



CITY OF IQALUIT
CITY COUNCIL MEETING #07
City Council Chambers
May 26, 2026 at 6:00 PM
AGENDA

MOMENT OF SILENCE

SWEARING IN - None.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

1. **MINUTES**

- a) Governance and Priorities COW Meeting #03 Minutes dated May 5, 2026
- b) City Council Meeting #06 Minutes dated May 12, 2026

2. **DECLARATION OF INTEREST**

3. **DELEGATIONS**

- a) Iqaluit RCMP Detachment
Monthly Reports – March and April 2026
Staff Sergeant Vlatko Nikolovski

4. **AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS**

None.

5. **STATEMENTS**

6. **DEFERRED BUSINESS AND TABLED ITEMS**

None.

7. **BY-LAWS**

- a) **First Reading of By-law(s).**

None.

- b) **Second Reading of By-law(s).**

- i) By-law No. 1036, Zoning By-law Amendment 26-003A for Plan 2105, Lot 860

c) **Third Reading of By-law(s).**

None.

8. **OLD BUSINESS**

None.

9. **NEW BUSINESS**

a) Information Item – Engineering Department Projects Update
Kevin Kerr, Director of Engineering and Capital Projects

b) Request for Decision and Planning Report – Development Permit Application DP 25-047 and Survey Sketch Application SK 26-007
Fred Coman Apartment Building
Lots 1 & 3, Block 239, Plan 4565
Applicant: 5711 Nunavut Ltd.
Samantha Toffolo, Contract Planner
Mathew Dodds, Director of Planning and Development

10. **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

None.

11. **CORRESPONDENCE**

a) Nunavut Research Institute – Scientific Research License Application – Brad Chambers, Qaujigiartiit Health Research Centre

12. **IN-CAMERA SESSION**

As per Section 22(2)(a) of the Cities, Towns and Villages Act and By-law No. 526
Section 67

a) Legal

13. **ADJOURNMENT**

Next City Council Meeting June 23, 2026

**MINUTES
CITY OF IQALUIT
GOVERNANCE AND PRIORITIES
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING #03
MAY 5, 2026 at 6:00 p.m.
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

PRESENT FROM COUNCIL

Councillor Romeyn Stevenson, Chair
Deputy Mayor Kimberly Smith
Alternate Deputy Mayor Harry Flaherty
Councillor Simon Nattaq
Councillor Kyle Sheppard

ABSENT

Mayor Solomon Awa
Councillor Amber Aglukark
Councillor Methusalah Kunuk

PRESENT FROM ADMINISTRATION

Steve England, Chief Administrative Officer
Jamie Evic, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer
Brianna Longworth, City Clerk
Katrina Sarmiento, Deputy City Clerk
Carol Nakanwagi, Executive Assistant
Sol Tagak, Director of Emergency Services/Fire Chief
Geoffrey Byrne, Communications and Customer Service Manager
Donna Keenainak, Customer Service Representative

Councillor Stevenson opened the meeting at 6:00 p.m.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Add:

8. IN CAMERA
 - a) Legal - Verbal

Motion GP 26-13

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith
Seconded by: Councillor Sheppard

Adoption of agenda as amended.

Unanimously Carried

1. **MOMENT OF SILENCE**

A moment of silence was observed by the committee.

2. **DECLARATION OF INTEREST**

None

3. **PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT ITEMS**

a) **Decision Item – Scope of Public Engagement Activities**

Geoffrey Byrne, Communications and Customer Service Manager, presented a Decision Item regarding the Scope of Public Engagement Activities.

Motion GP 26-14

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith

Seconded by: Councillor Sheppard

Committee recommends that Council approve the Public Engagement Scope of Work as presented.

Unanimously Carried

Deputy Mayor Smith made the following comments:

- Great place to start
- Evolving process

Councillor Nattaq made the following comment:

- Spoke in favour of having a public consultation process

4. **DEFERRED BUSINESS AND TABLED ITEMS**

None

5. **NEW BUSINESS**

a) **Discussion Item – Council Support Letter Policy**

Brianna Longworth, City Clerk, presented a Discussion Item regarding the Council Support Letter Policy.

Deputy Mayor Smith made the following comment and asked the following questions, which Ms. Longworth answered:

- Policy will assist organizations requiring support letters

- Who ensures the criteria is met prior to the mayor signing a letter of support?
 - Requests would be received by Administration, who will review and evaluate the request based on the criteria, and present the information to the mayor prior to a letter of support being signed
- When does Council have the opportunity to object to a letter of support prior to it being signed by the mayor?
 - Councillor Stevenson suggested including language as to whether the request is known to have a historical objection by a member of Council
 - Administration discussed this matter and talked about notifying Council of a request and providing a period of time that councillors could respond if there were concerns
 - Referenced clause 7 (a)(vi) “is not objected to by a member of Council”
 - Explained that clause 7 (b)(iii) “involves a project or concept that Council has not previously supported via resolution or approved plan” can serve a similar objective
- Possibility that a request could be sent to the mayor without being seen by Administration

Councillor Stevenson made the following comments:

- Council is delegating authority to the mayor
- Staff is providing information
- Suggested that clause 7 (a)(vi) could be removed, as the mayor would be aware of historical objections

Councillor Nattaq made the following comment, to which Councillor Stevenson replied:

- Noted that in the Inuktitut translation it says six instead of seven
 - Inuktitut version will be proofread to ensure the translation matches the English version

Councillor Stevenson made the following comments, to which Ms. Longworth replied:

- Administration indicated that the policy would include wording “at the discretion of the mayor”
 - Appears in another section of the policy
- Spoke about the importance of trusting the mayor

Deputy Mayor Smith made the following comment, to which Councillor Stevenson replied:

- Clarified that she trusted the mayor and that her comments were in relation to the policy providing direction to future Councils and mayors that would not allow approvals without Administration’s knowledge
 - Spoke about best practices to have letters reviewed by staff to ensure they meet the policy criteria

Councillor Sheppard made the following comments:

- In favour of the policy, knowing that requests were received by Administration prior to being sent to the mayor
- No matter who signs a letter, it is important to have letters reviewed to ensure residents are not offended and there are no sensitive subjects that councillors are not always aware of
- Due diligence is important

Alternate Deputy Mayor Flaherty made the following comment and asked the following question, which Councillor Stevenson answered:

- Generally, supports the policy
- Who receives requests for letters of support?
 - Normally, requests for letters of support are received by Administration
 - Recently, councillors received sealed letters on their Council desks and Administration was not aware of the contents
 - There are ways for residents to send a letter to the mayor without Administration's knowledge.
 - Best practices must be considered, and in this instance, it would be best practice for the mayor to share the letter with Administration prior to signing anything
 - Ms. Longworth explained that Section 5 – Application Requirements – notes that applicants must provide information to the City Clerk
 - There could be times when information goes directly to the mayor due to requestors being unfamiliar with the process
 - Most requests do come to the City Clerk's office
 - Requests sent to the mayor first are normally forwarded to Administration
- Suggested that letters of support require both the mayor's signature and deputy mayor's initial/signature, which will provide due diligence

Councillor Stevenson made the following comment:

- Requiring a second signature on letters of support that do not have a resolution of Council, provides due diligence and addresses earlier concerns

Councillor Stevenson pointed out the following amendment to the draft policy based on the discussion:

- Remove clause 7 (a)(vi) – “is not objected to by a member of Council”
- If the mayor is aware that Council would not support the request, the mayor has the discretion to present the request to Council

Ms. Longworth made the following comments:

- Staff will remove clause 7 (a)(vi)
- Include language to include second signature by the deputy mayor
- Staff will have the Inuktitut version proofread to ensure it is the same as the English version
- Revised policy will be presented at a future meeting for feedback and/or

recommendation to Council

b) Discussion Item – Vehicle for Hire By-law No. 997

Steve England, Chief Administrative Officer, presented a Discussion Item regarding Vehicle for Hire By-law No. 997. Mr. England advised that the by-law was included in the agenda package as requested at the last Council meeting.

