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Permit and Authorization Guide for Yukon Activities

The guide is the result of a coordinated effort between the federal government's Department of Fisheries & Oceans and Environment Canada and several Yukon government's departments including Energy, Mines & Resources, Environment, Community Services, Highways & Public Works, Tourism & Culture and the Executive Council Office (Development Assessment Process Branch).

Purpose

This is a reference tool for people who need to identify specific federal and territorial government authorizations and contacts for project development activities. The guide may be helpful during any phase of project development but it does not replace any legislation or regulation that governs project development in Yukon.

Points to Remember

Processing applications for permits, licenses and authorizations takes time; please contact the relevant government departments early in the application process to assist you in meeting your project plan timelines. Contact information for each authorization or permit can be found in the last column of each table in the permit guide.

You may be required to pay a fee depending on the type of permit. Fees may also vary depending on the type of permit. For more detailed information on permit fees, please contact the government department or agency that is issuing the permit or authorization.

If you are not familiar with the authorization process, you may want to first consider consulting the relevant government department as they may be aware of details that could be important to your project application.

Please ensure that you contact the government department or agency listed in the guide to determine whether or not your project will require further review or authorization by *other* governments (First Nation, municipal etc.).

In addition, your project may also require an environmental assessment. The government department or branch issuing the permit can either inform you of any environmental assessment requirements or direct you to the appropriate office for further assistance.

How to Use this Guide

1. Find the general activity that best describes your project in the table of contents.
2. Locate the specific activity that best describes your project in the first column of each table.(Notes page 3)*
3. Find the column headings; they will guide you to permit/authorization information. (Notes page 3)**

Environmental Assessment

In the near future, Yukon will have transitioned from the Yukon's *Environmental Assessment Act* (EAA) and the *Canadian Environmental Assessment Act* (CEAA) to the new *Yukon Environmental and Socio-economic Assessment Act* (YESAA).

To find out about environmental assessments and the legislation mentioned above please contact the following:

- the government department issuing the permit/authorization for your project;
- the Yukon Environmental and Socio-Economic Assessment Board (YESAB) at (867) 668-6420, yesab@yesab.ca and www.yesab.ca; or
- the Yukon government Development Assessment Process (DAP) Branch at (867) 456-3818 and www.gov.yk.ca/depts/ located at room 310, Elijah Smith Building in Whitehorse, Yukon.

Activities on Settlement Land

Any activities done on Settlement Land (under a Yukon First Nation Final Agreement) will require permission or a permit from the First Nation. Please check with the First Nation in the area where your project is proposed to find out more about permission or permit requirements.

Work in Municipalities

Authorizations for work done in municipalities may not be listed in this guide. Please contact the appropriate municipal government for more information on what authorizations are required for your project.

Notes

*If your project includes more than one of the activities listed, your project may require more than one authorization, please check with the corresponding government departments (Responsible Authorities) for more information.

**The names of the Acts, government departments, contact numbers and e-mail addresses have been included where available. The *green italicized* indicates a territorial Act or regulation and the *red italicized* indicates a federal act or regulation.

TABLE OF ACTIVITIES

Agriculture

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Agricultural Land Acquisition	Agricultural Land Disposition	<i>Lands Act</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Agriculture Branch	(867) 667-5838 agriculture@gov.yk.ca
Livestock Grazing	Grazing Agreement	<i>Lands Act, Grazing Regulations</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Agriculture Branch	(867) 667-5838 agriculture@gov.yk.ca
Game Farming	Game Farm License	<i>Wildlife Act, Game Farm Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Conservation Officer Services	(867) 667-8005
	Land Lease	<i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act; Lands Act</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch	(867) 667-5215 land.disposition@gov.yk.ca

Building Related Activities

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Construction of Buildings outside a municipality	Building Permit	<i>Building Standards Act</i>	Community Services ➤ Building Safety	(867) 667-5741 buildingsafety@gov.yk.ca
Plumbing	Plumbing Permit	<i>Building Standards Act</i>	Community Services ➤ Building Safety	(867) 667-5741 buildingsafety@gov.yk.ca
On-site sewage disposal system	Permit to install a sewage disposal system	<i>Public Health & Safety Act, Sewage Disposal Systems Regulation</i>	Health & Social Services ➤ Environmental Health Services	(867) 667-8391 environmental.health@gov.yk.ca

