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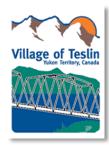


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Village of Teslin,

October 15, 2019 Regular Council Meeting Minutes

Meeting #17-19

Members Present: Councilor Clara Jules

Councilor Denise Johnston Councilor Trevor Sallis Councilor Juanita Kremer

Member Absent: Mayor Gord Curran

Public Present: CPL Jeff Myke

Deputy Mayor Clara Jules called the meeting to order at

7:30 p.m.

1. Adoption of Agenda

1.1. Adoption of the Agenda for October 15, 2019.

74-17-19

Moved by Councilor D Johnston;

Seconded by Councilor T Sallis;

BE IT RESOLVED that Village Council Adopted the Agenda for October 15, 2019, as presented.

~carried~

2. Adoption of Minutes

2.1. Adoption of the Minutes for September 23, 2019 Minutes Enclosed.

75-17-19

Moved by Councilor D Johnston;

Seconded by Councilor T Sallis;

BE IT RESOLVED that Village Council approved the minutes of September 23, 2019, as presented,

~carried~

3. Hearing of Delegations and Individuals

3.1. RCMP Report for September 2019 CPL Jeff Myke gave a verbal report on the September 2019 RCMP Report

4. Reports and Recommendations of Boards Established by Council

5. Reports from Village Administration, Standing or Special Committees of Council

5.1. CAO Report September 2019 Information

- 5.2. Rec Calendar October 2019 Information
- 6. Receipt of Notice of Motion to be considered at a Subsequent Meeting of Council
- 7. Consideration of Items of Correspondence
 - 7.1. Minister Streicker Response to J Roberts inquiry Information
 - 7.2. Department of Education- Yukon University What We Heard Information
- 8. Consideration of Items of Accounts Payable by Village
- 9. Introduction and Consideration of By-laws
- 10. New and Unfinished Business
 - 10.1. AYC Update Information
 - 10.2. OCP Update

 Council Reviewed the community places paper and it will be available to the public.
 - 10.3. Accounts Payable September 2019

76-17-19

Moved by Councilor T Sallis;

Seconded by Councilor D Johnston;

BE IT RESOLVED that Village Council Approved the September 2019 Accounts Payable in the amount of \$367,098.84, as presented.

~carried~

Councilor Kremer declared a conflict of interest because she is a director for Teslin Minor Hockey Association.

10.4. Fall 2019 Yukon Lotteries Application

77-17-19

Moved by Councilor D Johnston;

Seconded by Councilor T Sallis;

BE IT RESOLVED that Village Council distribute the Fall 2019 Community

Lotteries Program funding as follows:

Teslin Seniors - \$ 2,000
Teslin Minor Hockey - \$ 2,145
Teslin Recreation Society - \$ 2,145
Teslin School - \$ 1,000

~carried~

Councilor Kremer returned to the meeting.

10.5. Snow Removal Contract Award

78-17-19

Moved by Councilor D Johnston;

Seconded by Councilor T Sallis;

BE IT RESOLVED that Village Council award the snow removal contract to Deadman Creek Enterprises.

~carried~

11. Question Period

12. <u>Closed Session</u>

13.	Scheduled	meetings and	l other im	portant dates	for Council
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13.1. Scheduled Meetings

14. Adjournment

Meeting Adjourned at 8:30pm

Gord Curran, Mayor

Shelley Hassard, CAO



Village of Teslin,

October 28, 2019 Regular Council Meeting Minutes

Member Absent: None

Members Present:

Meeting #18-19

Public Present: Community Advisor- Kirsti Devries

Mayor Gord Curran Councilor Clara Jules

Councilor Denise Johnston

Councilor Trevor Sallis

Counctil Juanita Kremer

Mayor Gord Curran called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

1. Adoption of Agenda

1.1. Adoption of the Agenda for October 28, 2019.

79-18-19

Moved by Councilor T Sallis;

Seconded by Councilor C Jules;

BE IT RESOLVED that Village Council Adopted the Agenda for October 28, 2019, with the following additions:

7.3 Mike Hodgson- Stop Signs in Teslin

~carried~

2. Adoption of Minutes

2.1. Adoption of the Minutes for October 15, 2019 Minutes Enclosed.

80-18-19

Moved by Councilor C Jules;

Seconded by Councilor T Sallis;

BE IS RESOLVED that Village Council approved the minutes of October 15, 2019, as presented,

~carried~

- 3. Hearing of Delegations and Individuals
- 4. Reports and Recommendations of Boards Established by Council
- 5. Reports from Village Administration, Standing or Special Committees of Council
 - 5.1. September 2019 Financial Statements

81-18-19

Moved by Councilor T Sallis;

Seconded by Councilor C Jules;

BE IT RESOLVED that Village Council approved the September 2019 Financial statements, as presented.

~carried~

- 6. Receipt of Notice of Motion to be considered at a Subsequent Meeting of Council
- 7. Consideration of Items of Correspondence
 - 7.1. Yukon Mineral Development Strategy: Pre-Engagement Village Council would like YMDS to Engage with the community through a public meeting.
 - 7.2. Yukons Flight Path: Aviation System Investment Strategy for 2020 to 2030 Information
 - 7.3. Letter Mike Hodgson- Teslin Stop Signs Information
- 8. Consideration of Items of Accounts Payable by Village
- 9. <u>Introduction and Consideration of By-laws</u>

10. New and Unfinished Business

10.1. AYC Update

Mayor Curran gave a verbal update on AYC issues.

10.2. Option to Purchase Lease number 2848-20-105c02/040202- Teslin Ball Diamond

82-18-19

Moved by Councilor C Jules;

Seconded by Councilor J Kremer;

BE IT RESOLVED that Village Council move forward with the process of acquiring title to the property where the ballfield is located.

~carried~

10.3. OCP Update- VOT OCP Option Report

Village Council discussed the options presented by the consultation and will provide their decision back to the consultant for input into the draft OCP

10.4. Employee Cellphone Allowance

83-18-19

Moved by Councilor C Jules;

Seconded by Councilor T Sallis;

BE IT RESOLVED that Village Council approves the cell phone allowance for employees effective January 2020.

~carried~

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Our Community Advisor, Kirsti Devries updated Council on YG initiatives.