Mr. England made the following comments:

- Vehicle for Hire By-law will be on the next Governance and Priorities COW meeting agenda, which allows time for councillors to review the by-law
- Municipal Enforcement team will be in attendance at that time to answer questions
- Based on the internal policy, legal counsel has been asked to conduct an in-depth review of the by-law
- Opportunity for public engagement, which will give Council the chance to establish new service standards
- Correspondence from a taxi cab company was received this afternoon and will be translated and included with the next agenda package
- Council may want to invite representative(s) from the taxi cab company and independent operators to attend a meeting

Councillor Stevenson made the following comments:

- Agreed with the recommendation to discuss the matter at the next meeting
- Very complicated by-law to understand
- Agreed with the suggestion to hold a public engagement session regarding service standards

Mr. England made the following comments:

- Legal counsel's review of the by-law will determine if any changes can be made
 - May be an opportunity to simplify the by-law
- Want to be fair to the taxi cab companies, independent operators, and residents
- Government of Nunavut should be involved in order to have some standardization
- Important to be cognizant of safety standards
- Caution must be considered as Council does not have requirements for service standards for other businesses in the city

Deputy Mayor Smith made the following comments:

- Room for improvement
- Opportunity for public feedback
- Taxi is the public transportation used in the city

6. DEPARTMENT UPDATES

a) Information Item – Emergency Services – Fire Department

Sol Tagak, Director of Emergency Services/Fire Chief, presented an Information Item regarding Emergency Services – Fire Department. Mr. Tagak provided an overview of the Emergency Services Department and services provided.

Councillor Sheppard made the following comments and asked the following questions, which Mr. Tagak answered:

- Valuable to have a knowledgeable person from Nunavut as the Director of Emergency Services/Fire Chief
- Important to find opportunities for local residents to become members of the department
- Considering all aspects of future growth, the Emergency Services Department will need to grow
- Seeing the increase in medical calls, should consideration be given to separate fire and medical services?
- Is there an opportunity to develop training programs that focuses locally on expanding the department?
 - At this time, would not consider separating fire and medical services
 - Advocate to increase staff to meet the needs of both fire and medical services
 - Rise in medical calls necessitates the need for more medically trained staff
- Maintain the same location and structure, but to separate roles to attract residents who are interested in either fire or medical to have a stronger force that would complement both services

Alternate Deputy Mayor Flaherty made the following comments and asked the following questions, which Mr. Tagak answered:

- Expressed gratitude for an Inuk being in charge of the Emergency Services Department
- Thanked the Emergency Services Department for their work and service in the community
- What are the department challenges relating to the communication system within buildings?
 - Not aware of any communication problems relating to buildings
 - There are some buildings that contract fire alarm monitoring through third party contractors, which are down south.
 - Any reported communication problems are repaired as quickly as possible.
 - Technology changes frequently and discussion with Administration to upgrade systems when they become available
- Iqaluit is experiencing rapid geographic growth and taller, larger buildings are being constructed. Will the fire department's current location meet the needs?

- As Apex continues to grow, a new station will have to be considered to meet the needs of communities and reduce response times.
- If Iqaluit grows geographically, consideration will have to be given to construct new stations to reduce response times for both fire and medical emergencies.

7. **OPEN DISCUSSION ITEMS**

None

8. **IN CAMERA SESSION**

(1) as per Section 22 (2) (a) *Cities, Towns and Villages Act* and By-law No. 526
Section 67

- Legal - Verbal

Motion GP 26-15

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith

Seconded by: Alternate Deputy Mayor Flaherty

Committee goes In Camera at 7:04 p.m.

Unanimously Carried

Motion GP 26-16

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith

Seconded by: Councillor Sheppard

Committee returns to Regular Session at 7:17 p.m.

Unanimously Carried

9. **ADJOURNMENT**

Motion GP 26-17

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith

Seconded by: Councillor Sheppard

Committee adjourns at 7:17 p.m.

Unanimously Carried

Councillor Romeyn Stevenson
Chair

Brianna Longworth
City Clerk

Approved by City Council on the ____ day of _____ 2026.

**CITY OF IQALUIT
CITY COUNCIL MEETING #06
MAY 12, 2026 at 6:00 p.m.
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

PRESENT FROM COUNCIL

Mayor Solomon Awa
Deputy Mayor Kimberly Smith
Alternate Deputy Mayor Harry Flaherty
Councillor Amber Aglukark
Councillor Kyle Sheppard
Councillor Romeyn Stevenson

ABSENT

Councillor Methusalah Kunuk
Councillor Simon Nattaq

PRESENT FROM ADMINISTRATION

Steve England, Chief Administrative Officer
Jamie Evic, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer
Bill Williams, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer
Brianna Longworth, City Clerk
Katrina Sarmiento, Deputy City Clerk
Carol Nakanwagi, Executive Assistant
Brenton McNeil, Director of Recreation
Mathew Dodds, Director of Planning and Development
Dominik Gagné, Economic Development Officer
Geoffrey Byrne, Communications and Customer Service Manager

MOMENT OF SILENCE

Mayor Awa opened the meeting at 6:00 p.m. with a moment of silence.

SWEARING IN

None

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Remove:

9. NEW BUSINESS
 - d) Appointment of Acting Mayor - June 2 to 9, 2026 – Verbal

Motion #26-100

Moved by: Councillor Stevenson
Seconded by: Deputy Mayor Smith

Adoption of agenda as amended.

Unanimously Carried

1. **MINUTES**

a) **Planning and Development Committee of the Whole Meeting #04 Minutes dated April 21, 2026**

Motion #26-101

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith
Seconded by: Councillor Sheppard

Planning and Development Committee of the Whole Meeting #04 Minutes dated April 21, 2026.

Unanimously Carried

b) **Public Hearing #03 Minutes dated April 28, 2026**

Motion #26-102

Moved by: Councillor Sheppard
Seconded by: Deputy Mayor Smith

Public Hearing #03 Minutes dated April 28, 2026.

Unanimously Carried

c) **City Council Meeting #05 Minutes dated April 28, 2026**

Motion #26-103

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith
Seconded by: Councillor Sheppard

City Council Meeting #05 Minutes dated April 28, 2026.