Building Related Activities (continued)

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Electrical Work	Electrical Permit	<i>Electrical Protection Act</i> <i>Canadian Electrical Code</i>	Community Services ➤ Building Safety	(867) 667-5741 buildingsafety@gov.yk.ca
Gas Piping	Gas Installation Permit	<i>Gas Burning Devices Act</i>	Community Services ➤ Building Safety	(867) 667-5845 buildingsafety@gov.yk.ca
Use of propane gas in a gas burning device	Gas Installation Permit	<i>Gas Burning Devices Act</i>	Community Services ➤ Building Safety	(867) 667-5845 buildingsafety@gov.yk.ca
Operate fuel burning equipment greater than 5Mbtu/hr	Air Emissions Permit	<i>Environment Act, Air Emissions Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5456 envprot@gov.yk.ca
Service or Install equipment containing Ozone Depleting Substances (refrigeration equipment)	Ozone Depleting Substances and Other Halocarbons Permit (service/ installation technician must have this permit)	<i>Environment Act, Ozone Depleting Substances and Other Halocarbon Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5456 envprot@gov.yk.ca
Improvement Project (such as flood control structures and dams for hydroelectricity) on international rivers	International River Permit	<i>Boundary Waters Treaty Act, International River Improvements Regulation</i>	Environment Canada ➤ Environmental Protection	(867) 667-3402
Fire Prevention	Order to Remedy Problem	<i>Fire Protection Act</i>	Community Services ➤ Building Safety	(867) 667-5217

Environment, Contaminants and Waste

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Purchasing, Handling, and Services in/of Ozone Depleting Substances Equipment	Registration	<i>Environment Act, Ozone Depleting Substances Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5456 envprot@gov.yk.ca
Use of Ozone Depleting Substances & Equipment	Registration	<i>Environment Act, Ozone Depleting Substances Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5456 envprot@gov.yk.ca
Use and Sale of Restricted Pesticides	Pesticide Use, Service or Vendor Permit	<i>Environment Act, Pesticides Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5610 envprot@gov.yk.ca
Solid Waste Disposal Facility	Permit for the Facility	<i>Environment Act, Solid Waste Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5610 envprot@gov.yk.ca
	Land Lease	<i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act; Lands Act</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch	(867)667-5215 land.disposition@gov.yk.ca
Operation of land treatment facility for contaminated soils	Land Treatment Facility Permit	<i>Environment Act, Contaminated Sites Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5851 envprot@gov.yk.ca
Water Use or deposit of waste in water	Water License	<i>Waters Act</i>	Executive Council Office ➤ Yukon Water Board	(867) 456-3980 ywb@yukonwaterboard.ca
			Environment ➤ Environmental Programs, Water Resources	(867) 667-3171
Storage and Handling of Petroleum Products	Storage Tank Systems Permit, Land Use Permit	<i>Environment Act, Storage Tank Regulation</i>	Community Services ➤ Protective Services	(867) 667-5217
		<i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act, Lands Act, Land Use Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch	(867) 667-3173 land.use@gov.yk.ca

Environment, Contaminants and Waste (continued)

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Use of Storage Tanks	Application for Operation, Closure, Abandonment, or Renovations to Storage Tanks	<i>Environment Act, Storage Tank Regulation</i>	Community Services ➤ Protective Services	(867) 667-5217
Fuel caches of more than 4000L or any single container of more than 2000L on Commissioner's Land	Land Use Permit	<i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act; Lands Act, Land Use Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch	(867) 667-3173 land.use@gov.yk.ca
Handling, Disposal, Generation or Storage of Special (Hazardous) Wastes	Special Waste Permit	<i>Environment Act, Special Waste Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5610 envprot@gov.yk.ca
Sale, Subdivision or Excavation of a Contaminated Site	Authorization to conduct work on a Designated Contaminated Site	<i>Environment Act, Contaminated Sites Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5851 envprot@gov.yk.ca
Use of Risk-based Standards for Restoration of a Contaminated Site	Risk-based Assessment Permit	<i>Environment Act, Contaminated Sites Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5851 envprot@gov.yk.ca
Relocation of Contaminated Material	Relocation Permit	<i>Environment Act, Contaminated Sites Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5851 envprot@gov.yk.ca
Release of Air Pollutants	Air Emissions Permit	<i>Environment Act, Air Emissions Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5456 envprot@gov.yk.ca

