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1. Mr. Tredger (Motion #275)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to:

- (1) implement an immediate moratorium,
- (2) conduct a full and rigorous scientific review; and
- (3) conduct a public consultation, on the effects and desirability of hydraulic fracturing, also known as "fracking", before any regulatory approvals or permitting is allowed in Yukon.

Adjourned debate: Mr. Tredger

2. Mr. Silver (Motion #247)

That this House urges the Minister of Education to adopt the JJ Van Bibber memoir; <u>I was born under a spruce tree</u>, as part of Yukon's education curriculum.

3. Mr. Tredger (Motion #109)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to follow the example of our neighbours in Alaska by compiling:

- (1) detailed annual statistical reports on the mineral resources sector; and
- (2) a mine-by-mine breakdown listing relevant information including, but not limited to:
 - (a) royalties paid and the value of deductions,
 - (b) resident Yukoners employed and filing income taxes in the territory,
 - (c) non-residents employed, including Temporary Foreign Workers,

- (d) corporate income tax paid to the Government of Yukon.
- (e) contributions to community development,
- (f) Government of Yukon expenditures related to infrastructure, regulating and monitoring, and other matters; and
- (g) the value of security for remediation.
- 4. Mr. Elias (Motion #255)

THAT this House urges the Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources to, as soon as practicable, conduct a series of open public discussions on the issue of hydraulic fracturing in the territory as part of the Yukon Government's formulation of oil and gas legislation and regulations.

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Hon. Mr. Dixon (Motion #119)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to develop and implement a Yukon Water Strategy that will help provide long-term direction for economically and environmentally responsible development, management, and use of water in Yukon and establish principles to guide future decision making.

2. Hon. Mr. Cathers (Motion #211)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to continue to:

- (1) respect the fact that there are many hundreds of families in Yukon that depend upon mineral exploration in order to make their mortgage payments, feed themselves, and ensure a proper education and a bright future for their children; and
- (2) support responsible mineral exploration and responsible mining as key elements of a strong, diversified Yukon economy.
- 3. Hon. Mr. Dixon (Motion #212)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to continue to work with industry, First Nations, and non-governmental organizations to:

- (1) attract investment to Yukon; and
- (2) encourage the development of responsible economic projects.
- 4. Hon. Mr. Kent (Motion #213)

That this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with Yukon College, the Yukon Mine Training Association, and the mining and exploration industries to train and develop a skilled work force made up of Yukon residents to meet the current and future needs of the mining and resource sectors.

5. Hon. Mr. Cathers (Motion #215)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to continue to work with the Yukon Water Board and the Yukon Environmental and Socio-economic Assessment Board to improve Yukon's assessment and regulatory processes.

6. Hon. Mr. Pasloski (Motion #216)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to preserve and maintain the Free Entry System of mineral allocation in Yukon.

7. Hon. Mr. Nixon (Motion #219)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to continue to work with Public Safety Canada and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police to:

- (1) implement the new twenty-year agreement with the Government of Canada for the provision of police services,
- (2) support the RCMP in the provision of a professional, effective and efficient territorial police service that is responsive to the needs of all Yukon communities,
- (3) address street crime; and
- (4) implement the recommendations of the Sharing Common Ground report.
- 8. Hon. Mr. Dixon (Motion #241)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to implement the 2012 Aishihik Bison Herd Management Plan, which includes allowing a Fall hunt in selected areas, reducing the cost of the seal from fifty dollars to ten dollars, and maintaining hunting as the primary management tool.

9. Hon. Mr. Kent (Motion #242)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to implement initiatives that will enhance the safety of oil-fired appliances, including regulatory and/or legislative changes, public awareness and training initiatives for industry, based on the report of the Oil-Fired Appliance Working Group and input received from Yukon citizens, municipal and First Nation governments, industry and other interested groups during the community tour that took place in September and early October 2012.

GOVERNMENT BILLS

(Second Reading)

- 1. Bill #47 Act to Amend the Retirement Plan Beneficiaries Act -Hon. Mr. Kent
- 2. Bill #51 Residential Landlord and Tenant Act -Hon. Ms. Taylor
- 3. Bill #49 Act to Amend the Oil and Gas Act, 2012 -Hon. Mr. Cathers
- 4. Bill #48 Act to Amend the Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act -Hon. Mr. Istchenko

(Third Reading)

Bill #46 - Act to Amend the Income Tax Act
 -Hon, Mr. Pasloski

- 2. Bill #50 Statute Law Amendment (Nurse Practitioners) Act -Hon. Mr. Graham
- 3. Bill #44 Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment Act, 2012 -Hon. Mr. Kent
- 4. Bill #43 Act to Amend the Securities Act Hon. Ms. Taylor

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 #7 - Second Appropriation Act, 2012-13 - Hon. Mr. Pasloski

NOTICE PAPER

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Mr. Barr (Motion #300)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to build on the substantive work and good faith efforts by First Nations, non-government organizations, Yukon citizens, and Yukon Government departments and agencies to develop a comprehensive addictions treatment strategy that includes:

- (1) training personnel to meet national standards of treatment and current practices,
- (2) ensuring that prevention and innovative after-care components are essential parts of all centres and programs,
- (3) adequately financing land-based centres and programs,
- (4) allowing flexible long-term programs beyond 28 days; and
- (5) treatment programs specifically for children, youth, seniors, and families.

2. Mr. Silver (Motion #301)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to cut brush along the section of the North Klondike Highway between Fisherville and Hunker Road to improve visibility and address safety concerns raised by community members.