

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

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MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS**Thursday, April 20, 2017**

1. Motion No. 3

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to release an estimate of the cost to the public to abandon the newly acquired gas well L38 in the Kootaneelee region.

Monday, April 24, 2017

2. Motion No. 5

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to report on progress made since the 2013 *Report on the Audit of Staffing* by:

- (1) outlining specific actions taken by the Public Service Commission and the government's human resource units to implement the report's 15 recommendations; and
- (2) reporting on steps taken to resume effective operations of joint committees between the government and the Yukon Employees' Union.

3. Motion No. 7

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to review the foster parent program and work to identify areas that can be updated to incentivize potential foster families, including, but not limited to:

- (1) increasing compensation or allowances;
- (2) identifying other incentives such as tax credits or rebates; and
- (3) implementing a cash referral system for finding successful foster families.

4. Motion No. 8

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work in partnership with the RCMP, First Nation governments, municipalities and stakeholders, including small-business owners, to implement measures to improve community safety, reduce property crime and target the illegal drug trade.

5. Motion No. 9

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to resume negotiations with the Government of Canada in order to negotiate an exemption for Yukon from the carbon tax.

Adjourned debate: Mr. Kent (April 26, 2017)

6. Motion No. 10

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to:

- (1) fully disclose and report on an annual basis the details of promotional spending and sponsorship by Yukon Energy Corporation; and
- (2) after making this information publicly available, hold public consultations to seek the views of Yukoners on whether this promotional and sponsorship

spending should continue, or if Yukoners would rather see savings reflected in their electrical bills.

Wednesday, April 26, 2017

7. Motion No. 22

Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

THAT this House commends Rick Hansen for his efforts over three decades to remove barriers and improve the lives of people with disabilities.

Monday, May 1, 2017

8. Motion No. 25

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to research, develop and implement a Yukon early childhood strategy (childcare, development and education), in consultation with early childhood education and health care professionals, parents and First Nation governments, in order to improve developmental and educational outcomes.

Adjourned debate on the motion, as amended: Mr. Cathers (April 4, 2018)

9. Motion No. 26

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to support Yukon public servants by:

- (1) providing political direction, then respecting the work of public servants, while holding them accountable for the delivery of programs and services to Yukoners;
- (2) generating more opportunities for public servants to build capacity through professional development (internally and externally); and
- (3) reviewing hiring and promotion processes to ensure that they are open and transparent.

10. Motion No. 27

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to ensure officials with the Yukon Development Corporation, Yukon Energy Corporation, Yukon Hospital Corporation and the Yukon Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board appear in Committee of the Whole to answer questions annually.

11. Motion No. 28

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to live up to its election promise to allocate \$30 million per year to implement an energy retrofit program for residential, government and commercial buildings.

12. Motion No. 33

Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to include operation and maintenance costs for new facilities, such as the continuing care building in Whistle Bend, in budget forecasts.

13. Motion No. 34

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to support, either financially or through the provision of land, the Vimy Heritage Housing Society's proposal for a supported independent housing facility in Whitehorse.

14. Motion No. 36

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to provide funding for land-based healing programs in order to benefit all Yukon communities.

Tuesday, May 2, 2017

15. Motion No. 41

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon, in collaboration with Yukoners with disabilities, their families, caregivers and community organizations, to develop a plan to implement and monitor the United Nations *Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities*.

Wednesday, May 3, 2017

16. Motion No. 42

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to conduct and make public an analysis of the economic impacts of the carbon tax scheme it has signed on to with the Government of Canada on Yukon's mining sector.

17. Motion No. 43

Ms. Van Bibber, Member for Porter Creek North

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to conduct and make public an analysis of the economic impacts of the carbon tax scheme it has signed on to with the Government of Canada on Yukon's tourism sector.

18. Motion No. 44

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to include the financial and economic impacts of the carbon tax scheme it has signed on to with the Government of Canada in budget forecasts.

19. Motion No. 46

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to conduct and make public an analysis of the economic impacts of the carbon tax scheme it has agreed to with the Government of Canada on Yukon's outfitting industry.

Thursday, May 4, 2017

20. Motion No. 47

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to support the continued growth of the Yukon agriculture sector by working with farmers, market gardeners

and agricultural organizations to increase production of local food and agriculture products with actions including:

- (1) working with farmers, market gardeners, and industry associations to implement the local food strategy;
- (2) *Reviewing the Vision for Yukon Agriculture: 2006 Agriculture Policy* and Yukon's agricultural multi-year development plan to ensure they reflect the current needs of farmers, market gardeners and the Yukon public;
- (3) supporting the development of agriculture infrastructure that improves food security, facilitates access to market and encourages local food production;
- (4) making agricultural land available to Yukon farmers through planned development, a directed spot land application process, and spot land applications;
- (5) seeking partnerships with First Nations interested in creating opportunities for farming settlement land through options available under the new *Land Titles Act, 2015*;
- (6) supporting development of local markets for Yukon agriculture products, including providing the Fireweed Community Market with a renewed multi-year funding agreement;
- (7) exploring opportunities to improve the ability of farmers and gardeners to sell and market their products;
- (8) working with farmers, market gardeners, processors, and industry associations to maximize the effectiveness of the Growing Forward 2 program;
- (9) consulting with farmers, market gardeners, processors, and industry associations on the details of the new agriculture funding agreement that will replace the Growing Forward 2 agreement;
- (10) supporting the development of community greenhouses and community gardens;
- (11) reviewing the operation structure and fees for the mobile abattoir to maximize its effectiveness, and ensure it does not unfairly compete with small businesses offering similar services;
- (12) exploring the feasibility and effectiveness of developing an agriculture production tax credit aimed at increasing the production of locally grown food and other agriculture products; and
- (13) ensuring fuel for farming purposes, including irrigation, working in fields and electricity production for off-grid farms is exempt from a carbon tax.

21. Motion No. 48

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Minister of Highways and Public Works, the Minister of Community Services and the Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources to convene a meeting immediately with the Kluane First Nation, Kluane Lake Athletics Association, local businesses and local residents to discuss and move forward on the critical maintenance required to the Destruction Bay marina, which is the main access point for Kluane Lake.

22. Motion No. 49

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to continue to meet the commitment of the previous government to the early opening of campgrounds and to ensure access roads and campsites are graded and well-maintained prior to opening the campgrounds.

Monday, May 8, 2017

23. Motion No. 51

Mr. Hassard, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to allow direct sales from local beer and liquor manufacturers to bars, restaurants and consumers, and eliminate the markup on local products.

24. Motion No. 53

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to provide a land grant at no cost and a low-interest loan toward the construction of the Vimy Heritage Housing Society's supported independent housing facility.

25. Motion No. 54

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to consider a bipartisan mission with the Official Opposition to Alaska and Washington, DC, to lobby the United States government to reinstate Shakwak project funding.

26. Motion No. 55

Ms. Van Bibber, Member for Porter Creek North

THAT this House urges the Minister of Education and the Minister of Health and Social Services to instruct their departments to begin work to develop a health curriculum for use in schools that educates all students in the Yukon education system on the dangers of prescription opioid abuse.