12. Closed Session

13. Scheduled meetings and other important dates for Council

13.1. Scheduled Meetings

14. Adjournment

Meeting Adjourned at 8:50pm

Gord Curran, Mayor

Shelley Hassard, CAO



Prepared by: Shelley Hassard, CAO Cole Hunking, Public Works Foreman

TESLIN ROADS

All roads are in winter driving conditions, please drive appropriately.

Please be considerate and avoid walking on private property and through residents' yards.

SOLID WASTE FACILITY/RECYCLING

The solid waste facility hours are as follows: Monday, and Tuesday—Closed to public Wednesday, Thursday and Friday — Noon to 6:00pm Saturday — 10:00 am — 5:00 pm

There is no after hour access to the facility so please plan accordingly.

We were unable to get the steel crusher on site before the weather got too cold, so we will not be crushing steel until the summer months.

An average of one refuse bin a week is being sent to Whitehorse landfill for disposal. Everyone is encouraged to do recycling at home, and at work, to reduce the amount of material that goes to the landfill.

The free store has been upgraded; please ensure all items dropped off are clean and in good shape. It is not maintained by VOT staff, so please clean up after yourself. All items left out will be discarded.

Please ensure recycling bins are outside first thing Wednesday morning and easily accessible for pickup.

We are working with YG on possibly becoming a regional facility. Will keep you posted as we move forward in the discussions.

LAGOON AND SEWER SYSTEM

All systems are in good working order. Please be aware and careful of what is being flushed down the system.

Our water licence is due in 2020 so work has begun on gathering information to apply for our new licence.



Prepared by: Shelley Hassard, CAO Cole Hunking, Public Works Foreman

WATER QUALITY/ WATER DELIVERY

The Water Treatment Plant (WTP) is in good working condition. Please ensure that pathways to the water fill spouts are clear and sanitary for safe water delivery. Please notify us if you will be away and not requiring water delivery. Kindly ensure that spouts & tank whistles are in good working order and lids closed to help avoid water overflow.

When constructing new buildings or renovating buildings please contact the Village office to get a copy of the water bylaw to ensure your water systems complies.

DOG CONTROL

Please ensure your pets are secure on your property. We take dog control very serious and are actively pursuing loose dogs, our public works staff do patrol for stray dogs 7 days a week! If you have stray dogs wandering on your property, please call the Village office.

We have received numerous complaints about dogs running at large in the Fox Point subdivision we are actively pursuing loose dogs in the area.

Once a dog is picked up by our staff, we notify the owner and if they are not picked up by the owner after three business days, they are sent to the animal shelter in Whitehorse.

The community dog spay program is still available. Please call the Village office for more information and to make arrangements to use this program.

The Village of Teslin has partnered with Yukon Government & Humane Society on a dog surrender program, so if you need to surrender a dog please give us a call and we can assist with making arrangements

RECREATION

Many events are planned December please refer to the recreation calendar.

Our annual hayride & house lighting contest will December 11th. Cosco Outfitting has offered to provide horse drawn sleigh for this event! Come on out and enjoy some winter fun.

The hockey arena is in full swing and we have full schedule for hockey times and free skate. Please refer to the recreation calendar or call the Village office for the schedule.



Prepared by:
Shelley Hassard, CAO
Cole Hunking, Public Works Foreman

PROJECTS

We are working with Council on selecting a suitable location for the new Fire Hall once the location is selected, we will start the building design.

OCP – The survey results, background report, Food Security, Agriculture & Animals report, Housing & Affordable Housing report, Community spaces, and Future of Teslin report are complete and available on our website. A paper copy is available at the Village office or the Post Office. We would like to hear any comments or suggestions from the public on any of the OCP documents. Please contact Shelley at the Village office.

The draft OCP is being prepared and public consultation events will be on December 9th and 10th including a community dinner on the 10th. Village of Teslin Councillors will be consulting in person with residents before the community events on December 9th & 10th.

WSP has been hired by YG to develop options and design for the Nisutlin Bridge replacement. There will be a public information session on December 15th from 6-9pm in the recreation center, and December 16th from 10:30am – Noon.

OTHER

911 is working in Teslin if you have a fire emergency you can call 911 or 390-2222 to reach our volunteer fire department.

The draft 2020 Provisional O&M & Capital budget has been approved by Council.

Check the electronic sign or our website <u>www.teslin.ca</u> regularly for updated notices and messages.

Shelley Hassard, CAO Cole Hunking, Public Works Foreman



Hello Tesliners,

Christmas is almost upon us, and in a few weeks we'll be spending time with family and friends, but before we get to that point, we have lots of activities going on in Teslin. Some serious, some fun. We are continuing with our official community plan consultation, starting trail planning consultation, and have several community events on the calendar. Also, there will be a YG consultation about the upcoming Nisutlin Bay Bridge project.

As you may know, we have been working on revising our Official Community Plan, having conducted a public consultation in the spring and issued a series of reports (available at htttps://www.teslin.ca/ocp or the village office). We will be conducting our second round of public consultation in December with a discussion on food security, agriculture, and animals on December 9th at 2pm at the Rec Plex. We will also host an Open House on December 10th at 2pm at the Rec Plex followed by community dinner at 5:30pm. Every municipality in the Yukon is required to have an official community plan, and we completed almost 88% of the 67 action items from the 2009 OCP.

We are also consulting to develop a trail network in Teslin. These trails are for getting around town and encouraging recreation for our community members, and it will also enhance the tourism appeal of our community for travellers. We received funding from the Community Development Fund to conduct phase one of this project, which includes public consultation to determine needs and existing trails. Part of this consultation will occur during the OCP meeting on the afternoon of December 10th. A survey will also be put in every mailbox. Please join us for this important project for our community.

It's a great time of year for community functions hosted by various community organizations. The Elders Bazaar occurred at the end of November, and the wonderful Elder's Dinner is scheduled on December 4th (by invitation) as organized by the Elders and Seniors Society. On December 11th, the Village of Teslin will host its annual hayride. We are pleased to announce that Cosco Outfitting company will be offering horse-drawn hayrides and that Fountain Tire has donated hot chocolate and hot dogs for the event. It's a lot of fun for the kids (and some adults, too). Then on December 12th, the TTC Health and Social department hosts its annual community Christmas dinner. The Teslin RCMP detachment, Teslin YESAB Office, Teslin campus of Yukon College, Teslin Energy, Mines and Resource have banded together to offer a joint Winter Open House on December 17th from 3 to 6pm at the Rec Plex. If you are new to Teslin or have never attended these events, I encourage you to come out.



