



Yukon Legislative Assembly

Standing Committee on Public Accounts

36th Yukon Legislative Assembly

MINUTES

Meeting No. 2

Tuesday, February 3, 2026

Committee Meeting Room, Yukon Legislative Assembly, Whitehorse

The Standing Committee on Public Accounts met in camera this day at 12:59 p.m., the Chair, Kate White, presiding.

Members present: Kate White, Chair,
Patti McLeod
Doris Anderson
Tyler Porter
Adam Gerle
Justin Ziegler
Linda Moen

Members absent: Debra-Leigh Reti

Also present: Logan Ockenden, Clerk to the Committee
Officials from the Office of the Auditor General of Canada (by
videoconference):
Lana Dar
Michelle Spence

Approval of Agenda

It was agreed, on motion of Patti McLeod,
THAT the agenda for Meeting No. 2 of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts
be adopted as presented

Approval of Minutes of Meeting No. 1 (January 7, 2026)

It was agreed, on motion of Adam Gerle,
THAT the minutes of Meeting No. 1 (January 7, 2026) of the Standing Committee
on Public Accounts be adopted as presented.

Public Hearing on the Yukon Public Accounts 2024-25

Pursuant to Standing Order 45(3), the Standing Committee on Public Accounts
considered the Public Accounts.

It was agreed, on motion of Linda Moen,
THAT Lana Dar and Michelle Spence from the Office of the Auditor General of Canada, appear by videoconference before the Standing Committee on Public Accounts today, February 3, 2026 to brief the committee on matters related to the Yukon Public Accounts.

The committee met with the officials from the Office of the Auditor General of Canada via videoconference. Lana Dar and Michelle Spence answered questions from committee members.

The officials from the Office of the Auditor General of Canada were excused from the meeting at 2:05 p.m.

The committee reviewed and edited draft questions for the public hearing on the Yukon Public Accounts 2024-25. The committee tasked the committee clerk with amending the list of question and agreed to approve minor editorial changes by email by Friday, February 6, 2026, at 10 a.m. The committee agreed to provide the approved final list of questions to the Department of Finance.

The committee considered the logistics for the public hearing. It was agreed that the hearing be held in person in the Chamber with witnesses from the Office of the Auditor General and the Department of Finance.

It was agreed, on motion of Tyler Porter,
THAT the Standing Committee on Public Accounts hold the public hearing on the Yukon Public Accounts 2024-25 on Tuesday, February 17, 2026, at 1:00 p.m.

It was further agreed, on motion of Tyler Porter,
THAT officials from the Office of the Auditor General of Canada be invited to meet in camera with the committee at 2:00p.m. on Monday, February 16, 2026.

Training sessions with the Office of the Auditor General of Canada and the Canadian Audit and Accountability Foundation

The committee discussed the offers from the Office of the Auditor General of Canada and the Canadian Audit and Accountability Foundation for a training session on best practices for public accounts committees.

The committee agreed to hold the training session with the Canadian Audit and Accountability Foundation on February 12, 2026, at 10:30 a.m.

Update from the Department of Highways and Public Works on the *Ninth Report – Procurement and Contracting of the 35th Legislative Assembly.*

The committee discussed the update report that was sent from the Department of Highways and Public Works.

Further discussion was deferred to a future meeting.

Next Meeting

The committee agreed to next meet on Thursday February 12, 2026 at 10:30 a.m.

At 2:35 p.m. the committee adjourned.

Logan Ockenden
Clerk to the Committee