for the next th</li> <li>Several issues, risks, and pitfa</li> <li>Review the Peel decision with</li> </ul>	ning sessions, Oct 9, 2017 and Nov 23 2 g process has been on hold for the past 3 challenges with land use planning and t	3 years due to the Peel Court case. his Strategic plan is a high level report to document the Plan.	
Motion #3			
To approve the Yukon Land Use Plan	ning Council Strategic plan (2018-2021),	with amendments and consideration of the Peel ruling.	
Moved: Pearl L Callaghan	2 <sup>nd</sup> Lois Craig	Passed by Consensus	

## Agenda Item 5.3: Dawson Planning Region:

### Restart of Dawson Planning Region

- YG is still in the process of getting ready to start the Dawson Plan.
- SLC met in Sept 2017, there is a tentative conference call meeting for Dec 18, 2017
- TWG has had three meetings.
- TWG is looking for SLC to work out the boundary issue. The boundary includes VGG's participation in the Dawson planning process.
- TWG has been working on the ToR, and looking at a complete rewrite of the ToR by March 2018.
- TWG is trying to get the Dawson Resource Assessment Reports reviewed by the Parties and have the document condensed to give to the Commission; reviewing the Issue and Interests, provide the Commission the LMUs and review staking rights.
- A work plan is in draft form, and hoping to have a Commission appointed by Sept 2018.
- An estimated completion of the Dawson Plan is a hopeful date of 2020.
- YESAB may have some corporate knowledge for the Dawson plan with respect to the Resource Assessment Report, and compiling update information.

# Agenda Item 5.4: Yukon Land Use Planning Gathering

- A letter will be sent to CYFN and YG about the Spring Workshop
- General Topics are:
  - √ The Peel
  - ✓ The Framework
  - √ Next Gathering of Regional Planning
- YG suggested the workshop should address priority topics
- Council is looking at complementing topics not duplicating topics, however the general theme should be on how to advance land use planning.

A tentative date and venue would be Feb 28 & Mar 1, 2018. Kwanlin Dun Cultural Centre, Yukon Inn, Westmark Whitehorse.

# Agenda Item 6.0 Finance and Administration

Council reviewed the Oct 2017 financial statements.

### Work Plan 2018-2019

- Main items in the work plan are the Dawson restart, and the cumulative effects projects.
- Council's concerned the workload may be heavy in the coming year and it may be beneficial to add SUBJECT TO CHANGE in the work plan.
- The Senior Planner advised that some of the workload with the North Yukon/Cumulative effects may not be that heavy of a workload.
- Yukon Forum has an unknown aspect of the involvement by Council and/or staff.
- YG indicated the Yukon Forum will be dealing with Chapter 11 and other Chapters, and they will also be waiting for feedback from the Forum.
- Preparing for the 2019-2020 review of Chapter 11 is also one item of the work plan.
- It had been noted that the Council has an administrative policy, but no planning policies, and having clear polices can be helpful in the planning process.
- A mechanism for engaging (building relationships) with the Parties should be reflected in the work plan.

Agenda Item 8.0: Correspondence and Relevant media			
C	Council reviewed the correspondence.		
Agenda Item 8.0 Schedule and Next M	ooting		
Agenda item 6.0 Schedule and Next M	eemig		
Communication Strategy Dec 8 & 19, 2017.			
Next Meeting Jan 26, 2018.			
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Schedule and Next Meeting			
Next Meeting Date: Jan 26, 2017			
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Meeting #07-2017-2018

### In Attendance

Yukon Land Use Planning Council (YLUPC)

Pearl L. Callaghan – Chair Lois Craig- Member

Dennis Zimmerman-Absent

**YLUPC Staff** 

Ron Cruikshank – Director Heidi Hansen –Senior Financial

Administrator

Joe Jack- Senior Policy and

Planning Advisor

Sam Skinner- Senior Planner

**Delegate/Guest:** 

Paula Pacholek- Environment

Canada

Amy Ryder- Ryder Communications

Dawna Hope- NNDFN Duncan Martin- YLUPC

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Action Items: Status indicated is as of next meeting date

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	Meeting called to order 9	:03 am	
Agenda Item: 1.0: Ager	nda		
Comments			
	Opening Prayer by Lois Crai	9	
Motion #1			
To accept the Agenda as ame	ended.		
Moved: Lois Craig	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	
Agenda Item:2.0: Delega	ation		
Comments			
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Comments			
Motion #2			
To approve the Minutes of Dec	c 8, 2017 as presented.		
Moved: Lois Craig	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	

Agenda Item 4.0: Director's Report and topics discussed under the Director's Report:	Action Items
Chair's Report	
Director's Report	
The North Yukon Plan implementation work has resulted in an estimate of the historical footprint within LMU9. The final report will be presented to the NY IWG and any changes will then be incorporated into a report to the Council.	
Chair's Report	
Council has a new member from Canada: Dennis Zimmermann. The Open House of Dec 8, 2017 was well attended. Council has had media training and a workshop on communications in Dec 2017 and Jan 2018, respectively.	