Oh, don't forget about our annual Christmas house lighting contest. Councilor Sallis will bring a few community members around Teslin on the night of the hayride to judge the various house decorations around the community and award some prizes. The Currans *may* have gotten a little carried away with Christmas decorations this year, and we were a little early in getting them up. However, we always ask not to be considered for the contest, so the prizes are wide open. It's always great to see all the lights around town, especially when it's been a tough year like this past one.

Finally, WSP, a consulting firm hired by Yukon Government to design the replacement of the Nisutlin Bay Bridge, will be conducting two important community consultations on the options for the bridge. They will be presenting various options, including possible locations for the bridge, conceptional drawings, renderings, detailed descriptions and pros and cons of each option. There are two open houses, one on Sunday, December 15th from 6 to 9pm at the Rec Plex, and a second one on Monday, December 16th from 10:30am until noon at the Rec Plex. I encourage you to attend the open houses to find out more about the project.

Many thanks to all who contribute to making our community a great place to visit and live.

On behalf of VOT Council,

Mayor Gord Curran



It's Budget Time!

Every year about this time, council approves a provisional budget. While discussing budgeting and financing is not everyone's idea of fun, it is an important function of council and administration, and a good opportunity to talk about how we manage the municipality's operations.

Although our fiscal year runs from January 1st to December 31st, we approve a provisional (or draft) budget to cover the period from January 1st to March 31st. The reason is that some of our funding comes from other governments that have March 31st year ends. However, we need to approve a new budget to give the administration the ability to continue our operations (waters, sewers, solid waste, recreation, etc) and capital improvements (fix or build infrastructure) in the new year. We approve the permanent budget before March 31st.

We pass two budgets actually – one for operations and one for capital improvements. The operational budget provides funding for our everyday operations, including administration, governance, service delivery, and building maintenance. The capital budget provides funding for capital costs such as improving infrastructure (for example, the new roads and lift stations) and other assets and building new ones (for example, the new fire hall).

Our overall budget is \$2.3 million without taking into consideration third party funding agreements for specific capital projects. Of that \$2.3 million, 13% (about \$300,000) goes to the capital budget and the remaining \$2 million to operations. So, where do we get that \$2.3 million? The most obvious source is property taxes, which account for about \$339,000 (15%) of the overall revenue. We also collect about \$248,750 (11%) from fees for various services (garbage, sewer, water, and facilities rental) and licenses. We also get about \$242,000 (11%) in conditional funding from other governments to run programming. Our largest dource of funding is from the Comprehensive Municipal Grant (CMG) of \$1.3 million (57%), an annual contribution provided by the Yukon Government. This amount is determined by a multi-factor formula that was negotiated and agreed to by all municipalities through the Association of Yukon Communities. The remaining 6% comes from a collection of smaller sources.



So, where does it go? On the operations side, about \$606,000 (26%) goes to staffing the office and overhead (lights, phones, internet, heating fuel, etc) and governance in the form of honorarium for council members to meet twice a month plus special meetings (and some travel). Delivering water, wastewater, and solid waste services cost the municipality \$465,000 (20%) and maintaining roads costs us \$354,650 (15%). Recreation, which includes the maintenance of the rec building and facilities, parks and playgrounds, and programming, costs us \$465,139 (20%).

As stated above, roughly \$300,000 (13%) goes to various capital improvements. For example, this year we need new emergency lights (moving to LED for efficiency), a new speaker system for the rec plex, lift station #6 needs some work, new bilingual stop signs (Tlingit/English), landfill improvements and plan, network servers, signage at the marina, and recreation equipment. We also put money aside for the fire truck and equipment, building, and future development reserves for larger purchases in the future.

I mentioned third party funding at the beginning which is not accounted for in the discussion above. These amounts fluctuate annually, sometimes to a great degree. For example, this year, we have \$7.6 million in Build Canada Funds for the new firehall, energy retrogrades to the main municipal building

November 2019 Recreation Report

Recreation, with the help of the Yukon Aboriginal Sport Circle (YASC), relaunched an archery program in November that included a NCCP (National Coaching Certification Program) coaching clinic and visits from Les Johns. The archery program will continue to run regularly with Sam Johnston on Fridays from 3:30-5:30pm at the school, and with additional visits from Les to be scheduled. YASC received funding to run the coaching clinic and do community visits leading up to the 2020 Arctic Winter Games (AWG) and North American Indigenous Games (NAIG) and we are happy to have had their support to start this back up and encourage more people to pursue this sport and these major games opportunities.

There are many other sports included in these games and I am happy to try and help as many youth participate as possible in the sport of their choice. AWG is taking place in Whitehorse in March and many of the tryouts have begun taking place, so please don't hesitate to come speak to me about getting your child (or yourself) involved. There are also some great volunteer opportunities associated with AWG as Whitehorse and Team Yukon prepares to host this major event. It's also the time for youth to start thinking about participating in NAIG as tryouts for many of the sports will commence early in the new year. NAIG will take place in Halifax in July and is an amazing opportunity for Indigenous youth!!

Boys Club has started back up with Jordan on Thursday evenings, running from 6-8:30pm, and Girls Club will return in December, running Tuesday evenings from 5-7pm. We are looking to start up a canvas boot making project and embarking on more outdoor adventures with both clubs in the new year.

There is lots to look forward to in December (on top of all the Christmas dinners and gatherings) including the Annual Hayride and Christmas Light Contest taking place on Wednesday, December 11^{th.} starting at 6pm outside the VOT office. There will be also be a Youth Christmas Dinner on Friday December 13^{th,} and a Christmas Movie Night on Dec. 20 at the Rec Plex. The Recreation schedule will be limited over the holidays as people spend time with family and friends.