Adjourned debate: Hon. Ms. McPhee (May 10, 2017)

27. Motion No. 56

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House supports the work of, and the individuals appointed to, the Electoral District Boundaries Commission.

Tuesday, May 9, 2017

28. Motion No. 57

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to fulfill its election commitment to invest \$30 million annually in an energy retrofit program for residential, government and commercial buildings.

Wednesday, May 10, 2017

29. Motion No. 59

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to seek an independent audit of the permit hunt system within the Department of Environment and tender its management to a third-party organization in response to the increasing concerns of Yukon hunters with the permit hunt system.

30. Motion No. 60

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to improve access to abortion services throughout the Yukon by making the drug mifepristone, or RU-486, available to women at no cost.

Thursday, May 11, 2017

31. Motion No. 61

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon, in consultation with palliative care physicians and health professionals, to consider placing the palliative care unit in the Thomson Centre, close to emergency physicians and the hospital pharmacy.

Monday, May 15, 2017

32. Motion No. 63

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to support environmental stewardship by developing initiatives that increase the use of renewable energy sources in Yukon.

33. Motion No. 64

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with local producers to expand Yukon's agriculture industry and improve northern food security.

34. Motion No. 65

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with industry to support small-scale clean energy initiatives in order to reduce the energy footprint of mining projects.

35. Motion No. 66

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to support marketing initiatives for prospectors and early-stage exploration projects in Yukon.

36. Motion No. 67

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to develop a flexible rural economic development policy and provide ongoing funding for local non-profits

that will assist with the planning and implementation of community development plans and coordination of business support services.

37. Motion No. 68

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to consult with community governments, First Nation governments and Yukoners to determine how it can better serve Yukon communities by decentralizing some Yukon government operations and services.

38. Motion No. 69

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with the Government of Canada, the Champagne and Aishihik First Nation, the Kluane First Nation, local communities, chambers of commerce, businesses, organizations and community members to increase access to the front ranges of Kluane National Park and Reserve of Canada along the Haines Road and Alaska Highway for the purpose of creating more land-and air-based tourism and business opportunities.

39. Motion No. 70

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to invest in affordable housing in communities and in housing initiatives, based on a Housing First model, that meet the needs of vulnerable people.

40. Motion No. 71

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to establish enhanced mental health services to better serve Yukon communities.

Tuesday, May 16, 2017

41. Motion No. 72

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to introduce regular, independent, mandatory testing for banned pesticides and other harmful chemicals in medical marijuana and to make the test results available to the public.

Wednesday, May 17, 2017

42. Motion No. 74

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to uphold the right to a standard of living adequate for the health and well-being of all, as defined by article 25 of the United Nations *Universal Declaration of Human Rights* by:

- (1) reviewing the social assistance rates for Yukon based on the real costs for food and shelter;
- (2) adopting a Housing First model when addressing lack of housing for vulnerable and at-risk people; and
- (3) taking into consideration the goals set out in *A Better Yukon for All: Yukon Social Inclusion and Poverty Reduction Strategy*.

Thursday, May 18, 2017

43. Motion No. 76

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to consult with stakeholder groups on amendments to the *Miners Lien Act* in order to strengthen protections for Yukon businesses and contractors.

44. Motion No. 77

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon and the RCMP M Division to fully implement all three tiers of the RCMP auxiliary constable program as soon as possible.

Tuesday, May 23, 2017

45. Motion No. 80

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to adhere to the 1998 National Accord for the Protection of Species at Risk, to which Yukon is a signatory, and introduce complementary legislation to provide for effective protection of species at risk in Yukon.

Wednesday, May 24, 2017

46. Motion No. 81

Mr. Hassard, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon, in consultation with the Yukon Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board, the Yukon Employees' Union and the Yukon Teachers' Association, to prepare for the legalization of marijuana by developing and implementing mandatory post-incident drug and alcohol testing for Yukon government employees involved in serious workplace accidents, including but not limited to, motor vehicle collisions.

Thursday, May 25, 2017

47. Motion No. 82

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to commit to improving the public registry of contaminated sites by improving:

- (1) public access to the inventory of all contaminated sites in Yukon, both before and after devolution; and
- (2) reporting, documentation and cataloguing of contaminated sites to ensure transparency and public access.

48. Motion No. 83

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to extend the current prohibition order OIC 2012/145 restricting quartz claim mineral staking within the City of Whitehorse, as per the city's request, until work with Yukon First Nations to fulfill the obligations set out in section 4.0 of appendix A of the Yukon devolution transfer agreement to create successor resource legislation is completed.

Monday, May 29, 2017

49. Motion No. 84

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to provide hemodialysis services in Yukon for all Yukon residents requiring this health care service.

Tuesday, May 30, 2017

50. Motion No. 85

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to recognize the importance of community libraries by reviewing and updating its community library board operations policy in order to:

- (1) provide for consistency of its application of Yukon library policies across Yukon;
- (2) ensure a safe workplace for staff and patrons; and
- (3) provide equitable funding for staffing of librarian positions.

Wednesday, May 31, 2017

51. Motion No. 86

Mr. Hassard, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with the Government of Canada to ensure the RCMP detachment building in Faro is replaced, and to create a plan going forward for the renovation or replacement of one RCMP detachment building every five years, as outlined in the 2012 *Territorial Police Service Agreement* between Canada and Yukon.

52. Motion No. 87

Mr. Hassard, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to begin community consultation to move forward with the rehabilitation of the Nisutlin Bay bridge.

53. Motion No. 89

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to make public the analysis of options presented by the Yukon Energy Corporation to keep electricity rate increases below the 14.7 percent initially proposed to the Government of Yukon in December 2016.

Thursday, June 1, 2017

54. Motion No. 90

Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

THAT it is the opinion of this House that before doing renovations, it is important to obtain proper estimates, and obtaining estimates is no guarantee that work will ever proceed.

55. Motion No. 91

Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to increase the ceiling for the Yukon small-business investment tax credit from \$1 million to \$5 million and increase the asset limit to allow larger companies to qualify.

56. Motion No. 92

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to reconsider its decision to not support the establishment of the Canadian Autism Partnership, which supports families and individuals with autism through improved treatment, diagnosis, detection and research.

57. Motion No. 93

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to oppose the direct or indirect privatization of the Yukon Liquor Corporation by:

- (1) rejecting any privatization schemes that may be part of the promised Yukon *Liquor Act* review; and
- (2) ensuring current policies do not create loopholes that equate to an indirect privatization of the Yukon Liquor Corporation.

Monday, June 5, 2017

58. Motion No. 95

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to review the current wait times for lung cancer patients to access new medications, and to work with other jurisdictions to determine a way to shorten these wait times and ensure faster response times with respect to patient care.

59. Motion No. 96

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to follow through on Motion No. 1142 of the 33rd Yukon Legislature, adopted unanimously as amended, to ensure that victims of domestic violence can:

- (1) terminate a lease early and without penalty; and
- (2) remove an abuser's name from a lease.