Environment, Contaminants and Waste (continued)

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Operation of solid waste incinerator	Air Emissions Permit	<i>Environment Act, Air Emissions Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5456 envprot@gov.yk.ca
Operation of Mobile PCB Destruction or Treatment System	Authorization for PCB Treatment and Destruction	<i>Canadian Environmental Protection Act, Federal Mobile PCB Treatment and Destruction Regulation</i>	Environment Canada ➤ Environmental Protection	(867) 667-3402

Explosives

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Use of more than 50 kg of explosives on Commissioner's land in any 30 day period	Land Use Permit	<i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act, Land Use Regulations</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch	(867) 667-3173 land.use@gov.yk.ca
Manufacture of ANFO	ANFO Permit	<i>Explosives Act</i>	Natural Resources Canada ➤ Minerals & Metals Sector	(604) 666-0366 www.nrcan-mcan.gc.ca
Manufacture of explosives other than ANFO	Factory License	<i>Explosives Act</i>	Natural Resources Canada ➤ Minerals & Metals Sector	(604) 666-0366 www.nrcan-mcan.gc.ca

Explosives (continued)

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Overnight storage of explosives at any sight other than a mine or quarry	Permit for use of explosives	<i>Explosives Act</i>	Natural Resources Canada ➤ Minerals & Metals Sector	(604) 666-0366 www.nrcan-mcan.gc.ca
Explosives Storage	Explosives Magazine Permit	<i>Explosives Act</i>	Yukon Worker's Compensation Health and Safety Board ➤ Occupational Health & Safety	(867) 667-3777 worksafe@gov.yk.ca
Temporary Blasting	Temporary Blasters Permit	<i>Blasting Regulations</i>	Yukon Worker's Compensation Health and Safety Board ➤ Occupational Health & Safety	(867) 667-3777 worksafe@gov.yk.ca

Fish and Wildlife

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Sport Fishing	Angling License	<i>Wildlife Act</i>	Environment ➤ Conservation Officer Services	(867) 667-5221 (See Appendix A for District contacts) www.environmentyukon.gov.yk.ca
Hunting	Hunting License, Big Game Seals	<i>Wildlife Act</i>	Environment ➤ Conservation Officer Services	(867) 667-5221 (See Appendix A for District contacts) www.environmentyukon.gov.yk.ca
Activities in a Habitat Protection Area	Permission for Activity	<i>Wildlife Act, Wildlife Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Conservation Officer Services	(867) 667-5221 (See Appendix A for District contacts) www.environmentyukon.gov.yk.ca
Stocking Pot Hole Lakes	Fish Stocking License	<i>Fisheries Act</i>	Environment ➤ Fish and Wildlife Branch	(867) 667-5715 fish.wildlife@gov.yk.ca

Fish and Wildlife (continued)

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Harvesting of Fur Bearing Animals	Trapping License or Assistant Trapper License	<i>Wildlife Act</i>	Environment ➤ Fish and Wildlife Branch	(867) 667-5715 fish.wildlife@gov.yk.ca
Activities in a Migratory Bird Sanctuary	Permit for Activity	<i>Migratory Bird Sanctuary Regulation</i>	Environment Canada ➤ Environmental Protection	(867) 667-3402
Deposit of Oil or Oil Waste Harmful to Migratory Birds	Permit for Activity	<i>Migratory Birds Regulation</i>	Environment Canada ➤ Environmental Protection	(867) 667-3402
Introduction of Migratory Birds not Indigenous to Canada	Permit for Activity	<i>Migratory Bird Sanctuary Regulation</i>	Environment Canada ➤ Environmental Protection	(867) 667-3402
Destruction, Capture or Possession of Birds, Nests, Endangered Migratory Birds or Collection of Eiderdown	Permit for Activity	<i>Migratory Bird Sanctuary Regulation</i>	Environment Canada ➤ Environmental Protection	(867) 667-3402
Activities in a Wildlife Area	Wildlife Permit	<i>Wildlife Area Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Fish and Wildlife Branch	(867) 667-5715 fish.wildlife@gov.yk.ca
Harmful Alteration, Disruption or Destruction of Fish Habitat	Fisheries Authorization Section 35 (2)	<i>Fisheries Act</i>	Fisheries & Oceans Canada ➤ Habitat & Enhancement Branch	(867) 393-6722
Destruction of Fish by Means other than Fishing	Fisheries Authorization Section 32	<i>Fisheries Act</i>	Fisheries & Oceans Canada ➤ Habitat & Enhancement Branch	(867) 393-6722