Hockey season started back up at the beginning of November and we are working towards creating more of a buzz around the rink and rebuilding the 'hockey culture' here in Teslin. Minor Hockey runs Monday & Wednesday from 7-8pm, Men's hockey runs Tuesday & Thursdays from 7:30-9pm and Women's hockey has a new time slot Sunday afternoons at 4pm. Public skating is open over the lunch hour on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays, from 6-7pm on Tuesday & Thursdays and 4-7pm Saturdays

News and Highlights from your Recreation Programmer



Lindsay JohnstonRec Manager



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Teslin Recreation

November 2019 Recreation Report

On top of encouraging everyone to come lace up the skates, we would like hockey nights to be a good opportunity to socialize at the rink, so we are looking for cooks/caterers who would be interested in preparing food for independent sale out of the mezzanine/rec plex on Tuesdays (7-10pm), Wednesdays (6-9pm) and Sundays (4-6pm).

There are many ways you can get involved in recreation. We are looking for program ideas, guest facilitators and volunteers to build a community recreation schedule that has something for everyone. The Recreation and Parks Association of Yukon (RPAY) also has a RHEAL leader program that provides funding support for individuals looking to run recreational/healthy living programs in rural communities. Thanks to this support from RPAY the Ladies Yoga class with Alicia has been running on Thursday evenings at 5:15pm all fall and will continue in the new year. We would also like to again thank the volunteers who run Minor Hockey and Volleyball on Saturdays.

Please come see me with your ideas!!

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December Recreation Calendar

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT	SUNDAY
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		After School Activity	YOGA w\Alicia		Hand Games	Hand Games
Public Skate 12-1p		3:30- 5p @ rec plex	5:15p@Mezzanine			Tourney
After School Activity	Girls Club age 9+	Adult Fitness Class	Public Skate	Archery age 8+		
3:30- 5p @ rec plex	5-7p @ Rec Plex	5:30p @Mezzanine	6-7p @ the rink	3:30- 5p @ school		
Adult Fitness Class	Public Skate	Minor Hockey	Boys Club age 9+	Hand Games	Public Skate	Womens
5:30p @Mezzanine	6-7p @ the rink	7-8p @ the rink	6-8:30p @ Rec Plex	Tourney	4-7p @ Rink	Hockey
Minor Hockey	Mens Hockey	Badminton	Mens Hockey	Register by 5pm		4p @ Rink
7-8p @ the rink	7:30-9p @ Rink	7- 9p @ Rec Plex	7:30-9p @ Rink	@Rec Plex		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Public Skate 12-1p		Public Skate 12-1p		Public Skate 12-1p		
After School Activity	Girls Club age 9+	After School Activity	Community	Archery age 8+	Public Skate	Womens
3:30- 5p @mezzanine	5-7p @ mezzanine	3:30- 5p @ rec plex	Dinner	3:30- 5p @ school	4-7p @ Rink	Hockey
			5:30p @ Rec Plex		. , p @	4p @ Rink
Adult Fitness Class	Public Skate	Annual Hay Ride &	5.50p @ Rec Plex		Adult Volleyball*	+p ⊕ Kilik
5:30p @Mezzanine	6-7p @ the rink	Christmas Light			7-9p@ school	
Minor Hockey	Mens Hockey	Contest	Mens Hockey	Youth Christmas	Youth Drop-In	
7-8p @ the rink	7:30-9p @ Rink	6pm @ VOT	7:30-9p @ Rink	Dinner	7-9p @ Rec Plex	
				6:30nm @ Rec		
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Public Skate 12-1p		Public Skate 12-1p		Public Skate 12-1p		
After School Activity		After School Activity		Archery age 8+		
3:30- 5p @ rec plex	5-7p @ Rec Plex	3:30- 5p @ rec plex		3:30- 5p @ school		
Adult Fitness Class	Public Skate	Adult Fitness Class	Public Skate	Parent & Tot Play		Womens
5:30p @Mezzanine	6-7p @ the rink	5:30p @Mezzanine	6-7p @ the rink	6-7p @ Rec Plex		Hockey
Minor Hockey		Minor Hockey	Christmas	Movie Night	Adult Volleyball*	4p@Rink
7-8p @ the rink		7-8p @ the rink	Concert	7pm	7-9p@ school	
	Mens Hockey	Badminton	Mens Hockey		Youth Drop-In	
	7:30-9p @ Rink	7- 9p @ Rec Plex	7:30-9p @ Rink		7-9p @ Rec Plex	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
		Happy Holidays!				
	Public Skate	VOT Closed	VOT Closed			
	11-1p	Marca Christian	***			
	Christmas		HAPPY		Public Skate	Womens
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		Now.	5:15p@Mezzanine		4-7p @ Rink	Hockey
	New Years Eve	TACAA	Public Skate	Public Skate	Adult Volleyball*	4p @ Rink
	Dance &	* Yeaks	6-7p @ the rink	4-7p @ Rink	7-9p@ school	
	Fireworks	" DeV*	Mens Hockey	Youth Drop-In	Youth Drop-In	
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16th Annual House Lighting Contest and Hayride

Wednesday, December 11, 2019



Meet at the Village Office at 6:00 p.m.

♣ We will do the sleigh ride through town, look at all the beautiful Christmas lights, and then return for Hotdogs and Hot Chocolate around the bonfire.

Exciting New prizes Categories

Judging will be done by Community Members.
Prizes to be awarded for:

- Most Original
- Judges Favorite
- Citizens Favorite
- Best use of Natural/ Recycled Materials
- Neighborhood Prizes
 - Sawmill Subdivision
 - Airport Subdivision
 - Smarchville
 - Village Area
 - Fox Point Subdivision

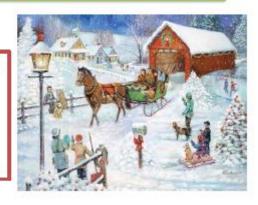
Bring your Christmas Carol singing voices!

> For information, please contact the Village Office #390-2530



A fun new experience awaits to those who will come!

Cosco Outfitting will be offering horse-drawn sleigh rides through town.





Lighting Up Memories

This is an opportunity for you to take time out of your busy schedule to spend time reflecting on those who have passed on and will not be spending Christmas with you.

This is designated to be a place of quietness and solitude.

