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**PRAYERS**

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**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

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**OPPOSITION PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS**

**MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS**

1. Mr. Silver (Motion No. 740)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to support efforts to have the Klondike designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

2. Mr. Silver (Motion No. 741)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to explain how it intends to meet its goal of zero waste with a target of 50-percent waste diversion by 2015 with Raven Recycling shut down due to a lack of funding.

3. Ms. Hanson (Motion No. 715)

THAT this House opposes Bill S-6, which seeks to amend the *Yukon Environmental and Socio-Economic Assessment Act* (YESAA) by providing authority to a federal minister to issue binding policy direction to the independent Yukon Environmental and Socio-economic Assessment Board with respect to any of the board's powers, duties and functions; and

THAT this House further opposes unilateral changes to YESAA that have not been agreed upon by all parties to the *Umbrella Final Agreement*.

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## GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Hon. Mr. Cathers (Motion No. 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.

2. Hon. Mr. Dixon (Motion No. 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.

3. Hon. Mr. Kent (Motion No. 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.

4. Hon. Mr. Cathers (Motion No. 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.

5. Hon. Mr. Pasloski (Motion No. 216)

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

6. Hon. Mr. Nixon (Motion No. 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.

7. Hon. Mr. Dixon (Motion No. 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.

8. Hon. Mr. Nixon (Motion No. 376)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to recognize the important role that arts and culture play in contributing to the social and economic life of Yukon by providing assistance to arts and cultural organizations and Yukon artisans and by promoting exhibits, concerts, festivals, and multicultural events and programs.

9. Hon. Mr. Nixon (Motion No. 403)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to assist Mothers Against Drunk Driving – Whitehorse in engaging other governments and agencies to implement a public awareness campaign with both general awareness advertising regarding the Report Impaired Drivers Program, and targeted signage focused on students celebrating graduation, boaters, and snowmobile operators at the Skagway and Haines summits.

10. Hon. Mr. Kent (Motion No. 487)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to ensure there is a continuing and abundant supply of clean and affordable power in Yukon in order to promote responsible and sustainable economic development, by:

- (1) directing the Yukon Development Corporation, as the agency designated by legislation as responsible for assuring a continuing and adequate supply of energy in Yukon, to commence the research and planning of a new hydroelectricity dam, based on the principles of scalability, environmental responsibility and First Nations engagement, as the centrepiece of a clean power future for Yukon;
- (2) exploring additional renewable sources such as wind and biomass as potential complements to the existing hydro-based grid;
- (3) exploring alternative sources that are cleaner and more affordable than diesel to facilitate the reduction of diesel consumption in those communities not connected to the existing hydro-based grid; and
- (4) ensuring there is a continuing supply of fossil fuels as a backup source to the hydro system and;
- (5) pursuing sources that are cleaner and more affordable than diesel for backup wherever possible.

11. Hon. Mr. Dixon (Motion No. 562)

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada, after receiving legal clarity from the Supreme Court of Canada, to consult with all provinces and territories on options for reforming the Senate of Canada.

12. Hon. Mr. Nixon (Motion No. 658)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon, in recognition of the Yukon Party's platform commitments to promote Yukon's tourism economy, to continue to study the technical and economic business case of further capital upgrades, including paving the runway at the Dawson City Airport, as part of the Government of Yukon's work with Air North, Yukon's airline, and Holland America to promote tourism to Yukon and the Klondike region through the use of tourism cooperative marketing agreements and strategic marketing campaigns.

**GOVERNMENT BILLS**

**(Second Reading)**

- 1. Bill No. 80 -*Domestic Water Well Program Amendments Act*  
-Hon. Mr. Cathers
- 2. Bill No. 76 -*Act to Amend the Fuel Oil Tax Act*  
-Hon. Mr. Pasloski
- 3. Bill No. 77 -*Act to Amend the Financial Administration Act and Other Enactments*  
-Hon. Mr. Pasloski
- 4. Bill No. 81 -*Court Security Act*  
-Hon. Mr. Nixon
- 5. Bill No. 83 -*Act to Amend the Legislative Assembly Act and the Legislative Assembly Retirement Allowances Act, 2007*  
-Hon. Mr. Pasloski
- 6. Bill No. 75 -*Public Interest Disclosure of Wrongdoing Act*  
-Hon. Mr. Dixon

**(Third Reading)**

- 1. Bill No. 78 -*Act to Amend the Marriage Act*  
-Hon. Mr. Graham

**BILLS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS**

**(Second Reading)**

- 1. Bill No. 1 -*Act to Perpetuate a Certain Ancient Right*  
-Ms. McLeod
- 2. Bill No. 101 -*Disclosure Protection Act*  
-Mr. Elias
- 3. Bill No. 103 -*An Act to Respect Voters and Stop Floor Crossing*  
-Ms. White
- 4. Bill No. 104 -*Paid Lobbying Act*  
-Ms. Hanson

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**COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

- 1. Bill No. 105 -*Act to Amend the Vital Statistics Act (No. 2)*  
-Ms. Moorcroft
- 2. Bill No. 15 -*Second Appropriation Act, 2014-15*  
-Hon. Mr. Pasloski

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**BILLS AWAITING ASSENT**

- 1. Bill No. 79 -*Pioneer Utility Grant Act*  
-Hon. Mr. Graham
- 2. Bill No. 82 -*Act to Amend the Motor Vehicles Act*  
-Hon. Mr. Istchenko

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**NOTICE PAPER****GOVERNMENT MOTIONS**

1. Hon. Mr. Nixon (Motion No. 750)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to examine the compensation paid to coroners for death investigations, for standby pay, and for serving as the acting chief coroner and to address the vicarious trauma and other workplace stresses coroners experience by enabling greater access to counselling services.

2. Hon. Mr. Cathers (Motion No. 751)

THAT this House shall stand adjourned from its rising on Thursday, November 6, 2014, until 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 12, 2014 and from its rising on Wednesday, November 19, 2014 until 1:00 p.m. on Monday, November 24, 2014.

**MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS**

1. Ms. White (Motion No.752)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to:

- (1) acknowledge that thousands of Yukoners do not support the practice of hydraulic fracturing taking place in Yukon;
- (2) acknowledge the opposition of many Yukon First Nation governments and their citizens to hydraulic fracturing; and
- (3) recognize that hydraulic fracturing does not have social license in Yukon.

2. Mr. Silver (Motion No. 753)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to congratulate the City of Whitehorse for its leadership on recycling and provide certainty to Yukon citizens and municipal governments by:

- (1) contributing the appropriate capital dollars for improvements to Yukon's recycling efforts;
- (2) establishing partnership agreements to ensure a Yukon-wide recycling solution for the long term; and
- (3) taking the lead to provide an interim solution until there is a new system in place.

3. Mr. Tredger (Motion No. 754)

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to protect Yukon's water resources and the environment by:

- (1) protecting source water, including surface and groundwater;
- (2) protecting wetlands and headwaters;
- (3) restricting deleterious land uses that may contaminate drinking water sources;
- (4) banning bulk water exports;
- (5) protecting drinking water; and
- (6) strengthening data collection, monitoring and training.