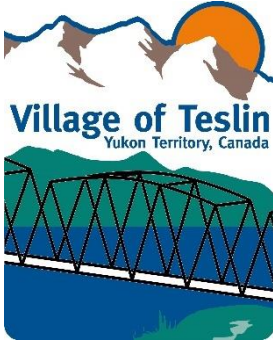


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The Village of  
*Teslin*



Gateway to the  
Southern  
Lakes



# Village of Teslin,

March 9, 2020  
Regular Council Meeting  
Minutes

## Meeting #05-20

Members Present: Mayor Gord Currna  
Councilor Clara Jules  
Councilor Denise Johnston  
Councilor Trevor Sallis  
Councilor Juanita Kremer

Member Absent: None

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 March 9, 2020.

**20-05-20**

Moved by Councilor C. Jules;  
Seconded by Councilor D. Johnston;

**BE IT RESOLVED that** Village Council adopted the Agenda for March 9, 2020, with the following addition:

#### **10.4 Covid-19 Discussion**

~carried~



### 2. Adoption of Minutes

2.1. Adoption of the Minutes for February 24, 2020 Minutes Enclosed.

**21-05-20**

Moved by Councilor C. Jules;  
Seconded by Councilor T Sallis;

**BE IT RESOLVED that** Village Council approved the minutes of February 24, 2020, as presented.

~carried~

### 3. Hearing of Delegations and Individuals

3.1. February 2020 RCMP Report  
Cpl. Jeff Myke verbally presented the February RCMP Report.

### 4. Reports and Recommendations of Boards Established by Council

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

5.1. February CAO Report  
Information

5.2. Rec Report Feb 2020  
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- Community Visit follow up  
Information

7.2. News Release - Yukon to End Seasonal Time Change  
Information

8. **Consideration of Items of Accounts Payable by Village**

8.1. February 2020 Accounts Payable

**22-05-20**

Moved by Councilor C. Jules;

Seconded by Councilor T. Sallis;

**BE IT RESOLVED that** Village Council approved the February 2020 Accounts Payable in the amount of \$247,461.70, as presented.

~carried~



9. **Introduction and Consideration of By-laws**

9.1. First and Second Reading of 2020 Property Tax Bylaw #20-241

**23-05-20**

Moved by Councilor C. Jules;

Seconded by Councilor T. Sallis;

**BE IT RESOLVED that** Village Council had a First and Second Reading of 2020 Property Tax Bylaw # 20-241.

~carried~

9.2. First and Second Reading of 2020 Operating & Capital budget Bylaw #20-242

**24-05-20**

Moved by Councilor C. Jules;

Seconded by Councilor T. Sallis;

**BE IT RESOLVED that** Village Council had the First and Second reading of 2020 Operating and Capital Budget Bylaw #20-242.

~carried~

9.3. First Reading of the Zoning bylaw #20-243

**25-05-20**

Moved by Councilor C. Jules;

Seconded by Councilor T. Sallis;

**BE IT RESOLVED that** Village Council had a First Reading of the Zoning Bylaw #20-243.

~carried~



## 10. New and Unfinished Business

### 10.1. AYC Update

Mayor Curran and Councilor Jules updated Council on the AYC meeting they attended in Faro at the end of February.

### 10.2. Animal Control Bylaw Review Contract

**26-05-20**

Moved by Councilor C. Jules;

Seconded by Councilor T. Sallis;

**BE IT RESOLVED that** Village Council award the Animal Control Bylaw Review & Rewrite Contract to Jennifer Clark Consulting.

~carried~

### 10.3. OCP Update - Council Report Zoning Bylaw Flood Elevation.

Village Council directed staff to reword section 40.1 of the draft zoning bylaw as follows:

Development on land susceptible to a 1:100 year flood, as outlined on the Zoning Map, is restricted to those portions of the lot which fall outside of the flood risk zone, unless the applicant can demonstrate an acceptable method of flood proofing the proposed development and complete the flood hazard waiver Schedule F.

Council also directed staff to seek further information and legal advice.

OCP Report to Council March 4, 2020

**27-05-20**

Moved by Councilor T. Sallis;

Seconded by Councilor C. Jules;

**BE IT RESOLVED that** Village Council directs staff and consultant to treat the graphic executive summary of the OCP as a stand-alone document, and notify the OCP (Schedule A of Bylaw 20-240) accordingly

**FURTHERMORE, that** Village Council directs staff and consultants to integrate the revised language regarding OCP jurisdiction into the OCP being considered at the public hearing on March 23. This change should be noted for the information of the public at the public meeting.



~carried~

10.4. Covid-19 Initial Discussion

Village of Teslin will add information on our website giving direction on where to get information on the virus.

11. **Question Period**

12. **Closed Session**

13. **Scheduled meetings and other important dates for Council**

13.1. Scheduled Meetings

14. **Adjournment**

Meeting Adjourned at 9:30PM

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Gord Curran, Mayor

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Shelley Hassard, CAO





# Village of Teslin,

March 23, 2020  
Regular Council Meeting  
Minutes

## Meeting #06-20

Members Present: Mayor Gord Curran  
Councilor Clara Jules  
Councilor Trevor Sallis  
Councilor Juanita Kremer  
Councilor Denise Johnston

Member Absent: None

Public Present: None

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

### 1. Adoption of Agenda

1.1. Adoption of the Agenda for March 23, 2020.

**28-06-20**

Moved by Councilor T Sallis;

Seconded by Councilor C Jules;

**BE IT RESOLVED that** Village Council Adopted the Agenda for March 23, 2020, with the following additions:

**7.3 Village of Teslin Policing Priorities 2020/2021;**

**10.4 April Community Steak Dinner;**

**10.5 Covid- 19 Update and Discussion;**

**10.6 Ongoing Council Meetings:**

~carried~

### 2. Adoption of Minutes

2.1. Adoption of the Minutes for March 9, 2020 Minutes Enclosed.

**29-06-20**

Moved by Councilor D Johnston;