We ask that you place their name on a card and hang it on the tree. You may bring pictures of your beloved if you'd like. Light a bulb in their honor. You can then take an ornament to hang on your tree at home.

Donations are accepted but not required - all donations are given to <u>Hospice Yukon Society</u> who has been providing a range of bereavement and palliative support services to Yukoners.





OFFICIAL COMMUNITY PLAN (OCP) UPDATE

For the Latest Update on the Official Community Plan (OCP) Review/ Rewrite please visit out website at www.teslin.ca

The Following Documents are available for your review on our website at:

https://www.teslin.ca/ocp or for a paper copy, please contact the VOT Office.

- ✓ Survey Results
- ✓ Background Report
- √ Food Security & Agriculture Report
- √ Housing & Affordable Housing Report
 - ✓ Community Spaces Report; and,
 - ✓ The Future of Teslin Report

The 2019 Draft OCP will be posted here shortly.

We would like to hear any comments or suggestions from the public on any of these documents.

Please note that the next round of OCP Community Consultations will be on December 9th at 2:00 pm at the RecPlex on Food Security, Agriculture, and Animals. There will also be an Open House at 2:00 pm on December 10th to review the DRAFT OCP; and, a Community Dinner will start at 5:30 pm on December 10th - all at the RecPlex and EVERYONE IS INVITED!

Please contact Shelley Hassard, CAO at the Village Office by email at shelley.hassard@teslin.ca or by calling 867 390 2530 or Brad Stoneman at 867 335 1723 or at stoneman@northwestel.net.

Thank you!

OFFICIAL COMMUNITY PLAN COMMUNITY CONSULTATION &

COMMUNITY DINNER

December 9, 2019 at 2:00pm Public Discussions at RecPlex

Food Security, Agriculture, and animals

- Number of Animals-Specific Proposals (Options)
- > Human- Wildlife conflict prevention
- Greenhouse information
- Explore other food security options



December 10, 2019 at 2:00pm Public Discussions at RecPlex

Open House & Drop in to Review OCP Reports and 1st Drafts

- Posters Highlighting key changes & Actions
- Implications for zoning
- Trail Planning

Community Dinner

December 10th 2019 at 5:30PM - 7:30PM at the RecPlex

- ▶ Presentation
- Paper Survey, with questions to be answered during presentation
- Door Prizes





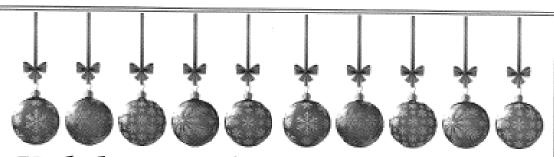
Don't miss the fun!

5:30pm: Doors Open

6:00pm: Dinner Starts

LIVE MUSIC! SANTA! DOOR PRIZES!

Open to those 55 years young and up!



Holiday Handgames Tournament in Teslin

- December 6th-8th, 2019
- Tommy Dewhurst Recreation Centre

One division: Adults & youth mixed

Entrance Fee: \$300/team

Registration due: Dec.6th by 5pm

Contact: Wilfred - 867-335-2494 or Dalyce - 332-0356 or dhuot55@hotmail.com

- Dinner provided Friday & Saturday
 - Concession breakfasts & lunches

Drug and Alcohol free event! Absolutely zero tolerance!

Thank-you to our sponsors: Village of Teslin and Teslin Tlingit Council















Notice of meeting date change

Please be advised that the

Regular Council Meeting
scheduled for

December 23rd has been rescheduled
to Monday December 16th

at 7:30 pm
in the Council Chambers

General Meeting Schedule: 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month, 7:30 PM at the VOT Council Chambers (if Monday is a holiday, the meeting will be held on Tuesday)

Posted Friday November 29, 2019



HOSTED BY
YUKON COLLEGE, TESLIN RCMP DETACHMENT, EMR & COSB, YESAB

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17 3:00 – 6:00 PM

TASTY SNACKS, TREATS & GOOD COMPANY!

LOCATED AT THE RECPLEX





All dogs must be licensed with the Village Of Teslin. There are two programs sponsored by YG & TTC/VOT to assist dog owners with the vet bill to have your dog spayed or neutered. Dogs running at large (off their property & not with the owner) will be picked up by the Village of Teslin. We only hold dogs in our pound for 3 business days after that the dog will be relocated or re-homed.

Pound Fees

Licensed Dog – First offense \$75.00

Unlicensed Dog- First offense \$100.00 plus the purchase of a license \$80.00

Cost of License

Not spayed or neutered - \$80.00

Spayed or neutered -FREE

Please Note

Citizens can catch & hold any dog that is running at large & turn the dog over to the Village Of Teslin For more information please contact the Village Of Teslin

Phone: 867-390-2530

Email: admin.teslin@teslin.ca





The administrator for the Yukon Recycling Club this year is Raven Recycling.

Registration for the 2019 Club will begin 11th of May 2019.

Points collection begins Saturday, 11th of May 2019 and ends Saturday, 9th of November 2019.

The points club is for 4 to 16. Schools, daycare and youth groups are eligible if the members are 4 to 16 years of age. Members must register each year and points cannot be carried over from year to year. Any points unused by the cutoff date





Volleyball

Every Tuesday 7-9pm at Teslin School! Come out and have some fun!



Just reminding you to let VOT know your volunteers and their hours so we can keep track for the volunteer of the year program!

Teslin's New Volunteer Recognition Program

Starting July 1st!

Big prizes to be awarded each year!

Track Hours within local groups

Coordinator for each group reports on hours

& activity to VOT Admin

In May of each year, the information gets sent to a Joint Council meeting for the decision making and on every July 1st we will announce the winner!

New Youth Center Hours Friday & Saturday 7-9pm







1 Time Visit (All ages) \$5

Youth/Senior (youth up to 18 years – seniors (55 +)

1 Month	\$15
3 Months	\$30
1 Year	\$120

Adult (18 – 54 years)

1 Month	\$30
3 Months	\$60
1 Year	\$240

Family

1 Month	\$45
3 Month	\$90
1 Year	\$360

All Youth must be accompanied by an adult and an experienced weight room user. Family rate includes up to 2 adults & 2 youth who live in the **same** household.