Agenda Item 5.0: Sub Regional Planning	Action Items
A presentation on Sub-Regional Planning by Amy Ryder	
There appears to an interest in having planning occur at a sub-regional level. The three options presented for planning by the Contractor;	
<ul> <li>Option 1- An "all in" planning process: that follows Chapter 11 very closely</li> <li>Option 2 - Follow Chapter 11 but has some differences</li> <li>Option 3 - Many significant differences from Chapter 11</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>The first option of 'All in Planning" appears to be the most effective.</li> <li>KDFN has included in their agreement that a regional commission can plan sub-region by sub-region in the planning area.</li> <li>There are many options under the UFA legislation that can assist with planning, such as YESAA and Species at Risk</li> <li>YG mentioned that it does not matter what tool is used in the planning process, it still requires YG to be an implementation body for planning in Yukon.</li> <li>CTFN has started a regional planning process and there is no estimation of a time frame for completion.</li> <li>NNDFN also stated a desire to conduct a sub-regional plan and have chosen a large area of land due to the high activities in the areas.</li> <li>The concern is all activities flow into the Stewart River.</li> </ul>	

Agenda Item 5.1: Peel Planning Region	Action Items
<ul> <li>Peel Planning Region Decision</li> <li>YG has indicated that the Peel consultation will proceed and the SLC will be established soon.</li> <li>It is estimated that is will take about a year to get an approved plan for the Peel.</li> </ul>	
"IN CAMERA"	
Council reviewed the Peel Decision by the Supreme Court of Canada	

Agenda Item 5.2: YLUPC Communications Strategy	
The goals of the communication workshop was to build relations with all the Parties, clarify roles of Council, develop a protocol process between the Parties, deliver consistent messages about the implementation of Chapter 11, and keeping the public, Parties and communities informed.	A) Final comments on Communication Strategy by Feb 15, 2018.

### Agenda Item 5.3: Dawson Planning Region: A) Add YG's updated The TWG has been meeting and progress has been made on the ToR. information to YG indicted TWG has had 3 meetings and the next meeting on schedule is within the next 2 weeks, and are taking place the agenda. every 3 - 4 weeks, The boundary alignment between VG and TH will affect membership. TWG is also working on a MOU between the Parties. A request is being sent from TWG to IWG that the Dawson Plan cannot request short term protection in areas of the plan. All stakeholders are also being considered for their knowledge of the area. YG position is that, the fact that planning is happening does not mean there should be a freeze on activities (i.e. staking). Agreement within the Parties, the Dawson plan completed by 2020 (which is an aggressive completion date). The logistics for planning software (Alces) needs to be addressed, if it will only be for Dawson or for all planning regions. It has been decided that the ToR has to be completed prior to Commission appointments. TH is reviewing the original Resource Assessment report with an emphasis on a review of the social economic component. Council has requested YG provide an update of information that would be helpful for the Council to move forward.

# Agenda Item 5.4: Yukon Land Use Planning Gathering The Yukon Land Use Spring Gathering Mar 21, 2018 Westmark Whitehorse Hotel The Peel Decision and Beyond The Speakers include legal Counsel. The planning of the gathering is progressing. Council is concerned 3 topics too much for one day of the gathering, and has suggested 2 topics may be more realistic to do well. The topics in the gathering should be helpful and supportive with the Yukon Forum. Add YLUPC Strategic Plan to Gathering Package, and send to Parties with the "Save the Date".

Agenda Item 6.0 Finance and Adm	inistration		
Cou	ncil reviewed the Dec 2017 financia	ıl statements.	
Motion #3			
To appoint the Auditor Crowe Mackey for th	e fiscal year 2017-2018.		
Moved: Pearl L Callaghan	2 <sup>nd</sup> Lois Craig	Passed by Consensus	
Motion #4			
To approve the work plan and budget for 20	18-2019 as amended subject to cor	nments from YG.	
Moved: Lois Craig	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pearl L Callaghan	Passed by Consensus	
Add: Special Project- Land Use Policy development			

Agenda Item 8.0: Correspondence	e and Relevant media		
	Council reviewed the correspondence.		
Agenda Item 8.0 Schedule and Ne	ext Meeting		
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