Seconded by Councilor T Sallis;

**BE IT RESOLVED that** Village Council approved the Minutes of March 9, 2020, as presented.

~carried~

### 3. Hearing of Delegations and Individuals

### 4. Reports and Recommendations of Boards Established by Council



**BE IT RESOLVED that** Village Council approved the January 2020 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. Minister Steirker Response to AYC- Energy Retrofit Loan Program & Assessment & Taxation Act Information

7.2. DDC Industrial Land Development  
Mayor Curran will write a response to Deisleen Development Corporation.

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  
Mayor Curran updated Council on AYC activities and discussed the AYC agenda for the meeting in Faro on February 29, 2020.

10.2. OCP Update  
  
Public Hearing Advertising

**17-04-20**

Moved by Councilor C Jules;  
Seconded by Councilor T Sallis;

**BE IT RESOLVED that** Village Council will advertise the public hearing in the Yukon News and by posting notices in Teslin.

~carried~





## 10.3. Janitorial Contract Award

**18-04-20**

Moved by Councilor C Jules;

Seconded by Councilor T Sallis;

**BE IT RESOLVED that** Village Council award the Janitorial Contact to Jasmin Tabucon.

~carried~

## 10.4. Septic Services Opportunity Statement

The septic service opportunity statement will be available for the public.

## 10.5. Fire Hall Location

**19-04-20**

Moved by Councilor C Jules;

Seconded by Councilor T Sallis;

**BE IT RESOLVED that** Village Council gives direction to pursue lot # 10 & Lot # 12 on Fox Street for the future site of the New Fire Hall.

~carried~

**11. Question Period**

MLA Stacey Hassard asked Council if there were any issues that Village of Teslin would like him to bring forward during the Spring Legislature.

**12. Closed Session****13. Scheduled meetings and other important dates for Council**

13.1. Scheduled Meetings

**14. Adjournment**

Meeting Adjourned at 8:34 pm

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Gord Curran, Mayor

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Shelley Hassard, CAO



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

## **TESLIN ROADS**

All roads are in Spring driving conditions, please drive appropriately. We will be sweeping in the near future and then patching potholes.

## **SOLID WASTE FACILITY/RECYCLING**

The solid waste facility hours are as follows:

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday– Closed to public

Thursday and Friday – Noon to 6:00pm

Saturday – 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Beginning May 1<sup>st</sup> we will open all areas of our landfill, fee's will be charged though no cash will be accepted. If you have a municipal service account your landfill tipping fees will be charged to your account. If you do not have an account a payment slip will be provided to you at the landfill then you can stop by the Village office to pay.

This is a great time to remind people you can purchase a landfill punch card for \$20.00 at the Village office.

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



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**The recycling center remains closed and the blue bin recycling pickup program is suspended until further notice.**

There is a self-sort area at the recycling center if you would like to sort your own recycling. Refundable's can be self-sorted but no cash will be given.

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.

## **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.

We have noticed higher use of water since many residents are spending more time at home, please be patient

**Pump-out services are only available on Monday and Fridays, please call ahead to schedule the service.**



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## **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.



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**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**

Our recreation department is working hard to provide programming via electronic means. Posters with the schedule are around town. And check out recreations facebook page for updates.

## **PROJECTS**

### **OCP/Zoning Bylaw**

The OCP and Zoning bylaw have received the first reading by Council. The public hearing has been postponed due to COVID-19.



Prepared by:  
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Cole Hunking, Public Works Foreman

All OCP/Zoning bylaw documents are on our website: [www.teslin.ca](http://www.teslin.ca) or available in print at the Village of Teslin office.

## **New Firehall**

Early in May we will be doing geotechnical testing at our Fox Street property to determine if the ground is ideal for building the new firehall.

## **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.

Check the electronic sign or our website [www.teslin.ca](http://www.teslin.ca) regularly for updated notices and messages.

Shelley Hassard, CAO  
Cole Hunking, Public Works Foreman

## April 2020 Recreation Report

April was a bizarre month as recreation, along with the rest of the world, tried to contend with the COVID-19 related closures and restrictions. Like many others we have worked to shift as much programming as we can to be delivered online using Facebook and Zoom.

Adult Fitness continues on Mondays and Wednesdays at 5:30pm using zoom and we are now offering Kids Yoga on Thursdays. Ages 4-7 can log on to zoom for yoga at 10am and older kids at 10:45am on Thursdays. Kids Yoga is a fun way to add some physical activity into your days. Traditional yoga poses are incorporated in fun and engaging ways as we go on 'an adventure' with the kids each week.

We had great success with our Easter Craft Contest. We provided participants with baskets filled with random craft supplies and challenged them to come up with an Easter theme craft using only what was provided. We then posted all the pictures of the completed crafts to the Teslin Recreation Facebook page for a 'Peoples Choice' voting period over the Easter weekend. Hayden Jackson came up with a very creative basket creation which garnered the most votes to take home the \$75 Dollar Store Gift Certificate. An anonymous judge chose the craft made by Dylan and Jari Smarch to also take home a Dollar Store Gift Certificate.

We will be running a similar craft contest for Mothers Day at the beginning of May!

We have an ongoing 'Covidays Photo Contest' that challenges people to capture their best dressed pet, best work-from-home outfit, and best outdoor isolation photos and post them to the Facebook page or to Instagram using the #teslinCovidays. This is just a fun way to spread some smiles during these difficult times.

