



YUKON
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Newsletter

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We are the leading voice of Yukon's business community, providing advocacy and representation on issues affecting businesses across the Yukon Territory.

Incorporated in 1985, the Yukon Chamber of Commerce is a vital, dynamic organization. As the collective voice of Yukon's Business Community, the Yukon Chamber of Commerce works to create a climate conducive to a strong private-sector economy by providing leadership and representation on issues and projects affecting business.

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Welcome New Members



Alsek Valley
Contracting

Visit their [website](#)

Solvest Inc.

Visit their [website](#)

October 2016

Sunday

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Chamber Events

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October 3, 2017 – [Financial Advisory Panel](#)

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Other Events

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October 7, 2017 – [Yukon Brewing Celebrates 20 years](#)

October 17, 2017 – [Co-Space](#)

(Your Business Success: Tools & Rules – Entrepreneurship workshop)

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October 23 -26, 2017 - [Renewables in remote communities](#)

November 1, 2017 – [Education, Career and Volunteer Expo](#)

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YCC Cannabis Distribution & Supply Survey

Dear Yukon Chamber of Commerce members,

With the impending legalization of cannabis coming next year, the Yukon Chamber of Commerce is particularly interested in surveying the views of the business community with regard to the production and distribution of legal cannabis in the territory.

Accordingly, we have replicated portions of the Yukon territorial government cannabis survey related to these two areas.

We would ask as many members as possible to fill out the survey by **Friday, 29 September**. Your responses to the survey will guide the Yukon Chamber's direction and input to the territorial government, reflecting the viewpoint of the business community.

Thank you in advance for your participation, we look forward to learning your perspectives on this interesting subject.

Sincerely

Peter Turner

President

Yukon Chamber of Commerce

Click [HERE](#) to take the survey



Government of Yukon issues fraud advisory

The Government of Yukon is warning local businesses to be wary of an individual who claims to be the exclusive agent of a Yukon Business Investor Visa Program, and who has offered incorrect information about the Yukon Business Nominee Program (YBNP).

Read more [HERE](#)

YCC Engagement on proposed changes to the federal small business tax structure

As many of our chamber members are aware, the federal government is currently proposing revisions to the small business tax structure.

The Yukon Chamber of Commerce has heard from a number of chamber members, and shares the concerns that have been articulated by them, as well as the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, about the negative impacts that these potential changes may have.

Accordingly, Stanley Noel, Chair of the Yukon Chamber of Commerce, has extended an invitation to the Federal finance minister Bill Morneau, inviting him to come to the Yukon and hear the perspectives of the Yukon business community on these proposed changes.

The chamber has been interviewed on this subject by CBC, as well as other media outlets, and Stanley Noel's CBC interview is documented on the [CBC North website](#).

[Click here](#) to read the invitation letter sent from the Yukon Chamber to Minister Morneau. If the minister accepts our invitation we will be notifying the business community of the time and place of the session and we will encourage you attend and make your perspectives known. -

Peter Turner, President

Opportunities North

Edmonton 2017

The Yukon Chamber of Commerce led a delegation of just over 20 Yukoners to Edmonton for Opportunities North 2017.

The conference was a sold out event with a large representation from Yukon joining in on the discussions.

Whitehorse Mayor Dan Curtis joined in on the Mayors Roundtable on Regional and Economic Development and Partnerships along with Mayors from Edmonton, Yellowknife & Iqaluit.

An audio copy of the “Aurora Sky and Beyond – How Edmonton’s own Terry Booth transformed Aurora into a loba juggernaut in the legal marijuana industry” presentation is available by emailing office@yukonchamber.com



Yukon BUSINESS DIRECTORY



Putting you in touch with Yukon businesses

<http://www.directoryyukon.com>

On the Yukon Chamber website click the Invest Yukon icon on the lower left-hand side of the main page to access the Yukon Business Directory.

To find a Yukon business, simply enter a keyword, business name, category, or location using the search fields.

To register your business click “Register Your Business” in the top right-hand corner.

For more information, or to edit an existing business listing, please contact the Yukon Chamber of Commerce 867-667-2000 or by email office@yukonchamber.com

Membership Recognition



The Yukon Chamber of Commerce would like to recognize

RE/MAX Action Realty

as they have been a member since 1994.

Thank you to all our members for your ongoing support for the efforts of the

Yukon Chamber.... It's your memberships that allow us to do

the work we do for the Yukon business community.

Contact Us

Please feel free to let us know how we are doing

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