Unanimously Carried

2. DECLARATION OF INTEREST

Councillor Sheppard declared a conflict of interest regarding:

7. BY-LAWS

c) First Reading of By-law(s)

- iii. By-law No. 1031, Amendment to General Plan By-law No. 898 for Lots 1 and 3, Block 239, Plan 4565 (GPA 26-001)
- iv. By-law No. 1032, Amendment to Zoning By-law No. 899 for Lots 1 and 3, Block 239, Plan 4565 (ZBA 26-001)

3. DELEGATIONS

a) **Baffin Regional Chamber of Commerce – 2026 Nunavut Tradeshow – Sponsorship**

Tom Fitzgerald, Vice President, Baffin Regional Chamber of Commerce, was in attendance to make a presentation regarding the 2026 Nunavut Tradeshow Sponsorship. The following are the highlights of the presentation:

- 34th Annual Nunavut Trade Show and Conference to be held from September 14 to 17, 2026 in Iqaluit
- Event provides economic benefits to the community
- Requesting City's support to use the Arctic Winter Games (AWG) Arena

b) **Nunavut Black History Society – 2026 Emancipation Festival – Support Letter Request for Funding Application to the Canadian Heritage Program – Verbal**

Stephanie Bernard, President, Nunavut Black History Society, was in attendance to make a presentation regarding the 2026 Emancipation Festival and Support Letter Request that would be submitted with a Funding Application to the Canadian Heritage Program. The following are the highlights of the presentation:

- Festival will be held from September 25 to 27, 2026
- Festival includes local artisans
- Provides an opportunity to showcase Black History arts and culture
- Pending funding, the festival will increase its offerings and also include many Inuit artisans

4. AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

None

5. STATEMENTS

Deputy Mayor Smith extended birthday wishes to her dad on his 70th birthday.

Mayor Awa reminded residents that the deadline for candidates to apply to fill the vacant Council seat was May 22, 2026 at 4:30 p.m.

Mayor Awa advised that the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) have published a report entitled “The Future of Northern and Arctic Canada”, which includes comments from mayors, councillors, Indigenous governments and frontline staff. The report includes four topics: social well-being, infrastructure and transportation, climate change and environment, and sovereignty and security. Mayor Awa noted that the report was available for councillors to read on the Federation of Canadian Municipalities’ website.

6. DEFERRED BUSINESS AND TABLED ITEMS

None

7. BY-LAWS

a) First Reading of By-law(s)

- i) By-law No. 1036, Amendment to Zoning By-law No. 899 for Lot 860, Plan 2105 (ZBA 26-003A)

Motion #26-104

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith

Seconded by: Councillor Sheppard

Council approves First Reading of By-law No. 1036, Amendment to Zoning By-law No. 899 for Lot 860, Plan 2105 (ZBA 26-003A).

**For – Smith, Aglukark, Sheppard, Stevenson
Opposed – Flaherty
Carried**

Alternate Deputy Mayor Flaherty indicated that he was not in favour of the building that was going to be erected as the parking space was not sufficient and he felt that people were not informed on the matter.

b) Second Reading of By-law(s)

None

c) Third Reading of By-law(s)

- i.) By-law No. 1025, Amendment to General Plan By-law No. 898 for West 40 Subdivision (GPA 25-001)

Motion #26-105

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith
Seconded by: Alternate Deputy Mayor Flaherty

Council approves Third and Final Reading of By-law No. 1025, Amendment to General Plan By-law No. 898 for West 40 Subdivision (GPA 25-001).
Unanimously Carried

- ii.) By-law No. 1026, Amendment to Zoning By-law No. 899 for West 40 Subdivision (ZBA 25-005)

Motion #26-106

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith
Seconded by: Councillor Sheppard

Council approves Third and Final Reading of By-law No. 1026, Amendment to Zoning By-law No. 899 for West 40 Subdivision (ZBA 25-005).
Unanimously Carried

- iii.) By-law No. 1031, Amendment to General Plan By-law No. 898 for Lots 1 and 3, Block 239, Plan 4565 (GPA 26-001)

Councillor Sheppard declared a conflict of interest and left the Council Chambers.

Motion #26-107

Moved by: Alternate Deputy Mayor Flaherty
Seconded by: Councillor Stevenson

Council approves Third and Final Reading of By-law No. 1031, Amendment to General Plan By-law No. 898 for Lots 1 and 3, Block 239, Plan 4565 (GPA 26-001).
Unanimously Carried

- iv.) By-law No. 1032, Amendment to Zoning By-law No. 899 for Lots 1 and 3, Block 239, Plan 4565 (ZBA 26-001)

Councillor Sheppard declared a conflict of interest and remained outside of the room.

Motion #26-108

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith
Seconded by: Councillor Aglukark

Council approves Third and Final Reading of By-law No. 1032, Amendment to Zoning By-law No. 899 for Lots 1 and 3, Block 239, Plan 4565 (ZBA 26-001).

Unanimously Carried

Following the vote, Councillor Sheppard returned to the meeting.

8. OLD BUSINESS

None

9. NEW BUSINESS

a) Request for Decision – Baffin Regional Chamber of Commerce 2026 Nunavut Tradeshow, September 14 to 17, 2026 – Sponsorship

Dominik Gagné, Economic Development Officer, presented a Request for Decision regarding the Baffin Regional Chamber of Commerce 2026 Nunavut Tradeshow and Conference Sponsorship request.

Mr. Gagné made the following comments:

- Staff are recommending waiving applicable fees and supporting the tradeshow with a Platinum Sponsorship and an in-kind contribution totalling \$18,954.40.

Motion #26-109

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith

Seconded by: Councillor Aglukark

Council approves a Platinum Sponsorship of \$10,000 and an in-kind contribution, resulting in a total cost of \$18,954.40, to the Baffin Regional Chamber of Commerce for the 2026 Nunavut Tradeshow and Conference being held in Iqaluit from September 14 to September 17, 2026.

Unanimously Carried

b) Request for Decision – 2026 Fiscal Year Community Economic Development Officer (CEDO) Budget

Dominik Gagné, Economic Development Officer, presented a Request for Decision for the 2026 Fiscal Year Community Economic Development Officer (CEDO) Budget.

Mr. Gagné made the following comments:

- Government of Nunavut fully supports the Economic Development Officer position annually with a contribution of \$190,000
- Proposed budget has been preliminarily approved by the Government of Nunavut

- Requires a motion of Council to ratify the contribution

Motion #26-110

Moved by: Councillor Sheppard

Seconded by: Alternate Deputy Mayor Flaherty

Council approves the submission of the 2026 Fiscal Year Community Economic Development Officer (CEDO) budget to the Government of Nunavut.

Unanimously Carried

c) Request for Decision – Alianait Arts Festival - June 20 to 22, 2026 – In-Kind Support

Brenton McNeil, Director of Recreation, presented a Request for Decision for In-kind Sponsorship Support for the Alianait Arts Festival being held from June 20 to 22, 2026.

Mr. McNeil made the following comments:

- Alianait has requested sponsorship and in-kind support
 - 40 week-long pool passes for guest artists attending the festival
 - Use of tents, garbage bins, port-a-potties and other festival equipment
 - Staff resources
 - Hosting a youth focused drum dancing pool party on June 19 from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m.
- Total in-kind contribution is \$8,566

Motion #26-111

Moved by: Councillor Sheppard

Seconded by: Deputy Mayor Smith

Council approves in-kind sponsorship support in the amount of \$8,566 for the 2026 Alianait Arts Festival being held from June 20 to June 22, 2026

Unanimously Carried

d) Appointment of Acting Mayor – June 2 to 9, 2026 – Verbal

This item was removed from the agenda.

10. COMMITTEE REPORTS

a) Governance and Priorities Committee of the Whole Meeting #03 – May 5, 2026 Report

Councillor Stevenson indicated that the committee tabled the Vehicle for Hire By-law, with the intention that the committee would review the by-law, making improvements to better serve Iqalummiut.

Motion #26-112

Moved by: Councillor Stevenson
Seconded by: Deputy Mayor Smith

Council approves the Public Engagement Scope of Work as presented.