Tuesday, June 6, 2017

60. Motion No. 97

Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with communities to create available developed land banks to keep lot prices affordable.

61. Motion No. 98

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to improve services provided to patients and visitors in community hospitals by exploring opportunities to provide

free public wireless internet access at the Watson Lake Community Hospital and the Dawson City Community Hospital.

62. Motion No. 99

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to strengthen protection against retaliation for whistle-blowers under the *Public Interest Disclosure of Wrongdoing Act*.

Wednesday, June 7, 2017

63. Motion No. 101

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to direct the Yukon Housing Corporation to meet with the tenant association and the residents of 600 College Drive to address concerns raised in a letter dated May 26, 2017 to the Minister responsible for the Yukon Housing Corporation.

Thursday, June 8, 2017

64. Motion No. 102

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to work with Yukon College on a plan for the transition to a university in a manner that builds on existing college programs while maintaining a focus on trades and professional training, basic adult education and high school upgrading.

65. Motion No. 103

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to increase opportunities for tourism in the Kluane region by:

- (1) meeting with Parks Canada, the Village of Haines Junction, local First Nations, businesses, the St. Elias Chamber of Commerce, local advisory councils and residents to discuss shared priorities in promoting the Kluane region; and
- (2) allocating a portion of the \$1.8 million received from the Government of Canada to ensure all Yukon regions and communities are promoted in future Yukon Now commercials including having a specific commercial focused on the Kluane region and Kluane National Park.

66. Motion No. 104

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to promote open and transparent governance by:

- (1) prioritizing the completion of the *Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act* review;
- (2) introducing amendments to the act to repeal the 2012 changes to the act that limit access to information by the public; and
- (3) including a public interest override clause in amendments to the act.

Monday, June 12, 2017

67. Motion No. 105

Mr. Hassard, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to allocate the necessary funding for the replacement and upgrading of those bridges along the North Canol Road that:

- (1) have had their weight restrictions decreased due to aging infrastructure; and
- (2) are crucial crossings for local business to carry out their daily activities.

68. Motion No. 106

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to review the medical travel regulations and medical travel rates.

69. Motion No. 107

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to review the social assistance regulations and social assistance rates.

70. Motion No. 108

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with the RCMP, First Nations, the Yukon Police Council and communities to identify ongoing policing priorities and the funding required to implement them.

71. Motion No. 109

Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work in partnership with the francophone community to find practical short-and long-term solutions to provide more services in French.

Tuesday, June 13 2017

72. Motion No. 111

Mr. Hassard, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to return to the proactive practice of posting and disclosing ministerial travel expenses no later than three months after travel.

73. Motion No. 112

Mr. Hassard, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to plan for a referendum on electoral reform to take place during the next territorial general election in order to ensure a high voter response rate.

74. Motion No. 113

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House establish annual one-day elder/senior and youth parliaments that:

- (1) are held in alternate years;

- (2) are open to participants from across Yukon;
- (3) provide an opportunity to learn about the Yukon Legislative Assembly's rules and procedures;
- (4) provide participants with an opportunity to debate issues identified by them; and
- (5) allow participants to meet with current Members of the Legislative Assembly.

75. Motion No. 114

Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to enhance opportunities for local businesses and Yukoners in its procurement process.

76. Motion No. 115

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to abandon its current plan to impose \$216 million in debt on Yukon, and to be transparent with Yukoners regarding how far it is willing to go into debt over its term in government.

77. Motion No. 116

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to hold a referendum in order to give Yukon taxpayers the opportunity to approve or reject the imposition of the carbon tax, in the spirit of section 8(1) of the *Taxpayer Protection Act*.

78. Motion No. 117

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to undertake full and meaningful consultation with Yukoners in every community to ensure their input is considered during the drafting of all legislation and regulations surrounding the legalization of cannabis.

79. Motion No. 118

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to add a turning lane and a slip lane at the intersection of Boreal Road and the Mayo Road.

80. Motion No. 119

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to add a turning lane and a slip lane at the entrance to the new Grizzly Valley subdivision and repair the road to reopen the second entrance.

81. Motion No. 120

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to seek feedback from residents of the Hidden Valley, MacPherson, Hot Springs Road, and Mayo Road areas about whether the highway line pattern painted on the highway in Hidden Valley in the fall of 2016 is actually working better than the old turning lane pattern, or whether the lines should be repainted to the way they were before, in recognition of numerous complaints from area residents.

82. Motion No. 122

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to commit funds to the planning and construction of a skating rink in Carmacks.

83. Motion No. 123

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Yukon government and the Yukon Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board to investigate and create a registry of historic asbestos worksites throughout Yukon.

84. Motion No. 124

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to mitigate conflict between Yukon Housing tenants by considering facilitating access to vaporizers for tenants who are prescribed medical marijuana.

85. Motion No. 125

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

THAT this House directs the Members' Services Board to select a representative item from the Yukon Legislative Assembly to be included in Northern Vision Development's Yukon 2017 Time Vault project, which is creating a time capsule to celebrate Canada's 150th birthday.

Tuesday, October 3, 2017

86. Motion No. 126

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to ensure that changes to the proposed small-business tax do not have negative consequences on the growth of the economy.

87. Motion No. 128

Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to properly plan capital projects in order to avoid costly delays and additional future expenditures.

88. Motion No. 129

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to revoke the designation of Whitehorse Correctional Centre as a hospital.

Wednesday, October 4, 2017

89. Motion No. 131

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to recognize the needs of residents of the new Grizzly Valley subdivision by:

- (1) repairing the road and reopening the second access road into the new Grizzly Valley subdivision for the purposes of convenience and improved fire protection; and

- (2) providing school bus service to the subdivision, which was designed by Yukon government engineers to safely accommodate school bus service that is currently being requested by families living in the area.

Thursday, October 5, 2017

90. Motion No. 134

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to recognize the importance of the aviation sector by keeping community aerodromes open and properly maintained, and abandoning the idea of shutting down five aerodromes.

91. Motion No. 135

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to ensure that the continuum of health care, including health care for seniors, is maintained in the public sector.

92. Motion No. 138

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to:

- (1) extend public consultation on its proposed changes to tax law affecting small businesses, farmers, placer miners, and medical practitioners;
- (2) ensure that Yukon citizens have an opportunity to fully participate in the public consultation, including holding public meetings in Yukon as requested by the Yukon Chamber of Commerce; and
- (3) provide written assurance to the Yukon Legislative Assembly that there will be no impacts on Yukon small businesses, farmers, placer miners, and medical practitioners as a result of these proposed tax changes.

93. Motion No. 142

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to recognize the importance of Emergency Medical Services in Watson Lake by:

- (1) ensuring that there is no reduction in the number of staff positions in Watson Lake; and
- (2) working with EMS volunteers and the community of Watson Lake to review the current structure, and determine how best to provide additional support for Watson Lake EMS.

Tuesday, October 10, 2017

94. Motion No. 143

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to take steps to improve safety on the Hot Springs Road, including repainting the centre line, adding a larger stop sign at the intersection of the Hot Springs Road and the Mayo Road, and assessing whether additional signs warning of the intersection would reduce collisions at the intersection.