Fish and Wildlife (continued)

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Obstruction of Fish Passage	Authorization under Section 22	<i>Fisheries Act</i>	Fisheries & Oceans Canada ➤ Habitat & Enhancement Branch	(867) 393-6722
Deposit of Deleterious Substance in Waters frequented by Fish	Regulation under Section 36	<i>Fisheries Act</i>	Environment Canada ➤ Environmental Protection	(867) 667-3400

Land Acquisition

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Title to Land	Issuance of Title	<i>Land Titles Act</i>	Justice ➤ Land Titles	(867) 667-5612 landtitlesoffice@gov.yk.ca
Tenure for Land Lease or Agreement of Sale	Application for Land	<i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act, Lands Act, Lands Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch	(867) 667-5215 land.disposition@gov.yk.ca
Survey Approvals outside of municipalities	Subdivision Application	<i>Subdivision Act</i>	Community Services ➤ Community Development Branch	(867) 667-3531

Land Use Activities

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Temporarily using or occupying Commissioner's Land	Land Use Permit	<i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act</i> <i>Lands Act</i> <i>Land Use Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch	(867) 667-3173 land.use@gov.yk.ca
Timber cutting less than 1000 m ³ per year including firewood	Commercial and Personal Use Permit	<i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act, Timber Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Client Services and Inspections Branch	District Offices (See Appendix A) www.emr.gov.yk.ca/csi
Timber cutting greater than 1000 m ³ per year	Timber Permit or Timber Harvest Agreement	<i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act, Timber Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Forest Management Branch	(867) 633-7904 forestry@gov.yk.ca www.emr.gov.yk.ca/forestry
Burn refuse (wood)	Burning Permit	<i>Forest Protection Act, Forest Protection Regulation</i> <i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act</i>	Community Services ➤ Protective Services	Zone Protection Officers (See Appendix A)
Permission to obtain gravel/sand from a quarry	Quarry Permit, Quarry Lease Air Emissions Permit (if excavation is greater than 4 ha)	<i>Quarry Regulations, Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act, Quarry Regulations, Lands Act</i> <i>Environment Act, Air Emissions Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch Environment ➤ Environment Programs	(867) 667-3173 land.use@gov.yk.ca (867) 667-5456 envprot@gov.yk.ca

Land Use Activities (continued)

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Land use on Dempster Highway (8 km on either side of highway from km 6.8 to NWT border)	Dempster Highway Development Authorization	<i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act</i> <i>Area Development Act, Dempster Highway Area Development Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5409 envprot@gov.yk.ca
Clearing or installing a utility right-of-way	Land Use Permit, Disposition Approval	<i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act, Land Use Regulation</i> <i>Lands Act</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch	(867) 667-3173 land.use@gov.yk.ca (867) 667-5215 land.disposition@gov.yk.ca
Conducting geotechnical studies	Land Use Permit	<i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act, Land Use Regulation</i> <i>Lands Act, Lands Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch	(867) 667-3173 land.use@gov.yk.ca
Construction of new road access	Land Use Permit, Permit under Highways Act Section 7(2)	<i>Land Use Regulations, Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act, Lands Act, Highways Act</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch Highways and Public Works ➤ Transportation Maintenance Branch	(867) 667-3173 land.use@gov.yk.ca highways.regulations@gov.yk.ca
Construct road access on highway right-of-way	Access Permit	<i>Highways Regulation</i>	Highways & Public Works ➤ Transportation Maintenance Branch	(867) 667-5159 highways.regulations@gov.yk.ca

Land Use Activities (continued)