Unanimously Carried

11. CORRESPONDENCE

- a) **Nunavut Black History Society – 2026 Emancipation Festival – Support Letter Request for Funding Application to the Canadian Heritage Program**

Motion #26-113

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith
Seconded by: Councillor Sheppard

Council provides a letter of support to the Nunavut Black History Society for their funding application to the Canadian Heritage Program to deliver an Emancipation Festival.

Unanimously Carried

- b) **Nunavut Research Institute – Scientific Research License Application – Dr. Cheryl Forchuk, Western University & Lawson Research Institute**

Motion #26-114

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith
Seconded by: Councillor Sheppard

Nunavut Research Institute – Application: “Canadian Women Veterans Experiencing Homelessness: Current State and Suggested Solutions”, proposed to take place from July 1, 2026 to July 15, 2026, Dr. Cheryl Forchuk, Department of Nursing, Western University & Lawson Research Institute.

Unanimously Carried

- c) **Nunavut Research Institute – Scientific Research License Application – Nick Mule, Department of Social Work, York University**

Motion #26-115

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Smith
Seconded by: Councillor Sheppard

Nunavut Research Institute – Application: “2SLGBTQIA+ Poverty in Canada: Improving Livelihood and Social Wellbeing”, proposed to take place from June 1, 2026 to October 30, 2026, Nick Mule, Department of Social Work, York University.

Unanimously Carried

d) Information Item – North West Company – Update on Fuel Costs

The following item was presented for information: Letter from Doug Anderson, Director of Sales and Operations, North West Company, regarding an update on rising fuel costs and the impact on store prices in Iqaluit.

12. IN CAMERA SESSION

() as per Section 22 (2) (a) *Cities, Towns and Villages Act* and By-law No. 526
Section 67

13. ADJOURNMENT

Motion #26-116

Moved by: Councillor Sheppard
Seconded by: Councillor Aglukark

Council adjourns at 6:26 p.m.

Unanimously Carried

Mayor Solomon Awa
Chair

Brianna Longworth
City Clerk

Approved by City Council on the ____ day of _____ 2026.

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Monthly Report

March 2026

COMMUNITY PROFILE

Detachment Commander: S/Sgt. Vlatko Nikolovski

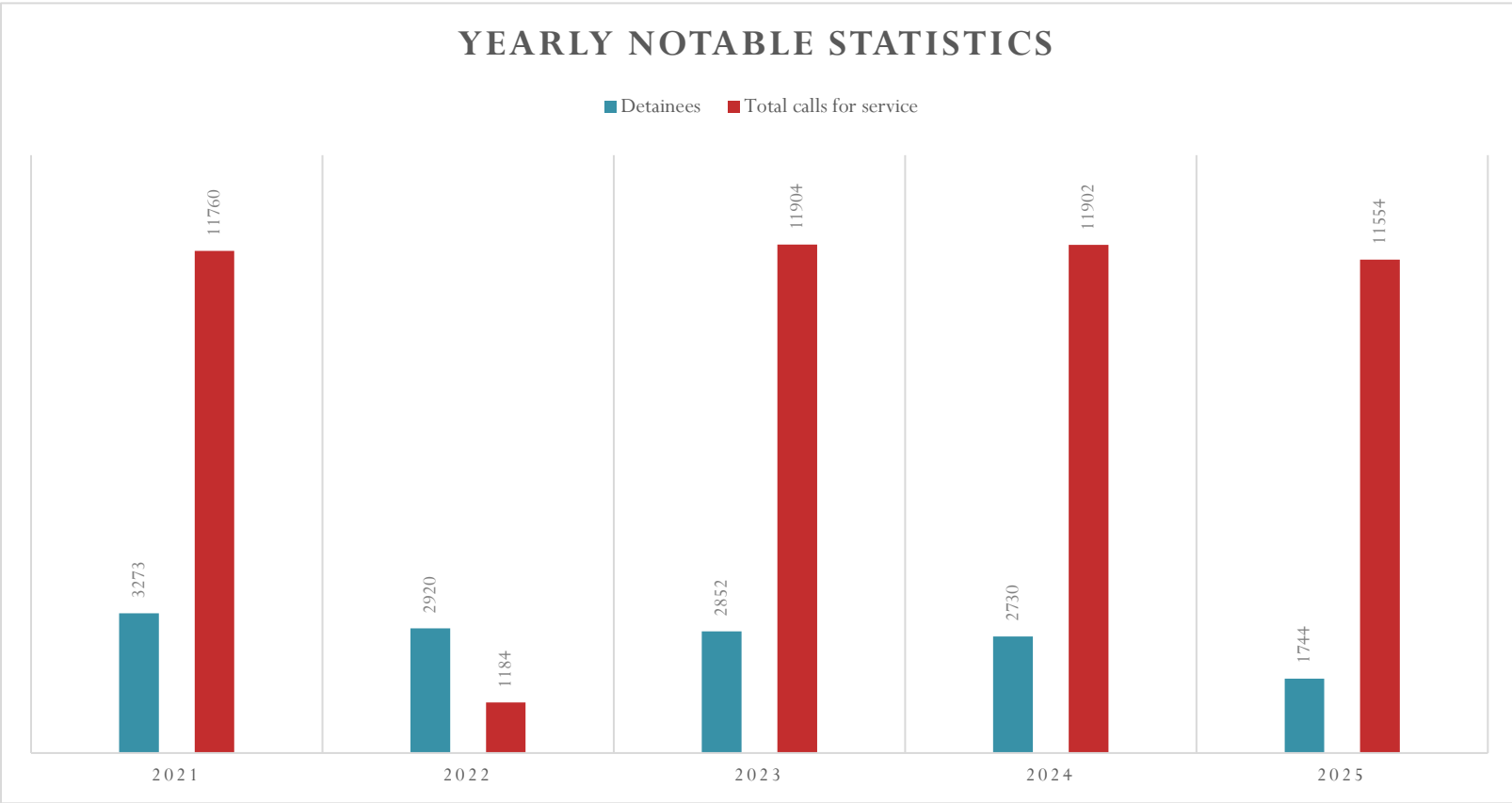
Members: 26 Constables, 4 Corporals, 1 Sergeant

Population size: 7,429 (2021 Statistics Canada)

Alcohol restriction: Unrestricted

MONTHLY OVERVIEW

	March	Year to Date
Total Calls for Service	895	2790
Calls Involving Alcohol	320	1060
Detainees	220	666
Community Engagement Initiatives	4	26
Persons Diverted	1	1
Intimate Partner Violence (Domestic Assault)	17	47
Firearm Related Calls	1	0
Quantity of liquor seized (l)	0	0
Quantity of drugs seized (g)	12 grams	0



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Date	Event	Community Engagement (General Partners/Youth/Elders)	Number in Attendance	Total Member Hours (e.g., 2 members hold a 1h meeting = 2hrs)
2026/03/13	Members attended the Mosque to engage with community members	General	20	2
2026/03/19	Officers attended the High School with Hockey Helps the Homeless. Played traditional games with participants	Youth	30	1
2026/03/19 to 2026/03/22	Cpl. MacIntyre was one of the organizer of Hockey Helps the Homeless and was engaged with numerous activities over the course of the weekend making the weekend a success. Approximately \$300,000.00 raised for the Homeless Charities in Nunavut	General	2,000	30

Iqaluit Monthly Report – March 2026

Date	Event	Community Engagement (General Partners/Youth/Elders)	Number in Attendance	Total Member Hours (e.g., 2 members hold a 1h meeting = 2hrs)
2026/03/25	Members attended the Mosque and had tea and naan with congregants	General	20	2
2026/03/28	Members attended the Mosque and Food bank to help out	General	30	2
Throughout the month of March	Officers were involved in coaching AWG U15 hockey as well as the U18 team that went to Ottawa	Youth	20	365.5
Total	6		2120	397



Royal Canadian Mounted Police

Gendarmerie royale du Canada

Divisional and Mayor's Report

During the month of March, the Iqaluit RCMP Detachment received complaints, assisted with numerous Commissioner of Oaths declarations, affidavit requests, and provided community assistance. Members responded to 895 calls in total, and 220 persons were lodged in cells. At least 320 of those calls for service were liquor related, and 28 of those files resulted in new charges being recommended. Iqaluit RCMP members conducted more than 30 patrols in high-crime areas and proactively visited liquor establishments to deter impaired driving. Members also completed 30 curfew checks on prolific offenders within the community. These

combined efforts increased police visibility, enhanced public safety, and strengthened relationships between the RCMP and the community.