95. Motion No. 144

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with the Government of Canada and provincial and territorial governments to implement the Canadian Medical Association's call to implement a tax on sugar-sweetened beverages and artificially sweetened drinks sold in Canada, in order to subsidize healthier food options.

96. Motion No. 145

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to lift the 10-year freeze on the childcare operating grants, to reflect the increase in costs to operate licenced daycares and day homes.

Wednesday, October 11, 2017

97. Motion No. 146

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to confirm that radon testing will now be included in the list of requirements for licensing of child care centres and day homes, pursuant to recommendation 3 of the *Second Report of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts (September 18, 2017)*, on the public hearing of the *Report of the Auditor General of Canada to the Yukon Legislative Assembly - 2017: Capital Asset Management - Yukon (March 6, 2017)*.

Monday, October 16, 2017

98. Motion No. 148

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to regulate and fund midwifery within Yukon's health care system.

99. Motion No. 150

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House endorses incorporating First Nations' culture into the Standing Orders, customs and practices of the Legislative Assembly.

100. Motion No. 152

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to review the social assistance regulation that diminishes the amount allocated for utilities over summer months when these costs are already included in the clients' rent.

Tuesday, October 17, 2017

101. Motion No. 158

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to consult with Yukoners and stakeholders and to undertake a thorough review of the current *Social Assistance Act* and regulations, in order to remove barriers to those seeking assistance and more accurately reflect the true costs of living in Yukon.

Wednesday, October 18, 2017

102. Motion No. 159

Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

THAT this House supports reforming Yukon's election finance rules.

103. Motion No. 160

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to convert the Yukon government mail fleet in Whitehorse to electric vehicles; and install electric vehicle charging stations in Whitehorse.

104. Motion No. 162

Ms. Van Bibber, Member for Porter Creek North

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to promote local artists by converting part of the former Whitehorse Public Library space in the Government of Yukon Main Administration Building into a home for the Yukon permanent art collection, including a public viewing gallery space.

Thursday, October 19, 2017

105. Motion No. 163

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with partners on developing the territory's knowledge sector to support community development and strengthen Yukon's economic base.

106. Motion No. 164

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to introduce legislation to prohibit the use of indoor tanning beds for minors under the age of 18.

Monday, October 23, 2017

107. Motion No. 165

Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to create a publicly disclosed lobbyist registry.

108. Motion No. 166

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to respect the importance of helping Canadians living with type 1 diabetes by listening to the request of groups, including Diabetes Canada and Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, and ensuring that people with type 1 diabetes qualify for the disability tax credit.

109. Motion No. 167

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work closely with health and education professionals to create a vaccination strategy that promotes the benefits of vaccinations while exploring ways to increase overall vaccination rates.

110. Motion No. 168

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT his House condemns the budget resolution adopted by the United States Senate to allow drilling in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge, the birthing grounds of the Porcupine caribou herd.

111. Motion No. 169

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to live up to its commitment to address climate change by:

- (1) rejecting the Division and Corduroy mountain coal exploration project; and
- (2) taking the actions required to repeal any legislation and regulation that permit coal exploration and coal mining in Yukon.

Adjourned debate: Hon. Mr. Pillai (October 25, 2017)

Wednesday, October 25, 2017

112. Motion No. 171

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to foster sustainable communities by providing municipalities with predictable levels of funding.

113. Motion No. 172

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to continue excluding the Canada child benefit as income when determining eligibility for social assistance.

114. Motion No. 173

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to consider applying a deposit fee on disposable cups in order to reach the government's waste reduction targets, and reduce the number of disposable cups going into landfills, roadsides and environment.

Thursday, October 26, 2017

115. Motion No. 174

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to continue to be guided by the following priority commitments as it enters the second year of its mandate:

- (1) implementing a people-centered approach to wellness that helps Yukoners thrive;
- (2) making strategic investments that build healthy, vibrant and sustainable communities;
- (3) establishing strong government-to-government relationships with First Nations that foster reconciliation; and
- (4) fostering a diverse, growing economy that provides good jobs for Yukoners in an environmentally responsible way.

Adjourned debate: Hon. Mr. Silver (November 1, 2017)

116. Motion No. 176

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to disclose the nature and scope of environmental concerns regarding government lands at 5th Avenue and Rogers Street in Whitehorse, develop and implement a plan to remediate the site; and collaborate with the City of Whitehorse to make the land available for development.

117. Motion No. 177

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Minister of Environment to exercise her authority to manage wild elk by taking action to properly manage the population, increase hunting opportunities, and prevent the destruction of crops and fences, including:

- (1) increasing the number of elk permits that are issued each year;
- (2) implementing a landowner permit which allows farmers to defend their property from property damage caused by this introduced species; and
- (3) consulting with stakeholders including the Yukon Agricultural Association, Ibx Valley Local Advisory Council, Growers of Organic Food Yukon, renewable resources councils, the Fish and Wildlife Management Board, Yukon Fish and Game Association, and all farmers who are directly affected by the government's imported elk herd on changes to the management plan and harvest management plan focused on keeping the wild elk in the core range and preventing damage to farms.

Monday, October 30, 2017

118. Motion No. 179

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with First Nation and community partners to implement the Safe at Home plan to address homelessness.

Wednesday, November 1, 2017

119. Motion No. 181

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House commends the Hon. Bob McLeod, Premier of the Northwest Territories, for showing leadership by standing up to the Government of Canada and defending northern interests, including the right of the territories to decide whether or not they develop their natural resources.

120. Motion No. 182

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to ensure that all Yukon subcontractors are paid in full for their work on three duplexes in Ross River during the summer of 2017.

121. Motion No. 183

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to continue to use the Yukon Forum to address joint priorities with Yukon First Nation governments.

Thursday, November 2, 2017

122. Motion No. 185

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with First Nations and all stakeholders to develop a wetlands policy.

123. Motion No. 186

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT his House urges the Government of Canada to support Bill C-369, *An Act to amend the Bills of Exchange Act, the Interpretation Act and the Canada Labour Code (National Indigenous Peoples Day)*, that would make June 21 National Indigenous Peoples Day a statutory holiday; and

THAT this House directs the Speaker of the Yukon Legislative Assembly to convey the decision of this House regarding Bill C-369 to the Speaker of the House of Commons of Canada and to the leaders of all federal political parties.

124. Motion No. 187

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to work with First Nations, the Yukon Fish and Wildlife Management Board, renewable resource councils, the Yukon Fish and Game Association, the Yukon Trappers Association, the Yukon Outfitters Association, and individual hunters, trappers and anglers to improve the management of fish and wildlife populations to ensure healthy populations that will sustain hunting and fishing opportunities.

125. Motion No. 188

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to update the 2006 Yukon agriculture policy through full and meaningful consultations with stakeholder organizations, farmers, market gardeners, processors, retailers, communities and the public.

126. Motion No. 189

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to respond to the needs expressed by mobile-homeowners through a petition and in response to a Yukon government survey by limiting the allowable pad rent increase to the annual rate of inflation.