*News and Highlights  
from your  
Recreation Programmer*



-- Lindsay Johnston  
Rec Manager



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[Teslin Recreation](#)

# April 2020 Recreation Report

Starting in May, we will be teaming up with the Heart of Riverdale to offer Break Dance classes on Tuesdays. A session for kids 4-7 will run from 4-4:45pm (zoom ID: 846-3453-2099) and a second session for everyone else will start @ 5pm (zoom ID: 833-7539-8236).

Teslin Recreation will be starting **The 4 Week Challenge** on May 1. The 4 Week Challenge is a checklist of lifestyle guidelines to help you achieve physical and emotional well-being. The guidelines cover a broad spectrum of positive behaviours that reinforce good habits and act as daily reminders that the little things really do add up! We will be running it as a participation-based contest, just encouraging people to do their best. Regardless of checkmarks earned, if you make an effort to fill out the checklist you can send it in at the end of each week to be entered in to a draw for a gift card. If you submit your checklist each of the 4 weeks you will be entered in to the grand prize draw of a \$500 Air North Gift Certificate. The 4 Week Challenge is open to everyone and we have modified the checklist for kids and teens. Sign up by emailing [teslinrec@teslin.ca](mailto:teslinrec@teslin.ca) to receive your checklist each week.

Our Teslin Recreation Facebook page has really become a primary source of communication these days, so we encourage everyone to like and follow us in order to stay up to date on what's going on, and to receive zoom meeting codes for our virtual classes.

You can also Email [teslinrec@teslin.ca](mailto:teslinrec@teslin.ca) to sign up for things, should facebook not be your thing.

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-- Lindsay Johnston  
Rec Manager



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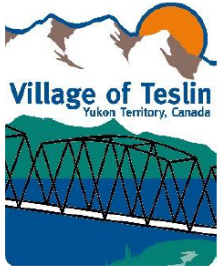
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# Message from the Mayor

## **COVID-19 Update from the Mayor** **April 28, 2020**

Before I start I would like to thank everyone who is doing their part as we deal with this unprecedented situation. We are seeing lots of examples of people doing the right thing and also stepping up to help others.

In response to the COVID-19 situation, and on the advice and direction of the Chief Medical Officer (CMO) and the Government of the Yukon, we continue to take measures to curb the spread of the virus. We are also asking members of the public to pay close attention to the guidelines for social distancing and self-isolation and orders from the CMO. We do see most people following these measures.

### **Municipal Services**

**The Village of Teslin continues to focus on maintaining essential municipal services, which include water treatment, water delivery, sewer system, and garbage disposal.** Garbage pickup continues as scheduled, and the solid waste transfer station (i.e. the dump) remains open. Sewer pump outs will only be available on Mondays and Fridays. All recycling pickup is suspended, but the self-serve recycling is open at the transfer station.

The municipal office remains open and maintains its standard hours. As part of social distancing measures, community members are asked to consider paying VOT bills by electronic transfer if possible. Our council meetings will also continue, but at the recplex with some members calling in.

We are working diligently to maintain these essential services while balancing community and staff safety. Please be respectful of our staff as they conduct their duties. We are monitoring the situation regularly, and it is evolving daily. The measures could change at any time based on new information.

I would like to thank the staff and council for working together on the measures.

### **Property Taxes**

To help ease the economic impact of COVID-19, the Government of Yukon and Yukon municipalities are giving Yukon residential and commercial property owners whose incomes are affected by COVID-19, the ability to pay their property taxes up to September 2 without penalty. Taxes are usually due on July 2 of every year.

Property taxes are a significant source of revenue for Yukon municipalities, which provide essential services like water treatment, water delivery, sewer system, and garbage disposal for their residents. This step is designed to provide relief to those community members who need it most.

## Social Distancing and Self-Isolation

One of the best ways to fight COVID-19 is through prevention through social distancing and self-isolation. *Monitoring your behaviour and those around you is very important.* There is lots of information available, but it is important to get facts from reliable sources. Below are some of the better sources of information for Canadians and Yukoners.

Public Health Canada

<https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/2019-novel-coronavirus-infection.html>

Yukon Government

<https://yukon.ca/en/information-about-novel-coronavirus-yukoners>

Yukon Chief Medical Officer of Health

<http://www.yukoncmoh.ca/>

We also ask that everyone be respectful of others as we work together to help curb the spread of the virus. Please be supportive of other organizations and businesses in the community as they put their measures in place. Please pay close attention to the measures and work with your friends and family to ensure that they are following them. Most people in the community are supporting the measures, but assist those who need help understanding the seriousness of the situation. Do so with patience and kindness. Help us keep our small northern community safe.

The Chief Medical Officer advises against ALL non-essential travel between ALL communities. The chances are good that unless you live here or have essential business here or in another community, you should be staying put right where you are at. The Village office is also maintaining a list of volunteers who are interested in helping if you need help or want to assist.

### **Teslin – the community that works together**

This is an extraordinary time of challenges and adjustments for everyone in the community. However, what is not unusual is this community working together. Whether it is our local businesses taking measures before they became recommendations, or community members calling neighbors, friends, elders and seniors, and family to check in on them to ensure they have everything they need. We are doing our best and have a resilient and strong community.

With the better weather, the lengthy disruption of our lives, or the lack of active cases, there may be a strong desire to let our guard down. However, relaxing our practices may cause us to get behind the curve. We are doing great, but we will get through this by patience, stamina, and mental support. Please be patient and demonstrate compassion with others who are doing their best to provide services, practice social distancing or self-isolation, or are feeling stressed. I know lots of Tesliners are quietly stepping up and helping their fellow community members. Please continue this practice, one that has existed in Teslin long before COVID-19.

Many, many thanks to all who are doing their part.