DETACHMENT PRIORITIES

THE INITIATIVES ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE APP/VISION 150 OBJECTIVES AND VARIOUS PRIORITIES OFTEN OVERLAP

2026-2027 RCMP - Community Objectives

<i>Reconciliation and Community-Based Policing Initiatives</i>	By participating in community-lead initiatives and leveraging the use of local Restorative Justice Program, share information and refer individuals at risk for better support
<i>Community Safety and Crime Reduction Initiatives</i>	Collaborate with partners to support community interests and priorities through local conversations and collaborative planning
<i>Violence Mitigation Strategies for Elders and Vulnerable Persons</i>	Partnership with territorial and community-based organizations to find local solutions to prevent crime and victimization

Reconciliation and Community Based Policing Initiatives

Iqaluit RCMP members are committed to community engagements by regularly attending the local schools and connecting with youth, with a strong focus on building positive relationships. Cpl. Mulcahy dedicated significant personal time to coaching various groups of young hockey players in the community. Cpl. MacIntyre was one of the organizers and dedicated a significant amount of his time to the Hockey Helps the Homeless initiative.

Community Safety and Crime Reduction Initiatives

The pilot project between Iqaluit RCMP and the City of Iqaluit Municipal Enforcement has shown strong results over the last month. Their involvement and visibility in the high-crime area have resulted in a significant reduction in call volume. The project team will schedule daily enforcement operations around beer and wine stores and launch a community awareness campaign on traffic safety. The collaborative approach will continue to strengthen the partnership and provide a coordinated response to public safety concerns about public drinking/intoxication and impaired driving.

Violence Mitigation Strategies for Elders and Vulnerable Persons

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Report completed by:

Cpl. Rodney MacIntyre

Iqaluit RCMP

2026/04/01

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Monthly Report

April 2026

COMMUNITY PROFILE

Detachment Commander: S/Sgt. Vlatko Nikolovski

Members: 26 Constables, 4 Corporals, 1 Sergeant

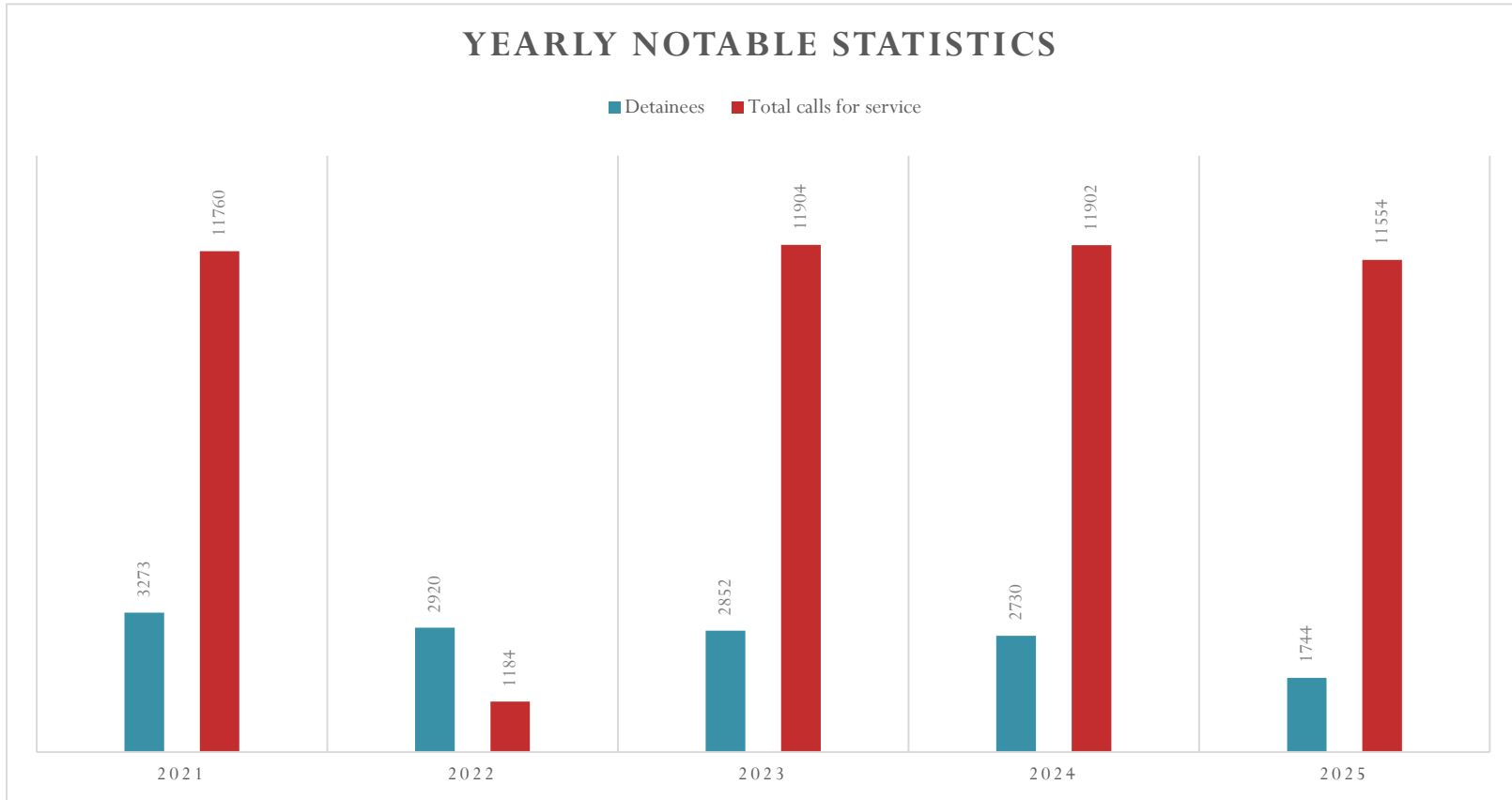
Population size: 7,429 (2021 Statistics Canada)

Alcohol restriction: Unrestricted

MONTHLY OVERVIEW

	April	Year to Date
Total Calls for Service	995	3668
Calls Involving Alcohol	415	1475
Detainees	134	800
Community Engagement Initiatives	13	39
Persons Diverted	0	1
Intimate Partner Violence (Domestic Assault)	4	51
Firearm Related Calls	3	3
Quantity of liquor seized (l)	0	0
Quantity of drugs seized (g)	0	12 grams