Monday, November 6, 2017

127. Motion No. 190

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to expand opportunities for e-health, e-commerce and online services for Yukon communities.

128. Motion No. 192

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with the City of Whitehorse and the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 254 in the planning and development of a veterans square.

129. Motion No. 193

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to transfer or lease to the City of Whitehorse the land currently occupied by the Second Heaven Skate Park.

130. Motion No. 194

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to delay the implementation of amendments to the *Designated Materials Regulation* and to conduct a full and meaningful consultation with both the industry and the public before there are any increases to taxes on tires and electronics.

Tuesday, November 7, 2017

131. Motion No. 196

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to support Bill C-384, *An Act to amend the Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act and the Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act (pension plans and group insurance programs)*, to protect workers' pensions in the event of a company declaring bankruptcy.

Wednesday, November 8, 2017

132. Motion No. 199

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to review the findings of the Northwest Territories mineral sector review and benchmarking following the 2014 Canada-Northwest Territories devolution transfer agreement; and

- (1) commission an independent assessment of Yukon's mineral sector; and
- (2) develop successor mining legislation in consultation with First Nations, industry and citizens pursuant to the 2003 Canada-Yukon devolution transfer agreement.

Thursday, November 9, 2017

133. Motion No. 201

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to demonstrate its commitment to eliminating harassment in Yukon public service workplaces by:

- (1) conducting a survey on harassment in the Yukon public service; and
- (2) determining the efficacy of the Yukon Public Service Commission's Respectful Workplaces Office with respect to the purposes set out in government policy by reviewing:
 - (a) the number of cases the Respectful Workplace Office has been involved with since its inception, broken down by department;

(b) statistical trends on the types of cases the Respectful Workplace Office has been involved in including a breakdown of type of complaints referred to in the regulations , including abuse of authority, bullying, interfering in another individual's work, physical assault or discriminatory conduct contrary to Yukon's *Human Rights Act*;

(c) the number of Respectful Workplace Office initial interventions that have gone to independent investigation;

(d) the number of Respectful Workplace Office interventions that have ultimately resulted in disciplinary measures or the termination of a Yukon government employee, including management; and

(e) the effectiveness of communications between departmental human resources units and the Respectful Workplace Office.

Tuesday, November 14, 2017

134. Motion No. 202

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to ensure that Yukoners with type 1 or type 2 diabetes can participate in day to day activities to the best of their ability, by ensuring they have access to the best medications and tools to manage their diabetes through Health and Social Services' Chronic Conditions Support program.

Wednesday, November 15, 2017

135. Motion No. 204

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to continue to recognize the equal importance of the Porcupine caribou herd and Shakwak funding by lobbying the United States government and members of congress for:

- (1) the protection of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge; and
- (2) the reinstatement of Shakwak funding.

136. Motion No. 205

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Yukon Hospital Corporation to uphold its patients' rights and responsibilities document by ensuring that patient and/or caregiver consent is given whenever a patient is transferred to a community hospital due to a bed shortage at Whitehorse General Hospital.

Thursday, November 16, 2017

137. Motion No. 206

Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to engage with the health care community regarding a comprehensive review of the health care sector.

Monday, November 20, 2017

138. Motion No. 208

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with all levels of government to ensure a successful resumption of the Yukon land use planning process.

Tuesday, November 21, 2017

139. Motion No. 210

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to track progress on the implementation of the calls to action from the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada.

Wednesday, November 22, 2017

140. Motion No. 211

Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with industry, municipalities and stakeholders to implement changes to the *Designated Materials Regulation* that reflect a stewardship model.

141. Motion No. 212

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the Government of Yukon can reduce child poverty by recognizing that:

- (1) children need financial support from their parents, and have a legal right to it; and
- (2) families in receipt of income assistance should not have child support considered as income.

Thursday, November 23, 2017

142. Motion No. 213

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to ensure that Canada's Arctic policy framework:

- (1) is developed with input from Yukoners;
- (2) makes the development of thriving, prosperous and diversified economies in northern communities a priority;
- (3) provides northerners with the tools and authorities to manage their own affairs and to make decisions on the future of the north;
- (4) increases local opportunities for people living in rural and remote communities;
- (5) supports the sustainability of the north and northern communities; and
- (6) is inclusive of the priorities of Yukon First Nations and the Government of Yukon.

143. Motion No. 214

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Minister of Justice to explain the discrepancy in her assertion that the government is not spending money on renovations for the offices of a third Supreme Court Judge and the tender management system posting, entitled "New Supreme Court Judge's Office, Andrew A. Phillipsen Law Centre".

144. Motion No. 216

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to implement the option set out in the *Yukon Financial Advisory Panel Final Report* to use the carbon tax revenue to fund an additional grant to improve the energy efficiency of households, businesses, and local aboriginal governments.

145. Motion No. 217

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to implement the option set out in the *Yukon Financial Advisory Panel Final Report* to undertake a comprehensive review of resource-sector policies, with an emphasis on:

- (1) ensuring fair and efficient royalty rates;
- (2) fee structures;
- (3) permit and licensing costs;
- (4) tax exemptions; and
- (5) minimum work requirements.

146. Motion No. 218

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to implement the option set out in the *Yukon Financial Advisory Panel Final Report* to consider introducing a Yukon-wide hotel tax, in consultation with municipalities, the Association of Yukon Communities and the tourism industry.

147. Motion No. 219

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to take the lead and implement an early child education and care program for Canada, developed collaboratively with the provinces and territories and indigenous communities, which includes:

- (1) a well-developed policy framework based on the principles of universality;
- (2) high quality and comprehensiveness;
- (3) targets and timelines; and

is supported by long-term, sustained funding.

Monday, November 27, 2017

148. Motion No. 220

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work collaboratively with Yukon First Nations to ensure that oil and gas exploration and development is conducted responsibly and with the support of affected First Nations.

149. Motion No. 221

Mr. Adel, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House supports efforts in Yukon to end gender-based violence.

150. Motion No. 222

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources to improve access to the Gunnar Nilsson and Mickey Lammers Research Forest by adding a new gate to allow foot traffic from the Hot Springs Road side.

151. Motion No. 223

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Minister of Community Services to ensure that the Tagish crew of Yukon Emergency Medical Services continues to have a four-wheel-drive ambulance.

152. Motion No. 224

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to include funding in its 2018-19 capital budget to add a walkway to the Takhini River bridge on the Mayo Road to accommodate pedestrians, cyclists, equestrians and all-terrain vehicles.

153. Motion No. 225

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to include funding in its 2018-19 capital budget to develop communications infrastructure in rural Yukon, including partnering with the private sector to expand cellular phone coverage to people without service in areas including Grizzly Valley, Deep Creek, Fox Lake, Ibex Valley, Junction 37 and Mendenhall.

154. Motion No. 226

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to review the *Elevator and Fixed Conveyances Act* and regulations and update the regulations, if necessary, in order to ensure that government buildings with elevators are following the same act and regulations.