All users must complete an exercise room waiver before using the exercise room.



Gym Hours



Sunday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Monday 8:00 am - 9:00 pm

Tuesday 8:00 am - 9:00 pm

Wednesday 8:00 am - 9:00 pm

Thursday 8:00 am - 9:00 pm

Friday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Saturday - Closed



Reminder

The door code is changed monthly Memberships can be purchased at the Village office # 390-2530

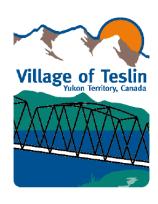






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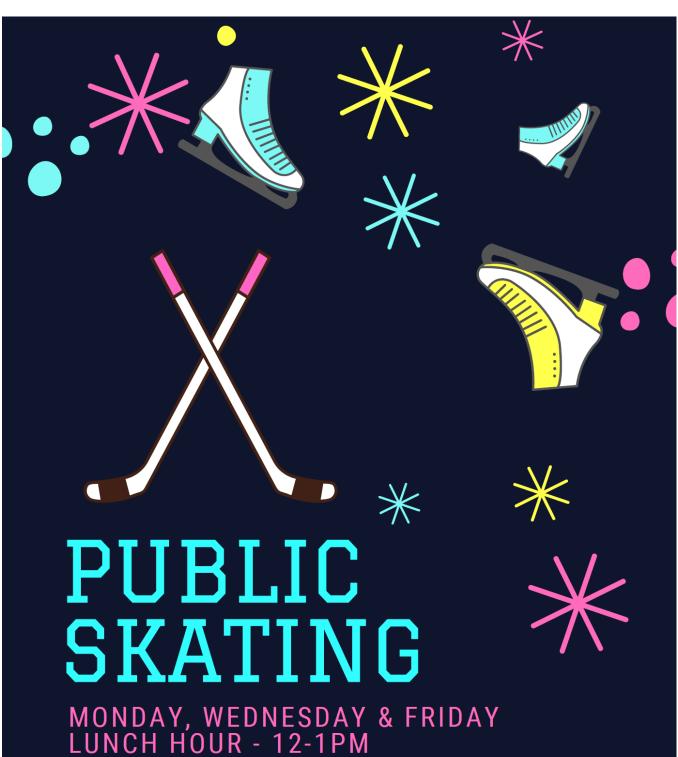




After School Sports Grade 1 to 5 Monday & Wednesday at the

Rec Center 3:30-5pm





TUESDAY & THURSDAY EVENINGS - 6-7PM

SATURDAY 4-7PM



TESLIN- FALL RECREATION

STAY TUNED FOR MORE SPECIAL EVENTS AND ELDERS PROGRAMS!!

ARCHERY & ARCTIC SPORT WITH YUKON ABORIGINAL SPORT CIRCLE

AGES 8+. Starts November 15.

FRIDAYS 3:30-5pm @ SCHOOL

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITY W\ PATTY

AGES 8+. Mix of games and activities. Snack provided

MON & WED 3:30-5pm @ REC PLEX

ADULT FITNESS

MON & WED 5:30-6:30pm @ MEZZANINE

BADMINTON

WEDNESDAYS 7-9pm @REC PLEX

BOYS CLUB W\JORDAN AGES 8+.

THURSDAYS 6-8:30pm @REC PLEX

ADULT VOLLEYBALL

SATURDAYS 7-9pm @ SCHOOL

YOGA W\ALICIA

THURSDAYS 5:15pm @ MEZZANINE

YOUTH CENTER DROP-IN AGES 8+.

THURS, FRI, SAT 7-9pm @ REC PLEX

PARENT & TOT PLAY

Age 6 and under with a parent

FRIDAY 6-7pm @ REC PLEX

PUBLIC SKATING

MON, WED, FRIDAY 12-1pm,

TUES, THURS 6-7pm, SATURDAY 4-7pm

HOCKEY

MINOR - MON & WED 7-8pm

MENS - TUES & THURS 7-9pm

WOMENS - SUNDAY 4pm

SPECIAL EVENTS

ARCHERY COACHING CLINIC

FREE course includes NCCP certification.

Times T.B.D. Please sign up at VOT Office

NOVEMBER 15, 16 & 17

KARAOKE NIGHT

NOVEMBER 22, 7pm @ REC PLEX

ELDERS CHRISTMAS DINNER

DECEMBER 4, 5-10pm @ REC PLEX

CHRISTMAS LIGHT CONTEST & HAY RIDE

& HAT KIDE

DECEMBER 11, 6pm



HOME ROUTES / CHEMIN CHEZ NOUS

13TH ANNUAL CONCERT SEASON - OCT '19 » MAY '20

YUKON, BC, NWT - AURORA TRAIL
Atlin, BC - Carmacks, YI - Dawson City, YI - Dease Lake, BC - Faro, YI inuvik, NT - Mayo, YT - Old Crow, YT - Teslin, YT - Whitehorse, YT



Guitar, songwriters

Home Base: Manitoba SHOW DATE, PLACE, TIME: George Johnston Museum Thursday October 17th, 7:30PM Folk/roots/singer-songwriter SHOW DATE, PLACE, TIME: 28 Sawmill Road Tues. November 12th, 7:30PM



Trad inspired original songs, fiddle tunes Home Base: BC SHOW DATE, PLACE, TIME: 28 Sawmill Road

Friday Jan. 31, 2020 7:30PM

Fiddle, Banjo, Folk, Old Time, Ozark Traditional

SHOW DATE, PLACE, TIME:

28 Sawmill Road Thursday Feb. 27, 2020, 7:30PM Home Base: Missouri



Warm-hearted blues, juke joint folk, and dockside soul Home Base: Ontario

SHOW DATE, PLACE, TIME: 28 Sawmill Road Friday, March 27, 2020 7:30PM



Bluegrass, Folk, Singer Songwriter SHOW DATE, PLACE, TIME:

Home Base: Ontario

28 Sawmill Road Saturday April 25, 2020 7:30PM

1-866-925-6889 WWW.HOMEROUTES.CA ATTEND@HOMEROUTES.CA



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BLACK FOREST CHRISTMAS FOOL

Ingredients

- 500ML Double Cream
- □ ½ Tsp Vanilla
- □ 1 Tbsp Icing Sugar
- 250G Christmas Cake or Rich Fruitcake
- □ 300g Jar of Black Cherries in kirsch, Drained, reserving the liquid for drizzling

Instructions

□Whisk the cream with the vanilla and icing

sugar until it just holds its shape.