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COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Date	Event	Community Engagement (General Partners/Youth/Elders)	Number in Attendance	Total Member Hours (e.g., 2 members hold a 1h meeting = 2hrs)
2026/04/03	Members attended the Mosque.	Community	20	2
2026/04/06	Checkstop	Community	20	5
2026/04/08	Checkstop	Community	25	4
2026/04/10	Toonik BBQ	Community	150	10
2026/04/11	Craft Fair	Community	60	2
2026/04/12	Toonik Tyme Dog Sled Race	Community	100	4
2026/04/16	Tonnik Tyme Hockey Tournament	Community	150	4
2026/04/17	Airport Foot Patrols	Community	20	2
2026/04/20	Attended Middle School	Youth	40	2
2026/04/23	Airport Foot Patrols	Community	40	2
2026/04/25	Attended AWG for hockey games	Youth	60	2
2026/04/27	Attended Apex Women Shelter	Community	4	2
2026/04/30	Toiletries supplies donated to Women Shelter	Community	20	2
Total	13		709	43



Royal Canadian Mounted Police Gendarmerie royale du Canada

Divisional and Mayor’s Report

During the month of April, the Iqaluit RCMP Detachment received complaints, assisted with numerous Commissioner of Oaths declarations, affidavit requests, and provided community assistance. Members responded to 995 calls in total, and 134 persons were lodged in cells. At least 415 of those calls for service were liquor related, and 30 of those files resulted in new charges being recommended. Iqaluit RCMP members conducted more than 21 patrols in high-crime areas and proactively visited liquor establishments to deter impaired driving. Members also completed 8 curfew checks on prolific offenders within the community. These combined efforts increased police visibility, enhanced public safety, and strengthened relationships between the RCMP and the community.

DETACHMENT PRIORITIES

THE INITIATIVES ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE APP/VISION 150 OBJECTIVES AND VARIOUS PRIORITIES OFTEN OVERLAP

2026-2027 RCMP - Community Objectives

Reconciliation and Community-Based Policing Initiatives	By participating in community-lead initiatives and leveraging the use of local Restorative Justice Program, share information and refer individuals at risk for better support
Community Safety and Crime Reduction Initiatives	Collaborate with partners to support community interests and priorities through local conversations and collaborative planning
Violence Mitigation Strategies for Elders and Vulnerable Persons	Partnership with territorial and community-based organizations to find local solutions to prevent crime and victimization

Reconciliation and Community Based Policing Initiatives

During the month of April, members of the Iqaluit RCMP actively engaged with the community through several initiatives. The Iqaluit Detachment hosted the annual RCMP Toonik Time BBQ, bringing together approximately 350 community members. Attendees enjoyed hot dogs, hamburgers, and beverages. The event was made possible with the support of various units within the Iqaluit RCMP, showcasing strong teamwork and a commitment to building positive relationships with the community. Throughout the week long Toonik Time events, Iqaluit RCMP members attended various activities, engaging with the community members and distributing stickers to children. These interactions allowed officers to build rapport with community members of all ages, fostering a welcoming and inclusive environment. By

participating in these festivities, the members demonstrated their ongoing commitment to community-based policing, strengthening relationships and promoting reconciliation and building trust within the community.

Community Safety and Crime Reduction Initiatives

Members of the Iqaluit Detachment conducted proactive check-stops and screened vehicles for impaired drivers as part of ongoing efforts to improve community safety. Breath demand screenings were administered to all drivers, resulting in two impaired driving charges. This diligent and proactive approach underscores the members' commitment to protecting the well-being of the community by ensuring that roads remain free from impaired drivers. These initiatives not only enforce the law but also serve as a deterrent, raising awareness about the dangers of impaired driving and reinforcing the importance of responsible behavior behind the wheel.

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Iqaluit RCMP

2026/05/05

First Reading

#	By-law	Project Summary	Date reviewed by Committee	Conflict

Second Reading

#	By-law	Project Summary	Date of 1 st reading	Conflict
Public Hearing + 7(b)(i)	By-law No. 1036, Amendment to Zoning By-law No. 899 for Plan 2105, Lot 860 [ZBA 26-003A]	Rezones the “Hospital Hill” public housing lot from Medium Density (R2) to High Density (R3(4)) to allot 116 housing units. The proposed zone includes the Core Area parking rate of 1 stall/3 dwellings; supplemented by an additional requirement for recreational vehicle parking.	May 12, 2026	None

Third Reading

#	By-law	Project Summary	Date(s) of 1 st and 2 nd readings	Conflict

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF IQALUIT

BY-LAW # 1036

AMENDMENT TO ZONING BY-LAW # 899

A By-law of the City of Iqaluit in Nunavut to amend By-law No. 899, The City of Iqaluit Zoning By-law, pursuant to the Planning Act, R. S. N. (1988), c. P-7, s. 29.

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the City of Iqaluit has adopted a Zoning By-law (By-law No. 899), in accordance with the *Planning Act*, and

WHEREAS Council wishes to amend the Zoning By-law to allow apartments on Lot 860, Plan 2105;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the City of Iqaluit enacts as follows:

1. Schedule A is declared to form part of this By-law.
2. Lot 860, Plan 2105, as shown on Schedule A of this By-law, is hereby rezoned from **Medium Density Residential Zone (R2) to High Density Residential Special Exception Zone 4 (R3(4))**.
3. By-law No. 899 is hereby amended by adding the following sections immediately after Section 11.10, as follows:
 - 11.11 Notwithstanding the Zone Provisions in Section 6.1 and 11.7, on lands zoned R3(4) the minimum rear yard setback shall be 6 m; the minimum requirement for parking spaces shall be “1 per 3 dwelling units plus 1 visitor space per 10 dwelling units”; and the minimum requirement for recreational vehicle parking spaces shall be “1 per 10 dwelling units”.
4. Schedule B of By-law No. 899 containing the Populated Area Zoning Map is hereby amended as shown on Schedule A of this by-law.
5. Third reading of this by-law shall be withheld until a Development Permit for the proposed apartment buildings has been conditionally approved by Council.
5. This by-law shall come into effect on the date of its third reading.

READ a first time this 12th day of May, 2026.

Solomon Awa
Mayor

Steve England
Chief Administrative Officer

After due notice and a Public Hearing held on May 26, 2026.

READ a second time this ____ day of _____, 2026.

Solomon Awa
Mayor

Steve England
Chief Administrative Officer

APPROVED by the Minister of Community Services this ____ day of _____, 2026.