Thursday, March 1, 2018

155. Motion No. 227

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to use the parameters of the *Multilateral Early Child Care Framework* announced by the Government of Canada in June 2017 to develop a Yukon childcare system based on the principles of universality, high quality and comprehensiveness, and which includes the following elements:

- (1) public plans for developing integrated systems of early learning and childcare that meet the care and early education needs of children and parents;
- (2) public funding delivered directly to early learning and childcare services and systems rather than through individual parent-payment measures, to ensure

that high quality services employing a decently remunerated workforce are accessible to all families through predictable, sustained, and dedicated funding; and

- (3) public management of the expansion of public and not-for-profit early learning and childcare services under public authorities, including integration of existing community services into publicly managed systems.

156. Motion No. 228

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to reduce the number of individuals and families on the current Yukon Housing Corporation wait-list by expanding the private sector accommodation rent supplement program.

Monday, March 5, 2018

157. Motion No. 231

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to work with Yukon First Nations to fulfill its commitment, as set out in the 2018 Federal Budget Address, to engage with affected indigenous groups on how best to address past and present negotiating loans, including forgiveness of loans.

158. Motion No. 232

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to:

- (1) use the protected area provisions provided in the *Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act* to designate and protect sensitive and damaged areas until a comprehensive all-terrain vehicle management plan is in place; and
- (2) meet with stakeholders to develop a comprehensive plan for the management of all-terrain vehicles in Yukon for tabling during the 2018 Fall Sitting of the Legislative Assembly.

159. Motion No. 233

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House supports construction of the new francophone high school in Riverdale.

Adjourned debate on the amendment and on the motion:
Hon. Mr. Hassard (March 21, 2018)

Tuesday, March 6, 2018

160. Motion No. 234

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work with the City of Whitehorse to enable Yukon residents to pay City of Whitehorse parking tickets at the Motor Vehicles branch or at territorial agents in order to allow them to renew vehicle registrations.

161. Motion No. 235

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House supports the Employment Standards Board reviewing Yukon's minimum wage.

162. Motion No. 236

Ms. Van Bibber, Member for Porter Creek North

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to live up to its campaign commitments by conducting meaningful consultation with local residents and the general public on its plan to put a group home in Porter Creek.

163. Motion No. 237

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada – and in particular, the federal Minister of Justice – to partner with provincial and territorial governments to:

- (1) implement changes to the discriminatory use of peremptory challenges during jury selection; and
- (2) increase the participation of indigenous and racialized persons in the jury process.

164. Motion No. 239

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Premier to explain why according to his statements in the Legislative Assembly on Monday, March 5, 2018, the Yukon Government has filled only 5 of the 11 mental health worker positions he announced in 2017.

Wednesday, March 7, 2018

165. Motion No. 240

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to live up to its campaign commitments by being open and transparent with the public about the details of the planned carbon tax scheme.

166. Motion No. 241

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Premier to:

- (1) explain his statement made during the March 6, 2018 Question Period asserting knowledge of the author of an access-to-information request, contrary to the *Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act* which protects the identity of individuals filing Access to Information and Protection of Privacy (ATIPP) requests;
- (2) confirm whether or not his government respects the privacy provisions of the *Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act*; and
- (3) apologize to the staff of the ATIPP office for implying that they have breached the privacy of individuals filing ATIPP requests.

167. Motion No. 242

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House supports the recently completed agreement with the First Nation of Na Cho Nyäk Dun regarding the ATAC road.

Thursday, March 8, 2018

168. Motion No. 243

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to give an update to Yukoners on the work done with Alaska and Washington, DC, in lobbying the United States government to reinstate Shakwak project funding.

169. Motion No. 244

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to renew its support for the Ta'an Kwäch'än Council's Da Daghay Development Corporation's XY Charlie Crew annual Yukon First Nation wildfire boot camp.

170. Motion No. 245

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House congratulates Victoria Gold Corporation for completing a successful construction financing package, totalling approximately \$505 million that will fully fund the development of the Eagle Gold project through to commercial production.

171. Motion No. 246

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to introduce amendments to the *Land Titles Act*, to reflect marriage equality for same-sex couples.

172. Motion No. 247

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to introduce amendments to the *Evidence Act*, to reflect marriage equality for same-sex couples.

173. Motion No. 248

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to introduce amendments to the *Marriage Act*, to reflect equality for same-sex couples.

174. Motion No. 249

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to introduce amendments to the *Married Women's Property Act*, to reflect equality for same-sex couples.

175. Motion No. 250

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to introduce amendments to the *Spousal Compensation Act*, to reflect equality for same-sex couples.

Monday, March 12, 2018

176. Motion No. 254

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Premier to, in addition to explaining his statement made during Question Period on March 6, 2018, which implied he knows the identity of those submitting access-to-information and protection-of-privacy requests, also explain his statement made during Question Period on May 3, 2017 where he implied the same thing.

177. Motion No. 255

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House denounces the distribution of partisan pins that displayed a Yukon Liberal logo to community members who attended the tributes to International Women's Day in this Legislative Assembly.

Tuesday, March 13, 2018

178. Motion No. 259

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to appoint an independent commission to conduct a forensic review of all transactions related to the \$39.2-million loan to the Yukon Development Corporation to build the Whitehorse liquefied natural gas facility including empowering the independent commission to call for witnesses and to have unrestricted access to all government and government corporation financial documents and correspondence regarding the loan.

Wednesday, March 14, 2018

179. Motion No. 260

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to repair and reopen the second access road into the new Grizzly Valley subdivision.

180. Motion No. 261

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to respect the preferences of Yukon employers and job seekers by restoring funding to the YuWIN job board.

Thursday, March 15, 2018

181. Motion No. 262

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon provide equitable funding to the Village of Mayo by designating its landfill as a regional landfill.

Monday, March 19, 2018

182. Motion No. 263

Mr. Gallina, Member for Porter Creek Centre

THAT this House supports the Government of Yukon's decision to use the *Canadian Free Trade Agreement* exemptions to their full extent for the 2017-18 fiscal year.

183. Motion No. 264

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to make funding available to Watson Lake Secondary School in order to provide a stable, permanent surface for the school's track and field long jump pit to be installed in the spring of 2018.

184. Motion No. 265

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to publicly consult with Yukoners and all Canadians prior to proceeding with any proposed firearms legislation.

185. Motion No. 266

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House salutes the ingenuity of Dawsonite Kyler Mather and his unidentified friend for building an ice road across the Yukon River at Dawson City for less than \$120,000 and urges the Government of Yukon to provide reimbursement for their expenses of roughly \$5.

Tuesday, March 20, 2018

186. Motion No. 268

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to ensure the independence of the recently announced systemic review of its transitional support services program, or group homes by:

- (1) making public the terms of reference for the review;
- (2) confirming the independence of the Yukon Child and Youth Advocate Office to modify or vary the terms of reference;
- (3) confirming that the Yukon Child and Youth Advocate Office will have access to all requested data, reports, and internal correspondence as determined by the Yukon Child and Youth Advocate Office; and
- (4) confirming that the Yukon Child and Youth Advocate Office shall have access to, and be able to conduct interviews with:
 - (i) current and former residents of Yukon group homes;
 - (ii) current and former staff of Yukon group homes, managers, and directors of Family and Children Services; and
 - (iii) any others as determined by the Child and Youth Advocate Office; and

THAT the Yukon Child and Youth Advocate, as an Officer of the Legislative Assembly be asked to report their independent findings to the Legislative Assembly.

