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MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Ms. White (Motion #11)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with all governments, including First Nations governments, as well as non-profit and private housing providers to develop a Yukon Housing Strategy and policy framework that will:

- (1) include all Yukon communities,
- (2) have performance and risk-management measures,
- (3) be comprehensive, innovative, practical and achievable,
- (4) increase the housing supply,
- (5) improve housing affordability; and
- (6) support individuals and families in greatest housing need.

2. Ms. Hanson (Motion #65)

THAT this House establish a Select Committee on Democratic Reform to meaningfully consult Yukoners during the spring and summer of 2012 for the purpose of receiving views and opinions of Yukoners and interest groups on means of improving our democracy, including, but not limited to:

- (1) reviewing electoral processes and amendments to the *Elections Act*,
- (2) consideration of fixed election dates,
- (3) consideration of proportional representation;

THAT the membership of the Committee be comprised of equal representation from the Government caucus, the Official Opposition caucus and the Third Party caucus to be determined by the Premier, the Leader of the Official Opposition and the Leader of the Third Party,

THAT the Select Committee on Democratic Reform report to the House its findings and recommendations no later than the 2013 Spring Sitting of the Legislative Assembly,

THAT the Committee have the power to call persons, papers and records and to sit during intersessional periods; and

THAT the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly be responsible for providing the necessary support services to the Committee.

3. Mr. Silver (Motion #22)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to live up to commitments made during the 2011 election campaign and build a new recreation centre in Dawson City.

4. Mr. Silver (Motion #19)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with health professionals and key stakeholders in Dawson City to transition the Dawson City Hospital into a collaborative primary healthcare facility that supports community nurses and meets the needs of the community.

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Hon. Mr. Cathers (Motion #25)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to support development of the agriculture sector with actions including:

- (1) working with farmers and industry associations including Yukon Agriculture Association and the Grower’s of Organic Food Yukon to implement the Agriculture Multi-Year Development Plan,
- (2) developing a “Yukon-Grown Food Policy” aimed at significantly increasing the production and use of locally-grown vegetables, meat and food products,
- (3) supporting the development of agriculture infrastructure that improves food security, facilitates access to market, and encourages local production of food,
- (4) supporting the development of local markets for Yukon agriculture products through measures including increasing the annual funding for the Fireweed Community Market; and
- (5) working with Yukon farmers to conduct agricultural research.

BILLS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS

(Second Reading)

- 1. Bill #1 - Act to Perpetuate a Certain Ancient Right
- Ms. McLeod
- 2. Bill #101 - Disclosure Protection Act
- Mr. Elias

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

1. Bill #3 - Second Appropriation Act, 2011 - 12
-Hon. Mr. Pasloski
2. Bill #2 - Fourth Appropriation Act, 2010 - 11
-Hon. Mr. Pasloski

NOTICE PAPER

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Hon. Mr. Nixon (Motion #67)

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly, pursuant to section 22(2) of the *Human Rights Act*, appoint Elaine Cairns, Michael Dougherty, Barbara Evans, and Suzanne Tremblay to be members of the Yukon Human Rights Panel of Adjudicators for a term of three years.

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Ms. McLeod (Motion #66)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to continue to explore options to utilize technology to make more government services available online, and to improve existing services.

2. Mr. Silver (Motion #68)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work co-operatively with all Members of the Legislative Assembly by establishing a formal process for making appointments to the Human Rights Panel of Adjudicators instead of using the current practice which sees members of the opposition given 3 hours notice before appointments are to be debated.

3. Mr. Silver (Motion #69)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to hold circuit court in person, instead of by phone, whenever possible, in rural communities.

4. Ms. White (Motion #70)

THAT it is the opinion of this House that, in abandoning the Kyoto Protocol, the Government of Canada is undermining the advancement of climate change actions required under national and international law.

5. Mr. Tredger (Motion #71)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to work with the Government of Canada, the transportation sector, and the public to increase the safety of Yukon's increasingly busy highways with regards to the transportation of dangerous goods by:

- (1) increasing monitoring, inspections, enforcement and compliance of the transportation of dangerous goods,
- (2) designation of dangerous goods routes,
- (3) development of appropriate by-pass routes for the transportation of dangerous goods,
- (4) increased training and resources for volunteer fire departments and ambulance services,
- (5) development of emergency plans and exercises with volunteer fire departments, RCMP, environmental protection officials and ambulance services; and
- (6) education of the public about the types, regularity and routes of dangerous goods in the Yukon.