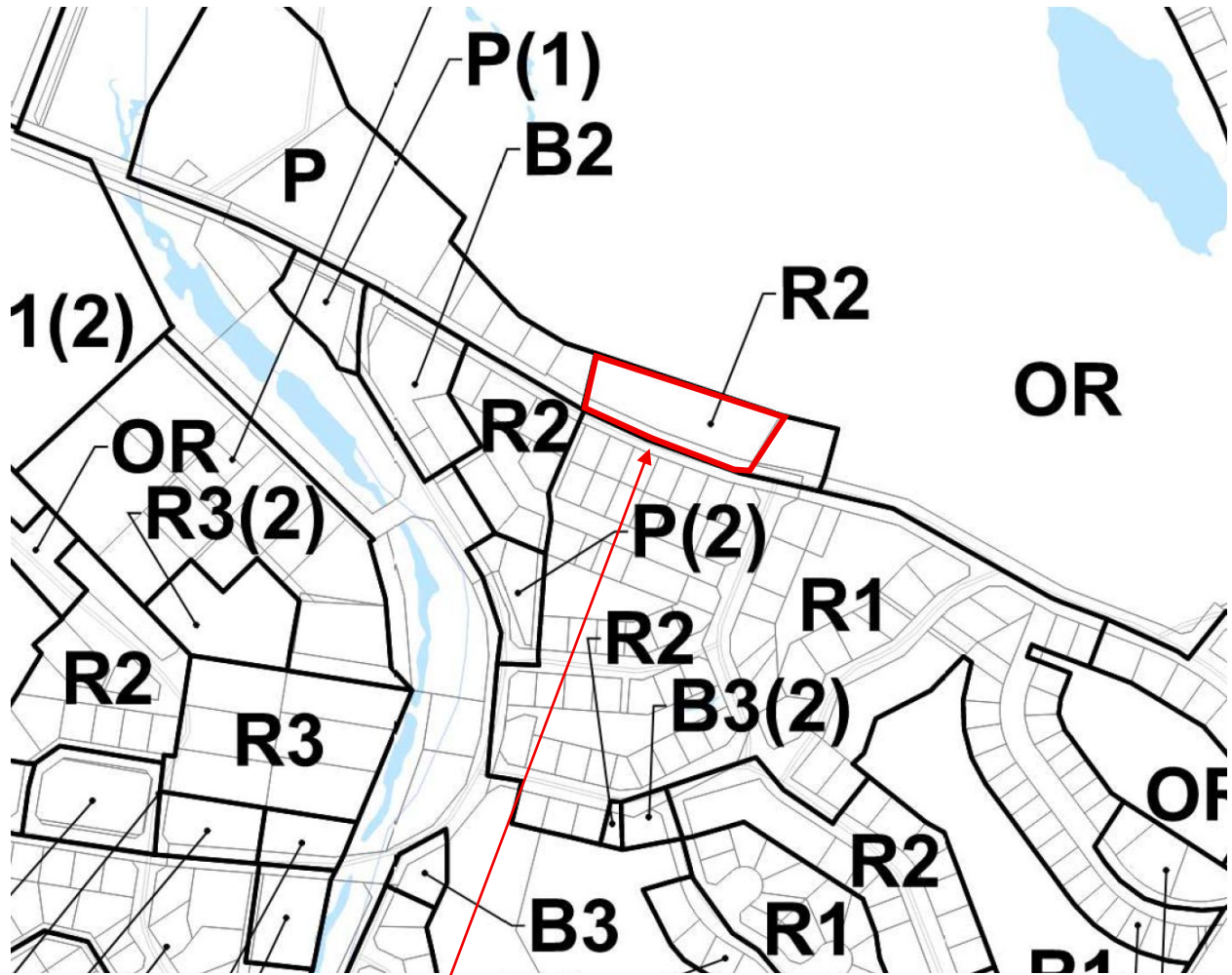
Minister, Community Services

READ a third and final time this ____ day of _____, 2026.

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Chief Administrative Officer

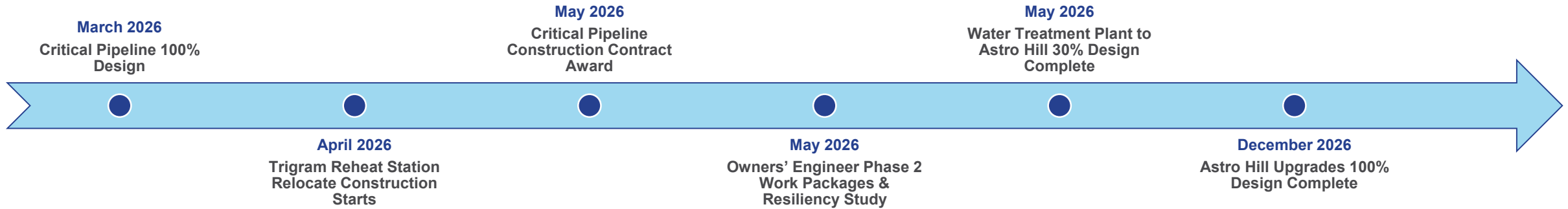
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SCHEDULE A



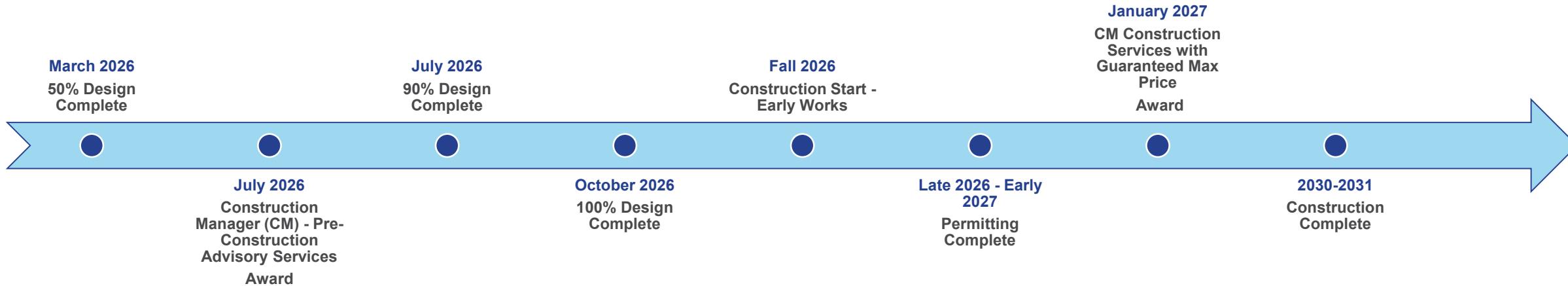
Lands outlined in red to be rezoned to High Density Residential, Special Exception
4 – R3(4)

Long-Term Water Project (LWTP) – Anticipated Milestones

Water Distribution Upgrades (WDU)



Raw Water Supply And Storage (RWSS)



Milestones Achieved and Current Status

Long-Term Water Project (LTWP)

Water Distribution Upgrades (WDU)		Raw Water Supply and Storage (RWSS)		
Project Component	Status	Project Component	Status	
Owners Engineer - Design	60% Complete	Delivery Model Change Approval	100% Complete	
Astro Hill Infrastructure Upgrades - Design	50% Complete			
Critical Pipeline Renewals - Design	95% Complete	Construction Manager Shortlisting 50% Design Package with Cost Estimate	100% Complete 80% Complete	
WTP to Astro Hill Watermain Upgrades - Design	10% Complete			
Trigram Reheat Station Relocation - Construction	25% Complete	Permitting	100% Complete	
AV341-335 (Tasilik St) Water Upgrades - Construction	75% Complete		Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC)	100% Complete
Federal Road Utilidor Expansion	100% Complete		Nunavut Water Board (NWB)	Submitted/In-Review
ATCO Loop	100% Complete		Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB)	Submitted/In-Review
		Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO)	Submitted/In-Review	

Regular Capital Works Program

Project Component	Status
Apex Road Paving - Design	95% Complete
Plateau Paving - Design	Preliminary Design
LG Intake Valve Replacement - Construction	45% Complete
Trucked Services Storage Facility - Tender Prep	90% Complete
Culvert Replacement, Nipisa St - Design	90% Complete
Lift Station 1 Upgrades - Design	90% Complete
WTP Chlorine System Upgrades - Design	45% Complete
Water Treatment Plant Generator - Design	30% Complete
High School Intersection - Design	Preliminary Design
West 40 Subdivision - Design	75% Complete
AV341 to AV335 (Tasilik St) Sewer Upgrades - Const	75% Complete

Topic	DP 25-047 & SK 26-007: Fred Coman Apartment Building		
Approval Type	Development Permit Application DP 25-047 and Survey Sketch Application SK 26-007		
Presented To	Council		
Date	May 26, 2026		
Presented By	Samantha Toffolo, Contract Planner Mathew Dodds, Director of Planning and Development		
Applicant/Proponent	5711 Nunavut Ltd		
Location	Plan 4565, Block 239, Lots 1 & 3	802 Natsiq Street & 779 Fred Coman Street	Core Area
CAO Review	✓ S.E., CAO		



REQUEST FOR DECISION

After full review, staff consider the proposed Development Permit Application DP 25-047 and Survey Sketch Application SK 26-007 to be **supportable** ✓

Options

1. Approve Development Permit DP 25-047 and Survey Sketch SK 26-007.
2. Refuse Development Permit DP 25-047 and Survey Sketch SK 26-007.