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Use of land within highway right-of-way	License of Occupation	<i>Highways Act</i>	Highways & Public Works ➤ Transportation Maintenance Branch	(867) 667-5159 highways.regulations@gov.yk.ca
Perform work within highway right-of-way	Work in Right-of-way Permit	<i>Highways Regulation</i>	Highways & Public Works ➤ Transportation Maintenance Branch	(867) 667-5159 highways.regulations@gov.yk.ca
Erect a sign within highway right of way	Sign Permit	<i>Highways Regulation</i>	Highways & Public Works ➤ Transportation Maintenance Branch	(867) 667-5159 highways.regulations@gov.yk.ca
Bridge Crossing	Water License	<i>Waters Act,</i>	Executive Council Office ➤ Yukon Water Board	(867) 456-3980 ywb@yukonwaterboard.ca
	Land Use Permit	<i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act, Land Use Regulation, Lands Act</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch	(867) 667-3173 land.use@gov.yk.ca
	Navigable water authorization	<i>Navigable Waters Act (if bridge crosses navigable waters)</i>	Transport Canada	www.tc.gc.ca
Railway Crossing	Approval of a notice of work for Road Crossings of Railway	<i>Canadian Transportation Act</i>	Transport Canada ➤ Rail Safety Branch	(604) 666-0011 www.tc.gc.ca

Land Use Activities (continued)

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Work that does not substantially interfere with navigation	Review for possible exemption	<i>Navigable Water Protection Act</i>	Transport Canada	www.tc.gc.ca
Work, build or place in, on, over, under, through or across any navigable water	Application for an Approval of Proposed Works	<i>Navigable Water Protection Act</i> <i>Lands Act, Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act, Land Use Regulation</i>	Fisheries and Oceans Canada ➤ Habitat and Enhancement Branch Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch	(867) 393-6722 (867)667-3173 land.use@gov.yk.ca

Mining

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Staking Mineral Claim	Recording Mineral Claim	<i>Placer Mining Act</i> <i>Quartz Mining Act</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Minerals Management Branch	Mining Lands District Office (See Appendix A) mining@gov.yk.ca www.emr.gov.yk.ca/mining
Mineral Exploration (quartz or placer) Class 1 Activities	No permit but operating condition of mining land use regulations apply	<i>Placer Mining Act, Placer Mining Land Use Regulation</i> <i>Quartz Mining Act, Quartz Mining Land Use Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Minerals Management Branch	Mining Lands District Office (See Appendix A) mining@gov.yk.ca www.emr.gov.yk.ca/mining
Mineral Exploration (quartz or placer) Class 2 Activities	Class Two Notification	<i>Placer Mining Act, Placer Mining Land Use Regulation</i> <i>Quartz Mining Act, Quartz Mining Land Use Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Minerals Management Branch	Mining Lands District Office (See Appendix A) mining@gov.yk.ca www.emr.gov.yk.ca/mining

Mining (continued)

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Mineral Exploration (quartz or placer) Class 3 Activities	Approval for Operating Plan	<i>Placer Mining Act, Placer Mining Land Use Regulation</i> <i>Quartz Mining Act, Quartz Mining Land Use Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Minerals Management Branch	Mining Lands District Office (See Appendix A) mining@gov.yk.ca www.emr.gov.yk.ca/mining
Mineral Exploration (quartz) Class 4 Activities	Approval for Operating Plan	<i>Quartz Mining Act, Quartz Mining Land Use Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Minerals Management Branch	Mining Lands District Office (See Appendix A) mining@gov.yk.ca www.emr.gov.yk.ca/mining
Mineral Exploration (placer) Class 4 Activities	Approval for Operating Plan, Water License	<i>Placer Mining Act, Placer Mining Land Use Regulation</i> <i>Waters Act, Water Regulation</i>	Executive Council Office ➤ Yukon Water Board	(867) 456-3980 ywb@yukonwaterboard.ca
Mining	Quartz Mining License	<i>Quartz Mining Act</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Minerals Management Branch	(867) 456-3830 mining@gov.yk.ca www.emr.gov.yk.ca/mining
Coal Exploration, Coal Mining	Land Use Permit, Coal Permit/Coal Lease/Coal License	<i>Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act, Land Use Regulation</i> <i>Lands Act, Coal Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Minerals Management Branch	(867) 667-3173 land.use@gov.yk.ca Mining Lands District Office (See Appendix A) mining@gov.yk.ca

