



YUKON LAND USE PLANNING COUNCIL
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UFA BOARDS AND COMMITTEES FORUM

March 9-10, 2017

AGENDA

as of Monday March 3, 2017 at 3:00 PM

Purpose: The purpose of UFA Board and Committee Gathering is to give organizations involved in land use planning, environmental assessment, land and water regulation and resource management (including cultural resources) an opportunity to learn from one another and to coordinate activities

Invited Participants: Yukon Environmental and Socio-economic Assessment Board, Yukon Fish and Wildlife Management Board, Salmon Sub-Committee, Dispute Resolution Board, Surface Rights Board, Yukon Land Use Planning Council, Renewable Resource Councils, Yukon Heritage Resources Board, Yukon Geographic Place Names Board, Yukon Water Board, Training Policy Committee, Porcupine Caribou Management Board

Representatives of Yukon First Nations, Yukon and Canada are invited as observers on the morning of day one (9th).

Facilitator: Florian Lemphers

Recorder: Rhoda Merkel

Host: the Yukon Land Use Planning Council

DAY 1, March 9th

Location – The Kwanlin Dün Cultural Center, Long House Room

8:30-9:00 ***Breakfast Buffet***

9:00- 9:30 **Call to Order**

Opening Prayer – Joe Copper Jack (YLUPC)

Welcoming Remarks – Chief Doris Bill, Kwanlin Dun First Nation (nc)
Chief Kristina Kane, Ta’an Kwach an Council (nc)

Event Introduction – Florian Lemphers, Facilitator

Around the Room – Each organisation introduces their mandate

Why This Gathering Was Called – George Nassiopoulos, YLUPC Chair
Pearl Callaghan, YLUPC Member

9:30 – 10:30 **The Land Claim Negotiation Period and the Origin of UFA Boards
Presentations & Panel Session (speaking order TBD):**

- **Daryn Leas**, Lawyer, Co-Head of the Aboriginal Group
- **Joe Linklater**, former Chief Vuntut Gwitchin Government
- **Eric Morris**, former Chief, TTC AFN representative (nc)
- **Dave Joe**, Lawyer, Dave Joe Law Corp.

Questions & Answers

10:30 -10:45 ***Refreshment Break***

10:45 – 11:30 **Interpreting the Agreements and the Implementation Plans**

- Chapter 11 Interpretation: Progress and Challenges (Ron Cruikshank, YLUPC)
- Other Agencies Experiences

Questions & Answer and Open Discussion

11:30 –1:00 ***Lunch – Soup, Sandwiches and Song with Jerry Alfred – the Long House Room, KDCC***

Afternoon Session

New Location - MacBride Museum, Downstairs

1:30 – 3:30 **Celebrating UFA Boards and Committees Milestones and Getting to Know You**

Each board and committee is to contribute their history to a giant “timeline wall” starting with the settlement of the land claims. Important events and happenings in your history will be identified. The goal is for us all to understand and appreciate each other’s experience and work.

Day 2, March 10th

Location – The Kwanlin Dün Cultural Centre, Multi-purpose Room

- 8:30 – 9:00** ***Breakfast Buffet***
- 9:00 - 9:45** **NWT Board Forum - Mark Cliffe-Phillips, Executive Director**
Mackenzie Valley Review Board (video conference)
Questions & Answer and Open Discussion
- 9:45 – 10:30** **Appointments to UFA Boards and Committees**
- Monica Nordling, Executive Council Office, Yukon Government
 - Michel Leger, Indigenous and Northern Affairs
 - CYFN Process: Power Point Slide
- Questions & Answer and Open Discussion on UFA Board Experiences***
- 10:30-10:45** ***Refreshment Break***
- 10:45-11:30** **Challenges of Orientation and Training of Members**
- YLUPC's Orientation and Training of YLUPC and RLUPC Members
 - Other Agencies Experiences
- Questions & Answer and Open Discussion***
- 11:30 – 1:00** ***Lunch Soup and Bannock and Music from Angel Hall – Multi-purpose Room, KDCC***
- 1:00 – 1:45** **Policy and Procedures**
- YLUPC's history of operational policies and procedures and key issues
 - Other Agencies Experiences
- Questions & Answers and Open Discussion***
- 1:45 – 2:00** ***Refreshment Break***
- 2:00 – 3:00** **UFA Boards and Committees Contribution to Reconciliation: Successes and Challenges**
- “Reconciliation as Consensus-Making?”, Tom Nesbitt, Lawyer and Mediator
 - Regional Planning's Role and History in Reconciliation, YLUPC
 - Other Agencies Experiences
- Questions & Answers and Open Discussion***
- 3:00 – 4:00** **General Discussion about future of similar forums and additional events**
- 4:00 – 4:30** **Wrap-up: Round Table Closing Remarks**