Gord Curran

Mayor of Teslin

# TESLIN RECREATION MAY HIGHLIGHTS

First 15 people to sign up

## MOTHERS DAY CRAFT CONTEST

COME UP WITH A MOTHERS DAY THEMED CRAFT USING ONLY WHAT IS PROVIDED IN YOUR BAG

Bags dropped off May 1  
Picture submission by May 8

**TUESDAYS**  
AGE 4-7 @ 4:00  
ZOOM ID: 846-3453-2099

**EVERYONE ELSE @ 5:00**  
ZOOM ID: 833-7539-8236

HEART OF RIVERDALE  
**BREAKDANCE CLASSES**  
on zoom

SPREAD SOME LOVE, HUMOUR AND CHEER!!

TESLIN REC

## Covidays Photo CONTEST

BEST DRESSED PET  
BEST WORK-FROM-HOME OUTFIT  
BEST OUTDOOR ISOLATION

UPLOAD PICTURES TO:  
FACEBOOK: TESLIN RECREATION  
(POST PIC AS A REPLY TO THIS AD)  
INSTAGRAM: #TESLINCOVIDAYS

FITNESS IS GOING ONLINE  
VIA ZOOM!!  
MONDAY & WEDNESDAY 5:30PM

## EXERCISE AND HAVE FUN

DIRECT MESSAGE US WITH YOUR EMAIL  
TO BE SENT THE CLASS INVITES

we want you to enjoy getting outside...but remember

RIGHT NOW  
**DISTANCE MAKES US STRONGER**

stay 6 feet apart #StopTheSpread

even on walks and bike rides  
or hangin with friends

## KIDS YOGA

THURSDAYS  
10-10:30AM

online using zoom  
send us your email to receive the link or  
watch for posts with the meeting ID

YOGA  
JUST FOR TEENS

THURSDAYS  
10:45AM

online using zoom

## Community GARDEN

**ADULT YOGA SUNDAYS @ 9AM**

**TESLIN REC INVITES YOU TO JOIN THE 4 WEEK CHALLENGE STARTING MAY 1**

4  
week  
challenge

**EARN POINTS BY COMPLETING ITEMS ON A DAILY CHECKLIST OF POSITIVE LIFESTYLE ACTIONS**

**SUBMIT YOUR CHECKLIST AT THE END OF EACH WEEK TO BE ENTERED INTO A WEEKLY PRIZE DRAW**

**4 COMPLETED WEEKS ENTERS YOU INTO THE GRAND PRIZE DRAW OF A \$500 AIR NORTH GIFT CERTIFICATE**

**OPEN TO ADULTS, TEENS AND KIDS-  
SIGN UP WITH TESLIN RECREATION TO RECEIVE YOUR CHECKLIST  
TESLINREC@TESLIN.CA**

**a daily reminder that the little things add up**

contact us  
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or join our  
facebook page for  
meeting codes



Teslin Tlingit Council



# COMMUNITY CLEAN-UP

## Tuesday, May 19-23, 2020

Clean up your yard and the ditch in front of your yard and please leave the bags on the road for the Village of Teslin to pick up. Please sort into metal/construction waste/electronics/burnable wood/household.

**FREE**  
**Dump**  
**Days**



**Garbage Bags and gloves will be available outside the Village Office during working hours.**

**May 21, 22, 23**  
**(Thurs/Fri/Sat)**

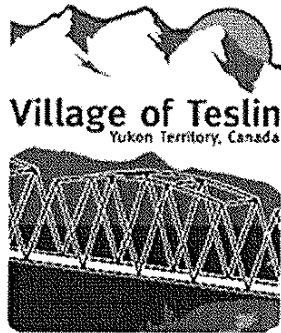
Teslin Solid Waste Facility will accept the following at no charge when you bring the items to the site during the free dump days:

- **Household garbage**
- **Cars** – No tires & fluids drained
- **Electronic waste**
- **Tires** – off the rim
- **Construction waste**
- **Batteries** (at VOT Shop)
- **Clean metal**





**Due to COVID-19 concerns, all our recreation buildings, including the exercise room are closed, until further notice.**



**Pump out  
service will  
only be  
available  
Mondays and  
Fridays until  
further notice.**

**TESLIN RECREATION  
INVITES YOU TO JOIN**

# **THE 4-WEEK CHALLENGE**

**a daily reminder that the little things add up**

**THE CHALLENGE STARTS MAY 1**

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**JOIN THE FACEBOOK PAGE  
"THE 4-WEEK CHALLENGE" FOR EXTRA  
INFORMATION AND HELPFUL HINTS**

**we want you to enjoy getting outside...but remember**

**RIGHT NOW**

**DISTANCE**

**MAKES US**

**STRONGER**

**stay 6 feet apart**

**#StopTheSpread**

**even on walks and bike rides**

**or hangin with friends**





# Mothers Day Blueberry Waffles

## Ingredients

- 1 cup all-purpose flour
- 1/2 cup whole wheat flour
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon Kosher Salt
- 1 large egg
- 4 tablespoons butter, melted (substitute coconut oil for dairy-free)
- 1 1/4 cups milk (substitute non-dairy milk for dairy-free)
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 2 tablespoons maple syrup
- 2/3 cup fresh or frozen blueberries

## Directions

- Preheat the waffle iron to the high heat setting.
- In a medium bowl, mix the all-purpose flour, whole wheat flour, baking powder, cinnamon, and kosher salt until thoroughly combined. In another bowl, whisk the egg. Then stir in the melted butter, milk, vanilla, and maple syrup. Pour the wet ingredients into the dry ingredients and mix gently until just combined. Stir in the blueberries.
- Immediately, add the batter into the center of the waffle iron and let it spread it to within 1/2-inch of the sides, then cook according to the waffle iron's instructions. Remove the cooked waffles and place them on a baking sheet without stacking. Make the waffles to order, or place cooked waffles in a 300°F oven to keep warm. Serve with Quick Blueberry Sauce. (As a note, these blueberry waffles stick to the waffle iron a bit more than a standard waffle, so make sure to clean it afterwards.)
- Cooked waffles can be frozen; place them in a plastic bag and remove the remaining air with a straw before sealing. To reheat, remove from the freezer and lightly toast in a toaster.