Mining (continued)

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Operating a diesel engine underground	Approval to operate a diesel engine underground	<i>Mine Safety Regulation</i>	Yukon Worker's Compensation Health and Safety Board ➤ Occupational Health & Safety	(867) 667-3777 worksafe@gov.yk.ca
Discharge effluent from a mine	Authorization to deposit effluent	<i>Fisheries Act, Metal Mining Effluent Regulation</i>	Environment Canada ➤ Environmental Protection	(867) 667-3402

Oil and Gas

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Acquiring Oil and Gas Rights	Oil and Gas Rights Disposition	<i>Oil and Gas Act, Disposition Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Oil and Gas Management Branch	(867) 667-3427 www.emr.gov.yk.ca/oilandgas/
Oil and Gas Exploration and Production	Oil and Gas License, Air Emissions Permit (for flaring), Land Use Permit	<i>Oil and Gas Act, Geoscience Exploration Regulation, Drilling and Production Regulation, License Administration Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Oil and Gas Management Branch	(867) 667-3427 www.emr.gov.yk.ca/oilandgas/
		<i>Lands Act, Territorial Lands (Yukon) Acts, Land Use Regulation</i>	Energy, Mines & Resources ➤ Lands Branch	(867) 667-3173 land.use@gov.yk.ca
		<i>Environment Act, Air Emissions Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5456 envprot@gov.yk.ca

Parks, Historic Resources and Tourism

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Use of a Territorial Park	Park Permit	<i>Parks & Land Certainty Act</i>	Environment ➤ Parks Branch	(867) 667-5684 yukonparks@gov.yk.ca
Use of a Territorial Campground	Campground Permit	<i>Parks & Land Certainty Act</i>	Environment ➤ Parks Branch	(867) 667-5684 yukonparks@gov.yk.ca
Designated Activities within Territorial Parks	Park Permit	<i>Parks & Land Certainty Act & Associated Regulations</i>	Environment ➤ Parks Branch	(867) 667-5648 yukonparks@gov.yk.ca
Use of National Parks & Historic Sites	Authorization (dependent on use)	<i>National Parks Act</i>	Parks Canada	(867) 667-3910
Wilderness Tourism	Wilderness Tourism License	<i>Wilderness Tourism Licensing Act</i>	Environment ➤ Parks Branch	(867) 667-5684 yukonparks@gov.yk.ca
Remove Wreck, Vessel or parts thereof from water	Review for possible Exemption, for abandoned Wreck in excess of 45 years old	<i>Canada Shipping Act Part 6</i> <i>Historic Resources Act</i>	Transport Canada Tourism & Culture (Yukon) ➤ Heritage Resources	(867) 667-5363

Public Health

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Operating a Food Premise	Permit to Operate a Food Premise	<i>Public Health & Safety Act, Eating and Drinking Places Regulation</i>	Health & Social Services ➤ Environmental Health Services	(867) 667-8391 environmental.health@gov.yk.ca
Potable Water Supply	Must meet the Health Criteria under the Guidelines for Canadian Drinking Water Quality	<i>Public Health & Safety Act</i> (new regulation is anticipated)	Health & Social Services ➤ Environmental Health Services	(867) 667-8391 environmental.health@gov.yk.ca

Radioactive Materials

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Abandonment or Disposal of a Substance, Material, Device or Equipment that contains more than 10 kg of Uranium, Throium or a Prescribed Substance, or where its Surface is Contaminated or Use of a Prescribed Substance as a Tracer	License for Nuclear Substance, License to use Radiation Device	<i>Nuclear Safety & Control Act</i>	Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission	1-800-668-5284 www.nuclearsafety.gc.ca
Use, Possession, or Importing of a Prescribed Substance in a device such as: Analyzers, Chromatographs, Calibrators, Fixed and Portable Guages, Industrial Radiography, Logging, Detectors, etc.	License for Nuclear Substance, License to use Radiation Device	<i>Nuclear Safety & Control Act</i>	Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission	1-800-668-5284 www.nuclearsafety.gc.ca/