187. Motion No. 269

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to use the 2018-19 budget to improve road safety and respond to local priorities by moving forward with the addition of a walkway to the Takhini River bridge on the Mayo Road to

accommodate pedestrians, cyclists, equestrians, all-terrain vehicle riders, and other users.

Thursday, March 22, 2018

188. Motion No. 270

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to immediately inform its employees regarding the change in the delivery of the employee assistance program and provide:

- (1) clear information regarding transition planning between the current service providers and the new employee assistance program providers; and
- (2) an uninterrupted and smooth transition from current service providers to the new employee assistance program providers.

189. Motion No. 272

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to use the protection area provisions provided in the *Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act*, to protect and manage sensitive areas identified since 2012 from off-road vehicle use, before the spring of 2019.

Monday, March 26, 2018

190. Motion No. 273

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to:

- (1) publicly release engineering reports related to the repairs of the Ross River School;
- (2) inform the Ross River Dena Council and the community of Ross River of how the Government of Yukon plans to proceed with repairs to the Ross River School; and
- (3) ensure work done during the summer of 2018 achieves a permanent and not temporary fix.

191. Motion No. 275

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT the Standing Orders of the Yukon Legislative Assembly be amended to establish an all-party standing committee on children and youth, to be guided by:

- (1) the United Nations *Convention on the Rights of the Child*, including:
 - a. article 12 – children should be provided the opportunity to be heard in any judicial and administrative proceeding affecting them;
 - b. article 20 – children who cannot remain in their family environment should be entitled to special protection and assistance;
 - c. article 25 – children placed in government care should have period reviews of the care they are receiving and the circumstances that led to their placement in government care; and
 - d. article 30 – indigenous children should not be denied their right to enjoy their culture, practise their religion, and use their language; and

- (2) principles to be established by the committee that reflect issues specific to the broad range of matters related to the well-being of Yukon's children and youth; and

THAT the committee shall conduct hearings, accept submissions from, and call witnesses with respect to:

- a. the five-year review of the *Child and Family Services Act*;
- b. the as-yet-to-be scheduled review of the *Child and Youth Advocate Act*,
- c. matters related to early childhood development and childcare in Yukon; and
- d. other matters the committee deems relevant to the attainment of the objectives set out above; and

THAT the committee report its findings and recommendations to this House six months from the date of its establishment and every six months thereafter.

192. Motion No. 276

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Minister of Tourism and Culture to ensure that all calls for casting of advertisements, commercials or other materials promoting Yukon are free of racist, sexist or otherwise discriminatory references to ensure the diversity and inclusiveness of Yukon society is reflected in materials promoting Yukon.

193. Motion No. 277

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to ensure healthy environments and resources for Yukoners in order to encourage activity, good nutrition and community wellness.

Tuesday, March 27, 2018

194. Motion No. 278

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to introduce legislation in order to protect Yukon consumers who possess gift cards, gift certificates, or any other prepaid service or item which contains expiry dates or are unused at the closure of a business.

195. Motion No. 279

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to continue to support local initiatives and events that promote and recognize one of Yukon's oldest industries – trapping – including, but not limited to:

- (1) UnFURled, organized by the Yukon Trappers Association and the North Yukon Renewable Resources Council;
- (2) the Alsek moose recovery program administered by the Champagne and Aishihik First Nations and the Alsek Renewable Resource Council; and
- (3) the Dawson fur show organized by the Dawson District Renewable Resources Council.

Wednesday, March 28, 2018

196. Motion No. 280

Mr. Hassard, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House urges the Deputy Premier to:

- (1) retract his comments made during Question Period on Tuesday, March 27, 2018, in which he accused the MLA for Porter Creek North of knocking on people's doors regarding the group home the Yukon government is moving forward with without public consultation; and
- (2) apologize to this House and the Member for Porter Creek North for making that accusation.

197. Motion No. 281

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to demonstrate to this House and to all Yukon citizens how it is giving effect to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission Call to Action 1, which calls upon governments to reduce the number of aboriginal children in care by:

- (1) monitoring and assessing neglect investigations;
- (2) providing adequate resources to keep aboriginal families together where appropriate, and keep children in culturally appropriate environments, regardless of where they reside;
- (3) ensuring that social workers and others who conduct child welfare investigations are properly educated and trained about the history and impacts of residential schools;
- (4) ensuring that social workers and others who conduct child welfare investigations are properly educated and trained about the potential for aboriginal communities and families to provide more appropriate solutions to family healing; and
- (5) requiring all child welfare decision-makers to consider the impact of the residential school experience on children and caregivers.

Thursday, March 29, 2018

198. Motion No. 282

Mr. Hassard, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to review the annual budget for weed and brush control on Yukon's highways in order to ensure it adequately addresses highway maintenance needs for the 2018-19 fiscal year, as well as future years.

199. Motion No. 283

Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

THAT this House supports the decision by the Government of Yukon to fund the completion of the new F.H. Collins Secondary School.

200. Motion No. 284

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House supports the Government of Yukon's decision to enhance public safety by making fire protection funding a permanent feature of the grants provided annually to Yukon municipalities.

Tuesday, April 3, 2018

201. Motion No. 285

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to allocate targeted investment in campground infrastructure across Yukon with the goals of increasing visitation, accommodating increased recreational vehicle traffic and improving accessibility for people with disabilities.

202. Motion No. 286

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to fulfill its election promise to eliminate the Yukon small-business tax.

203. Motion No. 287

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

THAT this House acknowledges that:

- (1) the Minister of Health and Social Services assured this House that all of the government's six vacant rural mental health positions would be filled by March 31, 2018; and
- (2) job advertisements for those six positions appear to have been posted online on April 3, 2018.

204. Motion No. 288

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to acknowledge that:

- (1) high rent and food costs are making it more difficult for individuals and families on social assistance to find adequate shelter or purchase nutritious food; and
- (2) an immediate review of the social assistance rates is required to accurately determine the real cost of living in Whitehorse and the communities.

Wednesday, April 4, 2018

205. Motion No. 289

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to immediately adopt and implement the recommendations contained in the report of the Prime Minister's Special Envoy, the Hon. Bob Rae, entitled "*Tell them we're human*" – *What Canada and the World Can Do About the Rohingya Crisis*.

Monday, April 9, 2018

206. Motion No. 290

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to engage with the Yukon Child Care Board, pursuant to their function set out in section 4(4) of the *Child Care Act*, to develop and implement a Yukon early childhood strategy based on the principles of universality, high quality and comprehensiveness, which includes:

- (1) public plans for developing integrated systems of early learning and childcare that meet the care and early education needs of children, their parents and caregivers;
- (2) public funding delivered directly to early learning and childcare services and systems; and
- (3) public management of the expansion of public and not-for-profit early learning and childcare services under public authorities, including integration of existing community services into publicly managed systems; and

THAT the Yukon Child Care Board be mandated and resourced to carry out consultation on these matters with First Nation and municipal governments, parents and caregivers of young children, and early childhood, education and health care professionals.