# BROWNIE TART

## Ingredients

- ✓ 6 Tbsp (3/4 stick) unsalted butter
- ✓ 3 ¼ cups (20 oz) semisweet chocolate chips
- ✓ 3 extra-large eggs
- ✓ 1 cup sugar
- ✓ 1 Tbsp instant coffee granules
- ✓ ½ tsp pure vanilla extract
- ✓ ½ cup all-purpose flour
- ✓ ¼ tsp baking powder
- ✓ ¼ tsp kosher salt
- ✓ 1 cup (4 oz) walnuts, chopped
- ✓ 2 - 3 Tbsp heavy cream

- ✓ Grease and flour a 9-inch tart pan with removable sides. Preheat the oven to 350°F.
- ✓ Melt the butter in a bowl set over simmering water. Add 2 cups of the chocolate chips, remove from the heat, and stir until the chocolate melts. Set aside to cool completely.
- ✓ In the bowl of an electric mixer fitted with the paddle attachment, beat the eggs, sugar, coffee, and vanilla on medium-high speed until light and fluffy, about 3 minutes. Stir in the cooled chocolate. In a medium bowl, combine the flour, baking powder, salt, 1 cup of the chocolate chips, and the walnuts. Fold the flour mixture into the batter until just combined. Pour into the pan and bake for 35 to 40 minutes, until the center is puffed (the top may crack). The inside will still be very soft. Cool to room temperature before removing the sides of the tart pan.
- ✓ Melt the remaining ¼ cup of chocolate chips with the heavy cream and drizzle on the tart.



**Teslin Recreation is still working to provide the community with things to do during the COVID-19 shutdown.**

**The Teslin Recreation Facebook Page will be a primary source of communication about what we have on the go....**

**Please follow us, so you don't miss out!!!**

VILLAGE OF TESLIN



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# CALL FOR COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS

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We are compiling a list of volunteers who would be able to help shop and deliver food and supplies to those who are unable to do so themselves right now.

PLEASE SIGN UP ON THE TESLIN RECREATION  
FACEBOOK PAGE OR  
CONTACT LINDSAY 250-688-6880  
IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP OR IF YOU ARE IN NEED  
OF THIS SERVICE.

SPREAD SOME LOVE, HUMOUR AND CHEER!!

TESLIN REC

# *Covidays Photo*

CONTEST

BEST DRESSED PET  
BEST WORK-FROM-HOME OUTFIT  
BEST OUTDOOR ISOLATION

UPLOAD PICTURES TO:  
FACEBOOK: TESLIN RECREATION  
(POST PIC AS A REPLY TO THIS AD)  
INSTAGRAM: #TESLINCOVIDAYS



# Mother's Day

Second Sunday of May



APPRECIATION  
BEAUTIFUL  
BREAKFAST  
CANDY  
CHARMING  
COMFORT  
DEVOTED  
FLOWERS  
FORGIVING  
GIFTS

GUIDANCE  
HUGS  
JEWELRY  
JOY  
KISSES  
LAUGHTER  
LOVE  
MATERNAL  
MOM  
MOTHER

NURTURE  
PERFUME  
PROTECTIVE  
SHARE  
TELEPHONE  
TENDER  
THE BEST  
WARM  
WISE



✓  
DDC  
ESTABLISHED

✓  
TESLIN ASSET  
MANAGEMENT  
PLAN

✓  
JOINT COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PLAN

✓  
REVIVING OUR  
ECONOMY

✓  
PROPOSAL TO  
REPLACE TESLIN  
BRIDGE

✓  
TESLIN ENERGY PLAN

✓  
TTC  
DEVELOPMENT  
PLANS

TESLIN BRIDGE

✓  
EMERGENCY  
RESPONSE  
PLAN

MORE  
HOUSING

CHARLES JULES  
SUBDIVISION

8 HOUSING UNITS FOR SENIORS

✓  
OVER  
\$40 MILLION  
LOCALLY MANAGED  
INFRASTRUCTURE  
UPGRADES



OCP  
2020

A REFERENCE DOCUMENT  
FOR VOT STAFF, RESIDENTS,  
REGIONAL PARTNERS AND  
ANYONE WHO WANTS TO  
KNOW ABOUT THE VISION OF  
THE COMMUNITY

WHAT HAPPENED IN TESLIN IN THE LAST  
**10 YEARS?**



WHAT WILL HAPPEN IN NEXT  
**10 YEARS?**

AN OCP REFLECTS WHAT A COMMUNITY WANTS  
TO SEE IN THEIR FUTURE

an OCP defines a  
**VISION**  
for community development

The OCP is guided  
and limited by  
the provisions of  
the Yukon  
Municipal Act

WHAT  
IS  
AN OCP?