Scientific Research

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Scientific and Social Scientific Research in the Yukon, including Studies connected with Environmental Assessments	Scientists and Explorers Permit required for nonresident researchers in the Yukon and optional for residents.	<i>Scientists and Explorers Act</i>	Tourism and Culture ➤ Heritage Resources	(867) 667-5363

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Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Search for and Research at Archaeological and Palaeontological Sites	Archaeological Sites Regulations Permit	<i>Historic Resources Act, Archaeological Sites Regulation</i>	Tourism and Culture ➤ Heritage Resources	(867) 667-5363
Fish Research and Surveys	Fisheries Permit	<i>Fisheries Act</i>	Environment ➤ Fish and Wildlife Branch (Freshwater Fish) Fisheries and Oceans Canada (Salmon) ➤ Habitat & Enhancement Branch	(867) 667-5715 fish.wildlife@gov.yk.ca (867) 393-6722
Collection of Fish	License to Collect Fish for Scientific Purposes	<i>Fisheries Act, General (Fishery) Regulation</i>	Fisheries & Oceans Canada ➤ Habitat & Enhancement Branch	(867) 393-6722

Transportation

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Operate Motor Vehicles in Yukon	Driver's License and Vehicle Registration	<i>Motor Vehicles Act</i>	Community Services ➤ Motor Vehicles	(867) 667-5315 motor.vehicles@gov.yk.ca
Operating Pleasure Craft	Vessel Licensing and Operators Competency Card	<i>Canada Shipping Act</i>	Transport Canada ➤ Office of Boating Safety	(250) 480-2792 www.tc.gc.ca/pacific/marine/obs/menu.htm

Transportation (continued)

Activity	Authorization Required	Act or Regulation	Government Department and Branch	Contact Information
Transportation of Freight, Passengers by Water	Inspection and Certification	<i>Canada Shipping Act</i>	Transport Canada ➤ Marine Safety Branch	(604) 666-5300 www.tc.gc.ca/pacific/marine/marinesafety/menu.htm
Bulk Commodity Hauling	Bulk Commodity Haul Agreement	<i>Bulk Commodity Haul Regulations</i>	Highways & Public Works ➤ Transport Services Branch	(867) 667-5833 highways.regulations@gov.yk.ca
Oversize Trucking	Over dimensional or Over weight Vehicle Permits (single trip or multiple trip)	<i>Highways Act</i>	Highways & Public Works ➤ Transport Services Branch	(867) 667-5729 highways.regulations@gov.yk.ca
Transport of Dangerous Goods/Waste	Certificate and/or Permit for transport of dangerous goods	<i>Transportation of Dangerous Goods Act</i>	Highways & Public Works ➤ Transport Services Branch	(867) 667-5832 highways.regulations@gov.yk.ca
Transportation of PCB's	Permit to transport PCB's	<i>Transportation of Dangerous Good Act</i>	Highways & Public Works ➤ Transport Services Branch	(867) 667-5832 highways.regulations@gov.yk.ca
Sell New Tires or Store Used Tires	Designated Materials Permit	<i>Environment Act, Designated Materials Regulation</i>	Environment ➤ Environmental Programs	(867) 667-5851 envprot@gov.yk.ca

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➤ **District contacts for Conservation Officer Services – Environment**

Dawson City	(867) 993-5492
Faro	(867) 994-2862
Haines Junction	(867) 634-2247
Mayo	(867) 996-2202
Old Crow	(867) 966-3040
Ross River	(867) 969-2202
Teslin	(867) 390-2685
Watson Lake	(867) 536-7363
Whitehorse	(867) 667-5113

➤ **District Offices – Energy, Mines and Resources**

Carmacks	(867) 863-5271
Dawson City	(867) 993-5468
Haines Junction	(867) 634-2256
Mayo	(867) 996-2343
Ross River	(867) 969-2243
Teslin	(867) 390-2531
Watson Lake	(867) 536-7335
Whitehorse	(867) 456-3887

