

LEGISLATIVE RETURN



SUBMITTED BY: Hon. Jen Gehmair, Minister of Tourism and Culture

1. On December 16, 2025, Debra-Leigh Reti, Member for Vuntut Gwitchin
 - asked the following question during the Oral Question Period at page(s) of *Hansard*
 - submitted the following written question – WQ No. #
 - gave notice of the following motion for the production of papers – MPP No. #

RE: Old Crow arts, culture and tourism funding - Is the department working with any organizations, business owners, or the Vuntut Gwitchin First Nation in Old Crow for any of the funds in the department, whether for arts and culture or for tourism?

OR

2. This legislative return relates to a matter outstanding from discussion with [MLA] on dec 16, 2025 related to:
 - Bill No. 200 Second Reading Third Reading
 - Committee of the Whole: Vote 54 Tourism and Culture
 - Motion No. # RE: Old Crow funding
 - at page(s) 158 of *Hansard*.

The response is as follows:

Funding from the department of Tourism and Culture for Old Crow – 2024/25

Contracts:

Unit	Vendor	Activity	Amount Paid in 2024/25	Notes
Heritage – Palaeontology	VGFN Heritage office	2024 Yukon Palaeontology field survey	\$7,886.70	

Transfer Payments:

Unit	Recipient	Project	Funding Paid in 2024/25	Notes
Historic Sites	VGFN	Rampart and Lapierre House Conservation and Maintenance	\$120,000	
Arts – Indigenous Artists and Cultural Carriers Micro Grant	2 recipients	Arts projects	\$ 6 000	
Heritage – FN Cultural Centres (MCP)	VGFN	Operational funding for John Tizya Centre	\$57,732	
Destination Development – CTDD	Josie’s Old Crow Adventures	CTDD Tier 2 – Expanding Summer Experiences in Old Crow	\$8,906.93	total agreement value \$30,000, remainder is in 2025/26

Dec 18, 2025
Date


Signature