HERE ARE OUR  
"MARCHING  
ORDERS"

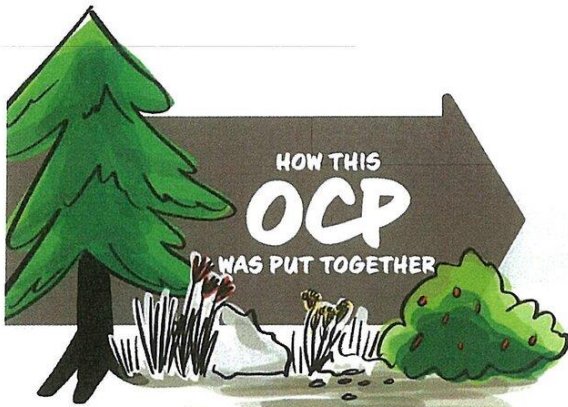
FOR  
VOT COUNCIL

GUIDING  
DOCUMENT

a Living  
Document  
that can be amended

- ✓ ZONING BY-LAW
- ✓ ANIMAL CONTROL BY-LAW
- ✓ DEVELOPMENT PERMITS
- ✓ PARTNERSHIPS
- ✓ OTHER TOOLS  
e.g. Rebates or Grant Funding

the OCP also guides and supports land use management



OPTIONS FOR VILLAGE OF TESLIN



DRAFT OCP SUBMITTED TO COUNCIL

2019 DEC

"WHAT'S NEW" DOCUMENT

REVIEWED WITH COMMUNITY

2019 DEC

CHANGES MADE ACCORDING TO COMMUNITY DIRECTION

PROPOSED OCP SUBMITTED TO COUNCIL

2020 FEB

APPROVAL

BY-LAW: 3rd READING

BY-LAW SENT TO YUKON MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS FOR REVIEW

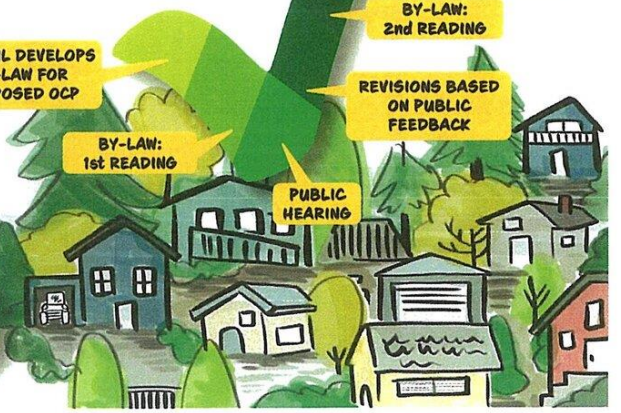
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REVISIONS BASED ON PUBLIC FEEDBACK

COUNCIL DEVELOPS BY-LAW FOR PROPOSED OCP

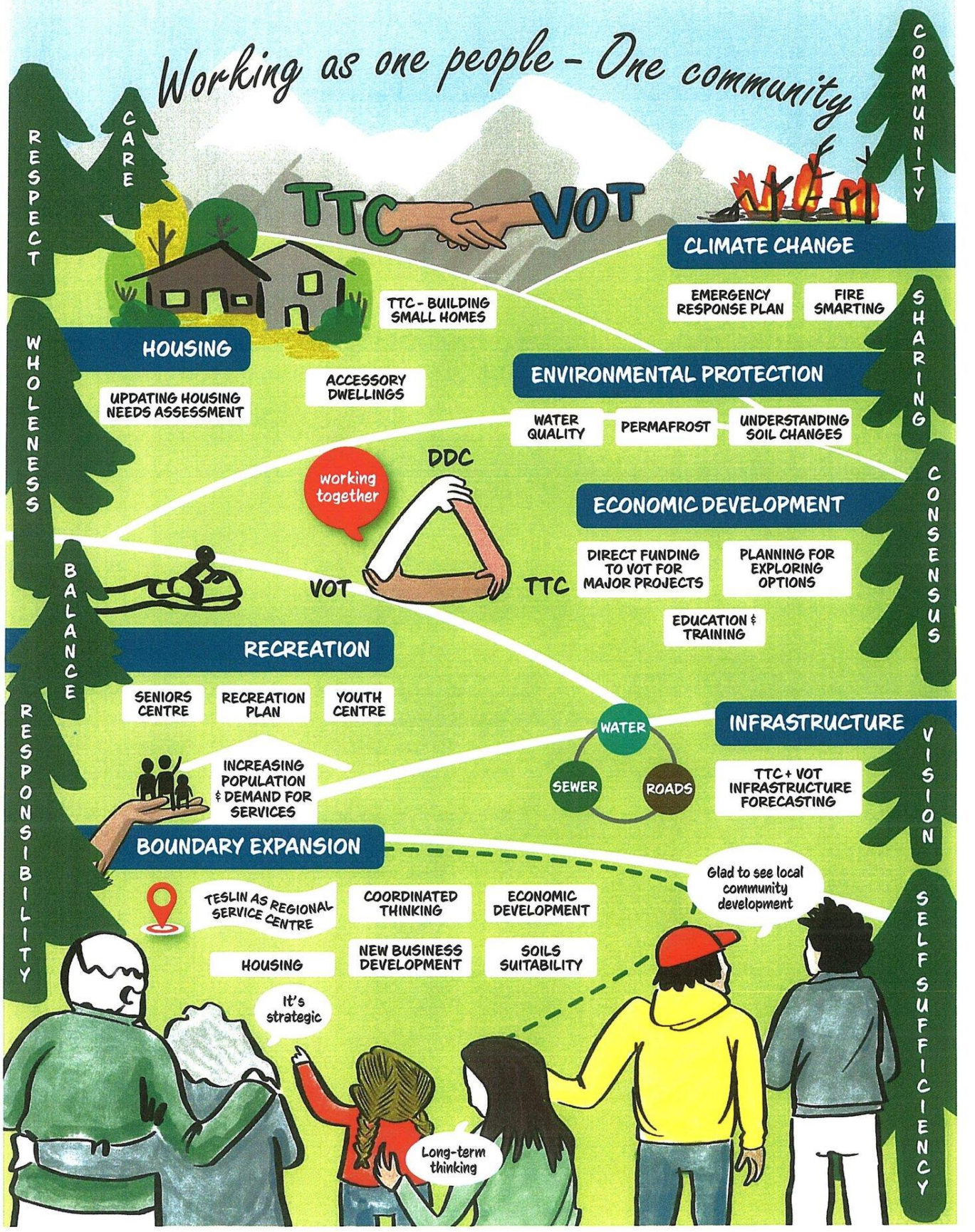
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PUBLIC HEARING