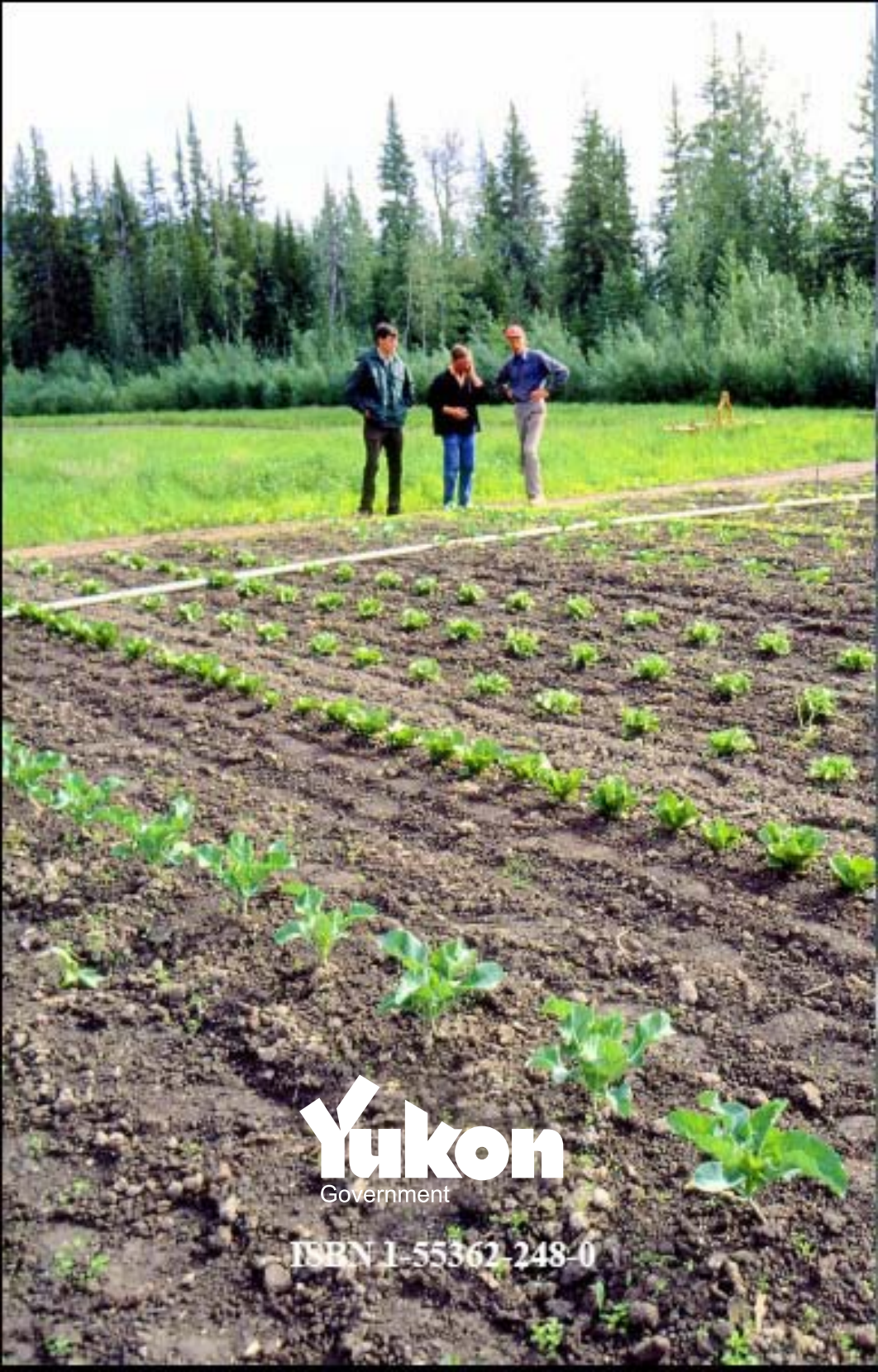
➤ **Zone Protection Officers – Community Services**

Carmacks	(867) 863-5271
Dawson City	(867) 993-5468
Haines Junction	(867) 634-2256
Mayo	(867) 996-2343
Ross River	(867) 969-2243
Teslin	(867) 390-2531
Watson Lake	(867) 536-7335
Whitehorse	(867) 456-3877

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➤ **Mining Lands District Office** – Energy, Mines and Resources

Dawson City	(867) 993-5343
Mayo	(867) 996-2256
Watson Lake	(867) 536-7366
Whitehorse	(867) 456-3823



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