Crumble the cake into six glasses, then top with a few cherries, a dollop of cream and a drizzle of the kirsch

Scatter over the chopped chocolate.

Check This List When You Want To Keep Coyotes, Wolves and Foxes Away From Your Back Door

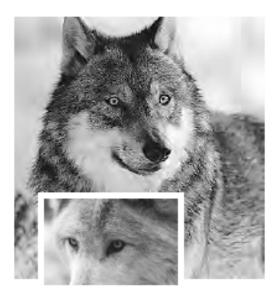
Feeding wild animals might seem like an act of kindness, but it is not. Feeding wildlife is illegal and usually ends in a death sentence for the animal. When foxes, coyotes and wolves become habituated to unnatural food sources they can lose their fear of humans.

A wild animal that has become conditioned this way can be a danger to itself and to the general public.

In some cases, wild animals that frequent residential areas can be live-trapped and relocated. But if the animal has become a nuisance to the extent that it kills domestic animals or threatens people, it must be destroyed.

What you can do:

- Don't feed or leave food out for foxes, coyotes or wolves.
- Don't attract wildlife with carelessly stored garbage and compost.
- Make sure your garbage and compost put out for pick-up are secure against scavengers.
- Keep meat and dairy products out of backyard compost systems, and ensure your compost is completely enclosed with a secure lid.
- Store pet food indoors or lock it up outdoors.



- Vaccinate your pets.
- Keep your pets indoors or safely tied in a well-lit and fenced yard.
- Prevent any interaction between your pets and wildlife – walk dogs on a leash all the time
- Do not touch the fecal waste of foxes, coyotes and wolves.
- Set an example for your children.
 Teach them how to behave around wild animals. If you or your child sees a wild animal that is threatening, be big, be loud and never run.
- Talk to your neighbours, educate them on the risks to the community and to wildlife associated with feeding foxes, coyotes, wolves and any wild animals.

If you see a fox, coyote or wolf acting aggressively, call 1-800-661-0525

If you suspect someone is feeding wildlife, call 1-800-661-0525.

We can all do our part to help keep the wild in wildlife.



Teslin Campus Employment Opportunity



Casual Administrative & Evening Support

The Teslin Campus is currently seeking people who may be interested in working as administrative and evening support on a casual, on-call basis. We are seeking people with the following skills and abilities:

- Ability to trouble-shoot technical issues with computers, internet, and audiovisual equipment.
- Excellent customer service skills and phone etiquette.
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills (verbal and written).
- · Well-organized, flexible, and reliable.
- Familiarity with distance education equipment is an asset





The purpose of this call is to establish a list of potential casual employees who can provide backup coverage for the campus in case of absence by permanent staff. Getting on the auxiliary on-call list does not guarantee employment.

This is an open call. There is no deadline for submissions

A cover letter and résumé are all that is required to apply. Please address your application to Gord Curran, Coordinator/Instructor, Teslin Campus.

Questions

If you have questions or want to submit your résumé, please contact the Teslin Campus at 390-8800 or gcurran@yukoncollege.yk.ca.

Teslin EMS



WE NEED YOU

Are you interested in giving back to your community?

Teslin EMS is looking for volunteers that are interested in having a big impact on the Community of Teslin and surrounding area.

We provide all Uniform & Safety items

Training is provide and paid for.

You would have the opportunity to work with a great group of people.

Right now our crew is very small and we cannot met the community needs, we have many days each month that we have NO coverage in Teslin

Don't wait until it is your family member that needs our service and has to wait a minimum of 2.5 hours for an ambulance to come out from Whitehorse.

GET INVOLVED NOW

If you are interested or have questions give me a call

Patty 334-3047 or 390-2101



Hello All from Teslin Public Library

We have some exciting things coming up at the Library and don't want you to miss out

STORY HOUR

Starting October 9th
3:30 to 5:15 every Tuesday & Thursday
For grades K5 to Gr 2

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Ladies Craft Night

Starting November 5th 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm



We will have a slight change to the library hours starting November 5th, these are our new hours.

> Monday 3:30pm to 9:00pm Tuesday 12:00pm to 5:30pm Wednesday 12:00pm to 5:30pm Thursday 9:30am to 3pm

For more information regarding any of our programming or if you have any ideas that you think would be good programming for us to consider please call

Kelly, Librarian at 390-2802 or Patty, Board Chair at 334-3047

This is your community library

so we want to provide services & programming that meets the needs of the community



Teslin Training Fund



Are you interested in taking training that will lead to employment and need funding?

The Teslin Training Fund is available to <u>all</u> Teslin area residents to support training that prepares community members for potential employment. The TTF provides funding for individuals or groups. More information is available at the VOT Municipal Office or Yukon College.

Applications are reviewed by a locally based committee and funding decisions are based on eligibility, merit and ability to meet fund criteria.



This is an ongoing intake—Applications are accepted at any time

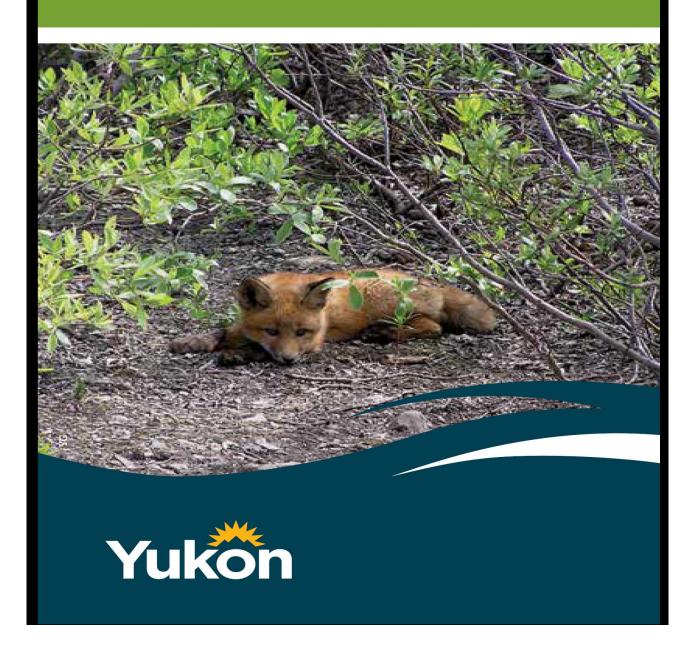
Application forms are available at the VOT Municipal Offices or Yukon College

Please submit your application to Shelley Hassard or Matthias Liniger at the VOT Municipal Offices.