# Working as one people - One community



RESPECT

CARE

COMMUNITY

TTC VOT

## CLIMATE CHANGE

EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN FIRE SMARTING

## HOUSING

UPDATING HOUSING NEEDS ASSESSMENT

TTC - BUILDING SMALL HOMES

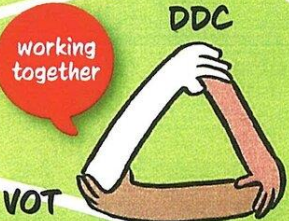
ACCESSORY DWELLINGS

## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

WATER QUALITY PERMAFROST UNDERSTANDING SOIL CHANGES

SHARING

WHOLENESS



## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

DIRECT FUNDING TO VOT FOR MAJOR PROJECTS PLANNING FOR EXPLORING OPTIONS

CONSENSUS

BALANCE

## RECREATION

SENIORS CENTRE RECREATION PLAN YOUTH CENTRE

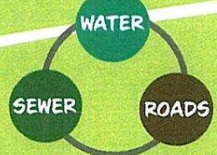
EDUCATION & TRAINING

RESPONSIBILITY

## BOUNDARY EXPANSION

INCREASING POPULATION & DEMAND FOR SERVICES

## INFRASTRUCTURE



TTC + VOT INFRASTRUCTURE FORECASTING

VISION



TESLIN AS REGIONAL SERVICE CENTRE

COORDINATED THINKING

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Glad to see local community development

HOUSING

NEW BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

SOILS SUITABILITY

It's strategic

Long-term thinking

SELF-SUFFICIENCY



*Mayor and council wish to thank the following people for their commitment and participation in the OCP Review Process*

THE SCHOOL AND DAYCARE FOR CATERING THE COMMUNITY DINNERS

ALL COMMUNITY MEMBERS WHO CONTRIBUTED TO THIS PROCESS

CLARA JULES FOR HER EXPERTLY CRAFTED FUR, HAT AND MITT DOOR PRIZES!

REPRESENTATIVES OF THE TESLIN TLINGIT COUNCIL

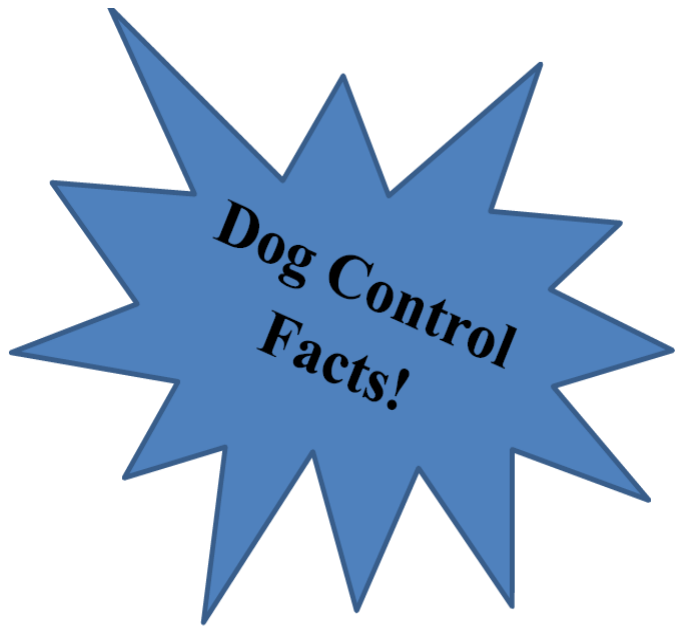
Thank You  
GÜNĀLCHĪSH

ALL REPRESENTATIVES OF THE YUKON GOVERNMENT WHO WERE PART OF THIS PROCESS

THE VILLAGE OF TESLIN IS LOCATED ON THE TRADITIONAL TERRITORY OF THE TESLIN TLINGIT PEOPLE

YOUTH AND ELDERS WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE PROCESS





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**

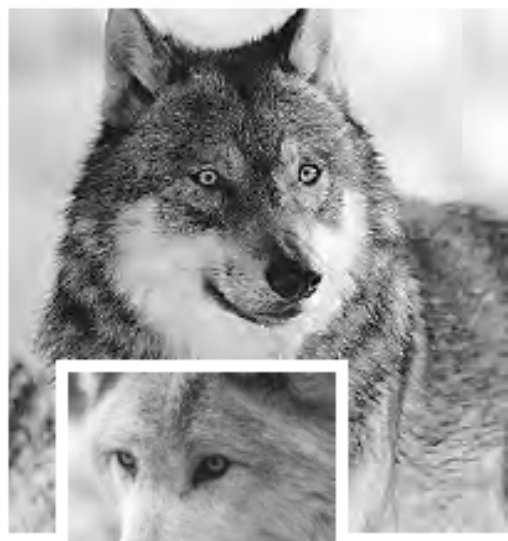
Citizens can catch & hold any dog that is running at large & turn the dog over to the Village Of Teslin

For more information please contact the Village Of Teslin

Phone: 867-390-2530

Email: [admin.teslin@teslin.ca](mailto:admin.teslin@teslin.ca)

# 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.**



**Yukon**  
Environment

# **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**



## Teslin Training Fund



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

The Teslin Training Fund is available to all 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.



