



Public Meetings are Being Held to Shape the Future Electoral Map of Yukon

Public meetings are scheduled in communities across the territory to hear Yukoners' views on the interim proposals of the 2017/2018 Electoral District Boundaries Commission.

Public meetings will be held on:

- **Thursday, February 8, 2018 in**
 - **Teslin: Rec Plex (Recreation Room) from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm**
 - **Marsh Lake: Community Centre from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm**

- **Friday, February 9, 2018 in**
 - **Carcross: Ghùch Tlâ Community School (Cafeteria) from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm**
 - **Tagish: Community Centre from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm**

- **Monday, February 12, 2018 in**
 - **Mount Lorne: Community Centre from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm**
 - **Whitehorse: Porter Creek Secondary School (Cafeteria) from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm**

- **Thursday, March 8, 2018 in**
 - **Pelly Crossing: Eliza Van Bibber School (Library) from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm**
 - **Mayo: Community Hall from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm**

- **Friday, March 9, 2018 in**
 - **Carmacks: Tantalus School (Round Room) from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm**
 - **Faro: Recreation Centre (Sportsman's Lounge) from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm**

- **Saturday, March 10, 2018 in**
 - **Ross River: Ross River School (Gathering Room) from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm**
 - **Watson Lake: Recreation Centre (Curling Lounge) from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm**

Commission Chair, Justice Ron Veale, emphasized that public input plays an essential role in shaping the future electoral map. "The Commission needs to hear from communities throughout Yukon to ensure that final proposals for future electoral district boundaries will maintain effective representation for all Yukoners. Everyone is encouraged to review the proposed boundaries and share comments on the interim proposals."

Comments on the proposed boundaries may be shared in writing or in person at a public meeting. Everyone wishing to share their views at a February public meeting is invited to contact the Commission's office by February 1, 2018 to be added to the list of presenters.

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All public input received by March 10, 2018 will be considered by the Commission in preparing its final recommendations, which will be submitted to the Legislative Assembly by April 20, 2018.

Electoral district boundaries proposed by the Commission will be considered by the Legislative Assembly and, once enacted, will be in place for the next two general elections. These boundaries will determine the communities represented by Members of the Legislative Assembly.

The report containing interim proposals was released on November 20, 2017 and is available on the Commission's website (yukonboundaries.ca/reports.html). Print copies are available from the Commission's office.

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