Village of Teslin, PO Box 130, Teslin, YT (867) 390-2530



Living with FOXES





ATTENTION ALL TESLIN RESIDENTS

Teslin Landfill is now open every Wednesday, 12PM – 6PM, starting August 7, 2019

New Landfill Hours

Wednesdays 12 PM - 6 PM

Thursdays 12 PM - 6 PM

Fridays 12 PM - 6 PM

Saturdays 10 AM – 5 PM



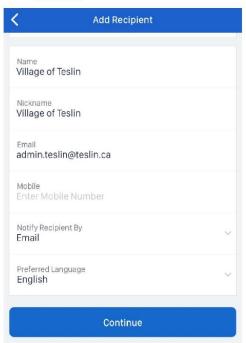
Closed - Sunday Monday Tuesday



The Village of Teslin is happy to announce that now you can easily use Interac e-Transfer to pay your bills.

It's simple to use, just add the Village of Teslin to your Interac e-Transfer recipient. Please see below for details:

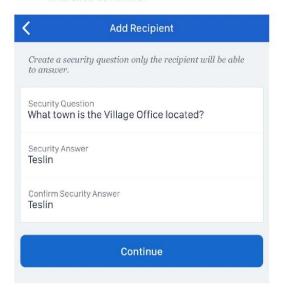
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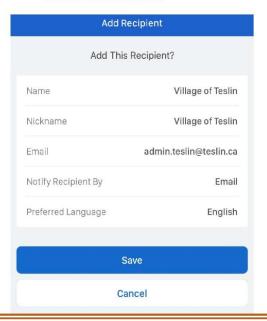
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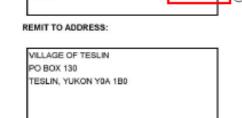
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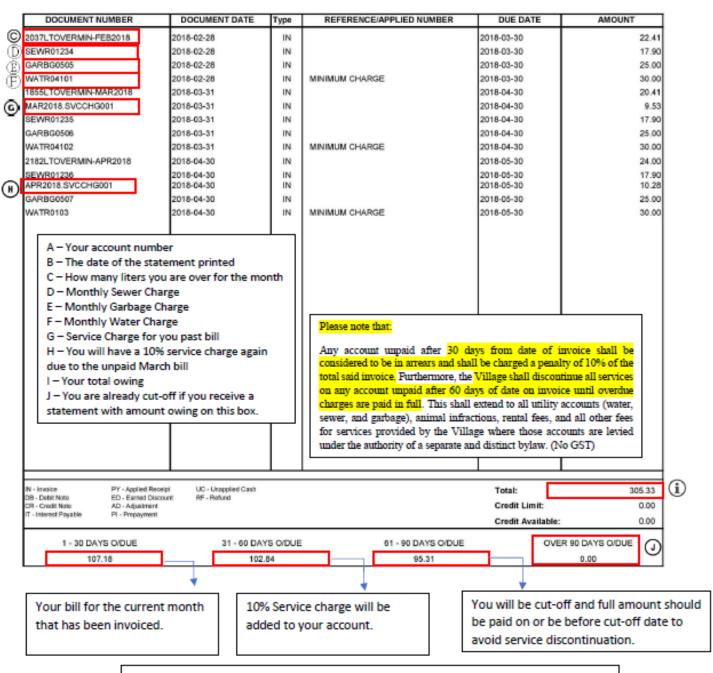
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MVOTVIL

2018-05-01



Pay your bill on time to avoid 10% service charges on your account.

There's A Job For Everyone



Teslin Volunteer Fire Department

is looking for

Volunteers

√ Fire Fighters

✓ Drivers

✓ Pump Control Operators

All training
is provided,
no prior
experience

is required!

As a Teslin volunteer Fire Fighter, you will earn:

- A variety of widely recognized training and certifications
- Honoraria for meetings and call outs
- Fire department SWAG as you complete training.

For more information, please contact James Smarch at 334-1243 or

ames Smarch at 334-1243 or Gillian Rourke at 334 -3380



"Teslin Volunteer Fire Department"

Teslin Volunteer Fire Department
TVFD Regular Meeting
is scheduled every

2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month at the
Village Fire bay.



Teslin EMS Meeting & Training is scheduled every 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month at the Ambulance Bay



EMERGENCYPHONE NUMBERS



Call 9-1-1 in an emergency

If you or someone else is hurt or in danger, phone 9-1-1 to get help from RCMP, the fire department or emergency medical services (EMS).

Call 9-1-1 when there is:

- a life-threatening emergency or medical situation
- a crime in progress
- a fire
- · a serious accident
- an exposure to, inhalation or swallowing of a poisonous substance

Do not call to test 911. It is working!

MEDICAL
EMERGENCY

FIRE (Teslin Volunteer Fire Department)

390 - 2222

AMBULANCE

(Teslin Health Center)

390 - 4444



POLICE (RCMP Teslin Detachment)

390 - 5555

Northwestel 1-888-423-2333

ATCO Yukon Electric 1-867-633-7000 Report fallen tree on wire 1-867-633-7039

Report wildfires 1-888-798-FIRE (3473)

EMO facts: TTC and VOT have a joint emergency plan.

Emergency plan working group is a group of Individuals from different agencies in Teslin working together to keep our community prepared in case of an emergency.



Thank you very much to all those who contributed to this month's issue, and special thanks to all those who shared their awesome photos.

To receive an electronic copy of the **Teslin Post** and/or if you would like to have something posted in the monthly issue, please email: teslince@teslin.ca or admin.teslin@teslin.ca

Any comments, suggestions, ideas, and photos are always welcome.