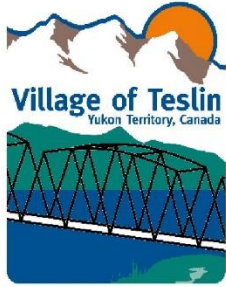
**This is an ongoing intake—Applications are accepted at any time**

**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





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:

- Add the Village of Teslin as a **Recipient** using the information on the screenshot below. Then click continue.

**Add Recipient**

Name  
Village of Teslin

Nickname  
Village of Teslin

Email  
admin.teslin@teslin.ca

Mobile  
Enter Mobile Number

Notify Recipient By  
Email

Preferred Language  
English

Continue

- Type in the security question and security answer using the information on the screenshot below and click continue.

**Add Recipient**

Create a security question only the recipient will be able to answer.

Security Question  
What town is the Village Office located?

Security Answer  
Teslin

Confirm Security Answer  
Teslin

Continue

- Verify if the information you put is correct then click save.

**Add Recipient**

Add This Recipient?

Name  
Village of Teslin

Nickname  
Village of Teslin

Email  
admin.teslin@teslin.ca

Notify Recipient By  
Email

Preferred Language  
English

Save

Cancel

• On the message on the recipient section please type in your account number. It's located on the upper right corner of your statement.



# Understanding your Statement

## VILLAGE OF TESLIN

PO BOX 130  
TESLIN, YUKON Y0A 1B0

## STATEMENT



CUSTOMER NO.:	MVOTVIL (A)
PAGE:	1
DATE:	2018-05-01 (B)

**SOLD TO:** VILLAGE OF TESLIN  
BOX 130  
TESLIN, YUKON Y0A1B0

### REMIT TO ADDRESS:

VILLAGE OF TESLIN PO BOX 130 TESLIN, YUKON Y0A 1B0
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DOCUMENT NUMBER	DOCUMENT DATE	Type	REFERENCE/APPLIED NUMBER	DUE DATE	AMOUNT
(C) 2037LTOVERMIN-FEB2018	2018-02-28	IN		2018-03-30	22.41
(D) SEWR01234	2018-02-28	IN		2018-03-30	17.90
(E) GARBG0505	2018-02-28	IN		2018-03-30	25.00
(F) WATR04101	2018-02-28	IN	MINIMUM CHARGE	2018-03-30	30.00
1855LTOVERMIN-MAR2018	2018-03-31	IN		2018-04-30	20.41
(G) MAR2018.SVCCHG001	2018-03-31	IN		2018-04-30	9.53
SEWR01235	2018-03-31	IN		2018-04-30	17.90
GARBG0506	2018-03-31	IN		2018-04-30	25.00
WATR04102	2018-03-31	IN	MINIMUM CHARGE	2018-04-30	30.00
2182LTOVERMIN-APR2018	2018-04-30	IN		2018-05-30	24.00
SEWR01236	2018-04-30	IN		2018-05-30	17.90
(H) APR2018.SVCCHG001	2018-04-30	IN		2018-05-30	10.28
GARBG0507	2018-04-30	IN		2018-05-30	25.00
WATR0103	2018-04-30	IN	MINIMUM CHARGE	2018-05-30	30.00

- A – Your account number
- B – The date of the statement printed
- C – How many liters you are over for the month
- D – Monthly Sewer Charge
- E – Monthly Garbage Charge
- F – Monthly Water Charge
- G – Service Charge for you past bill
- H – You will have a 10% service charge again due to the unpaid March bill
- I – Your total owing
- J – You are already cut-off if you receive a statement with amount owing on this box.

### Please note that:

Any account unpaid after 30 days from date of invoice shall be considered to be in arrears and shall be charged a penalty of 10% of the total said invoice. Furthermore, the Village shall discontinue all services on any account unpaid after 60 days of date on invoice until overdue charges are paid in full. This shall extend to all utility accounts (water, sewer, and garbage), animal infractions, rental fees, and all other fees for services provided by the Village where those accounts are levied under the authority of a separate and distinct bylaw. (No GST)

N - Invoice	PI - Applied Receipt	UC - Unapplied Cash	<b>Total:</b>	305.33 (I)
DB - Debit Note	ED - Earned Discount	RF - Refund	<b>Credit Limit:</b>	0.00
CR - Credit Note	AD - Adjustment		<b>Credit Available:</b>	0.00
IT - Interest Payable	PI - Prepayment			

1 - 30 DAYS O/DUE	31 - 60 DAYS O/DUE	61 - 90 DAYS O/DUE	OVER 90 DAYS O/DUE (J)
107.18	102.84	95.31	0.00

Your bill for the current month that has been invoiced.

10% Service charge will be added to your account.

You will be cut-off and full amount should be paid on or before cut-off date to avoid service discontinuation.

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

Gillian Rourke at 334-3380



"Teslin Volunteer Fire Department"

Make a difference



Join us - Volunteer!  
Your EMS team needs your help



With Yukon EMS you will

- Challenge yourself
- Meet new people
- Serve your community; be a leader
- Learn valuable skills (like lifesaving first aid)
- Earn some money (when on active duty and on call)
- Most of all, you will make a real difference helping sick and injured patients

DO MORE THAN YOU  
IMAGINED POSSIBLE!

[www.community.gov.yk.ca](http://www.community.gov.yk.ca)

Contact your local EMS supervisor:

Patty Wiseman  
390-2101 or 334-3047

Teslin Volunteer Fire Department  
TVFD Regular Meeting  
is scheduled every  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month at the  
Village Fire bay.

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



Gord Curran Photography



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# EMERGENCY PHONE 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!



### **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  
Report fallen tree on wire

1-867-633-7000  
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: [teslinrec@teslin.ca](mailto:teslinrec@teslin.ca) or [admin.teslin@teslin.ca](mailto:admin.teslin@teslin.ca)

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