207. Motion No. 291

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to review the penalties for infractions made pursuant to the *Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act*, and consider increasing them in order to reflect the seriousness and actual costs of damage done by infractions and to act as a real deterrent to ignoring the law.

208. Motion No. 292

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to:

- (1) recognize that Bill C-71, *An Act to amend certain Acts and Regulations in relation to firearms*, will negatively impact lawful gun owners in Yukon;
- (2) commit to remove all provisions in Bill C-71 that create a new long-gun registry;
- (3) meaningfully consult with all Yukoners before the passage of any legislation that affects Yukon gun owners; and
- (4) provide more resources to police forces to focus gun control efforts on criminals and gangs instead of on lawful gun owners.

209. Motion No. 293

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to oppose Bill C-71, *An Act to amend certain Acts and Regulations in relation to firearms*, in order to protect law-abiding Canadian firearms owners and prevent the backdoor establishment of a long-gun registry.

210. Motion No. 294

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to respond to the presence of plastics in Earth's oceans, fresh water and environment by working with industry and municipal and First Nation governments to:

- (1) eliminate the distribution of single-use plastic bags;
- (2) eliminate the use of single-use plastic food and beverage containers including straws, utensils and lids; and
- (3) reduce the amount of plastic packaging throughout the retail industry.

Tuesday, April 10, 2018

211. Motion No. 295

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to develop regulations concerning the use of smoking vapourizers, including:

- (1) sale and supply to minors;
- (2) sales where tobacco sales are banned;
- (3) vaping where smoking is banned;
- (4) vaping in indoor public spaces and workplaces; and
- (5) authority to ban prescribed flavours.

Wednesday, April 11, 2018

212. Motion No. 296

Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to ensure that its contracting practices create business opportunities for Yukon companies.

213. Motion No. 297

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Minister of Highways and Public Works to improve Takhini River Road by:

- (1) immediately taking action to deal with flooding; and
- (2) investing in engineering and design work for upgrading the road, including improving the road surface and ditches.

214. Motion No. 298

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to reject changes to the governance of the Yukon Liquor Corporation board of directors and Yukon Liquor Corporation that would see the privatization of retail operations, including the layoff of Yukon government employees in Whitehorse and in the retail stores and territorial agents operating in six Yukon communities.

215. Motion No. 299

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to immediately repair and make accessible the handicapped parking spaces in the north parking lot of the

Government of Yukon Main Administration building, or immediately designate other parking spaces as handicapped parking.

Monday, April 16, 2018

216. Motion No. 300

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to take advantage of the accessibility of the former Whitehorse Public Library adjacent to the Government of Yukon Main Administration Building to:

- (1) consider relocating government services that would benefit from greater accessibility, such as the non-insured health benefits program and vital statistics; and
- (2) determine the adequacy of the space for a government-run daycare.

Tuesday, April 17, 2018

217. Motion No. 301

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

THAT this House urges the Minister of Environment to respond to e-mails sent over 230 days ago, requesting that the minister address matters of health and safety in campgrounds in southeast Yukon, including trees in danger of falling on campsites and road safety.

218. Motion No. 302

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Yukon government to work with the governments of Alberta and British Columbia to ensure that Yukon is not negatively impacted by the trade war between these provinces, including any restrictions on fuel shipped from Alberta through British Columbia to Yukon.

Wednesday, April 18, 2018

219. Motion No. 303

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon in implementing the Government of Canada's carbon-pricing mechanism to consider the Yukon Financial Advisory Panel's findings that:

- (1) fuel use in Yukon is the lowest taxed of any jurisdiction in Canada by a wide margin; and
- (2) a tax exemption for any economic sector constitutes a form of subsidy.

Thursday, April 19, 2018

220. Motion No. 304

Ms. White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to work in partnership with the provinces and territories to replace Canada's current private and public patchwork coverage for prescription drugs with a single-payer, universal pharmacare program under the *Canada Health Act*.

MOTIONS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF PAPERS**Wednesday, May 3, 2017**

222. Motion for the Production of Papers No. 2

Mr. Hassard, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House do issue an order for the return of a list of all the consultations and the day they took place, that the Minister of Highways and Public Works has undertaken with contractors since December 3, 2016.

223. Motion for the Production of Papers No. 3

Mr. Hassard, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT this House do issue an order for the return of a list of all consultations and correspondence since December 3, 2016 between the Government of Yukon and Government of Canada regarding the Yukon Resource Gateway project.

Wednesday, October 18, 2017

224. Motion for the Production of Papers No. 4

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House do issue an order for the return of a financial breakdown showing the full and actual costs of administration, records management, compliance, and legal advice related to the *Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act*, the *Health Information Privacy and Management Act*, and the *Public Interest Disclosure of Wrongdoing Act* for the 2016-17 fiscal year, and expenditures to date for the 2017-18 fiscal year, including:

- (1) costs incurred by each department and directorate of the Government of Yukon;
- (2) costs incurred by each corporation of the Government of Yukon, including subsidiaries of government corporations;
- (3) costs incurred by the Cabinet office;
- (4) costs incurred by the Yukon Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board;
- (5) costs of legal advice, including the cost of all Outside legal counsel; and
- (6) an accounting of the total number of employees in each government entity whose job description, in whole or in part, includes administration, records management, compliance, or legal advice due to the provisions of the *Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act*, the *Health Information Privacy and Management Act*, and the *Public Interest Disclosure of Wrongdoing Act*.

Wednesday, November 8, 2017

225. Motion for the Production of Papers No. 5

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House do issue an order for the return of the memorandum of understanding between the Government of Yukon and the Salvation Army regarding the new Centre of Hope facility.

Thursday, March 8, 2018

226. Motion for the Production of Papers No. 6

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

THAT this House do issue an order for the return of the “what we heard” document from the Department of Environment's internal working group on the audit of the permit hunt system, including correspondence from the Yukon Fish and Wildlife Management Board, the Yukon Fish and Game Association, and the Wild Sheep Foundation.

Monday, March 26, 2018

227. Motion for the Production of Papers No. 7

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

THAT this House do issue an order for the return of cost estimates, drawings and all background information on the new francophone school.

228. Motion for the Production of Papers No. 8

Ms. Van Bibber, Member for Porter Creek North

THAT this House do issue an order for the return of all current applications for infrastructure funding that the Government of Yukon has submitted to the Government of Canada.

Adjourned debate on the amendment and on the motion: Hon. Mr. Mostyn
(March 28, 2018)

Wednesday, April 18, 2018

229. Motion for the Production of Papers No. 10

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House do issue an order for the return of the 2017 Yukon Minerals Advisory Board annual report prior to the end of the 2018 Spring Sitting of the Legislative Assembly.