Staff Recommendation

That Council,

1. Approve Development Permit application DP 25-047 for Plan 4565, Block 239, Lots 1 & 3, to permit the development of a 36-unit apartment, subject to the Special Conditions, the City’s Standard Conditions, and in accordance with the attached plans.
2. Approve Survey Sketch SK 26-007 to consolidate Plan 4565, Block 239, Lots 1 & 3.

PLANNING REPORT

Proposal Description

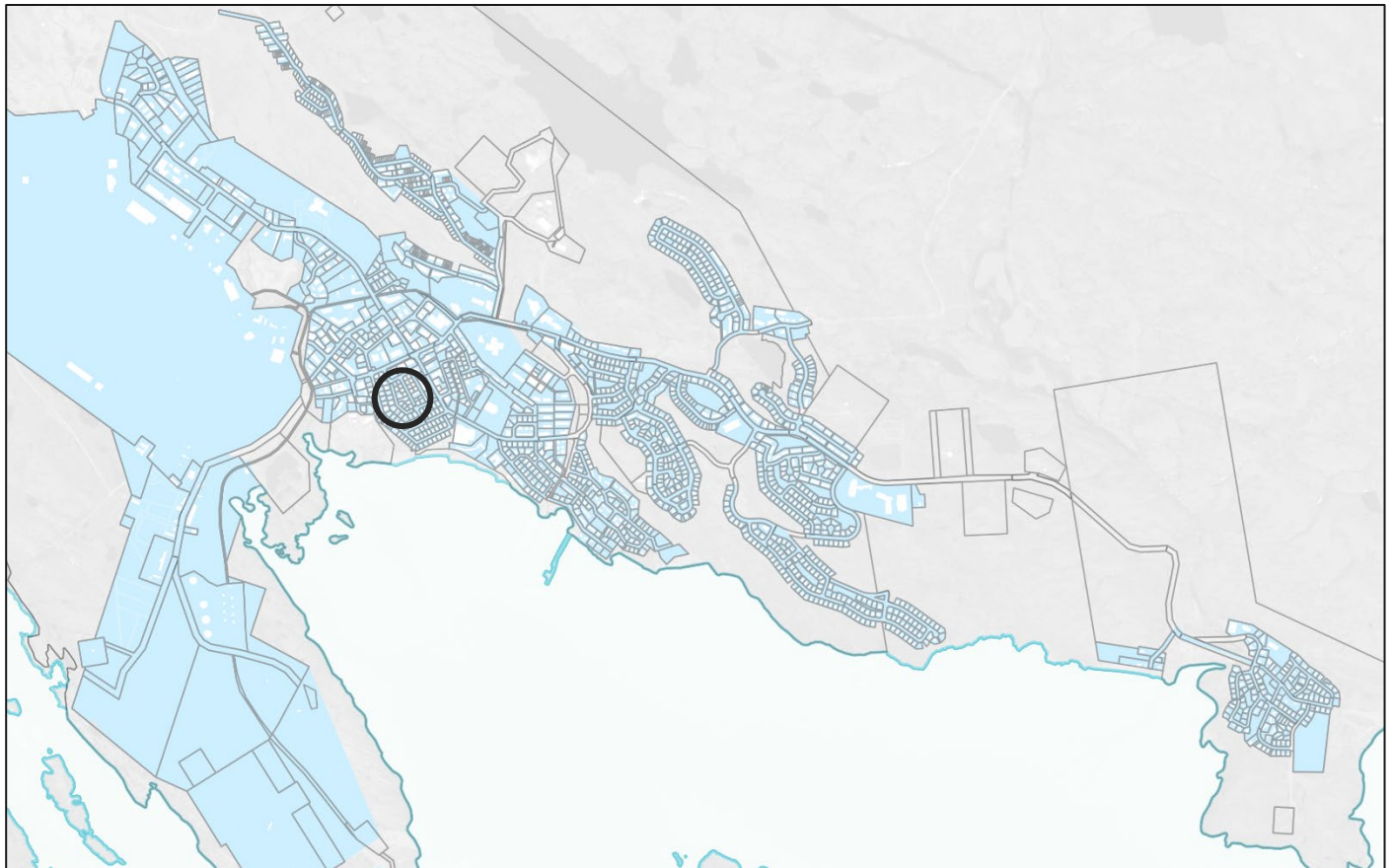
Community Plan and Zoning By-law Amendments were recently approved to rezone the site from *Sijjanga* to *High Density Residential, Special Exception 4*. The Applicant is now seeking approval to redevelop the Core Area site with a

four-storey apartment building. The building will have 36 units, with 16 one-bedroom units and 20 two-bedroom units. The applicant is also seeking survey approval to permit consolidation of Lots 1 & 3 to create one irregularly shaped through lot.

Land Use(s)	Core Area
Zone	R3(4)
Dwelling Units	36 units <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 16 one-bedroom • 20 two-bedroom
Height	4 storeys, 17 m

Lot Area	1,943 m ²
Site Coverage	39%
Parking Provided	14 spaces, with additional ATV & snowmobile parking.
Other Amenities	9 outdoor lockers, pathway & sidewalk

Proposal Location



Committee Criteria for Planning Decisions (General Plan section 8.1.4)

Committee shall review Development Officer recommendations on referred Development Permit applications, Zoning By-law Amendments, General Plan Amendments, Subdivision applications and variances to the Zoning By-law, and make recommendations to Council on those applications. While regarding the following Criteria.

- 1 Authority under the Planning Act
- 2 Community input
- 3 The policies, general intent, and purpose of the General Plan
- 4 The provisions, general intent, and purpose of the Zoning By-law
- 5 Other guidelines and policies adopted by Council
- 6 Recommendations submitted by the Development Officer

General Plan and Zoning By-law

The proposed development meets all requirements of the General Plan and Zoning By-law.

Policy	Conformity	Notes
Zoning By-law – General Provisions	✓	-
Zoning By-law – R3(4) Zone	✓	Special exception zone permits a 3 m front-yard setback and 2 m interior side yard setback. All units meet or exceed minimum gross floor area requirements (46 m ² for one-bedrooms, 60 m ² for two-bedrooms).
General Plan – Core Area Designation	✓	-
General Plan – Lot Development Standards	✓	-
Core Area Urban Design Guidelines	✓	Building design required to provide connection and animation along Fred Coman, defined as the front lot line in the exception zone.

Commentary on Special Approval Conditions

Conditions that are of note and/or are unique to this project, are explained below.

#	Special Condition	Commentary
1	Site Plan	Site Plan updates required to reflect changes to the Grading & Drainage Plan, including retaining wall height and setback, and identify a 1 m landscaped strip along Natsiq.
2	Elevations	Elevation updates required to confirm proposed exterior materials and colour.
5	Off-site ROW (Sidewalk) Improvements	Staff identified an opportunity for a concrete sidewalk along the site's frontage on Fred Coman. Per Development Agreement Cost Sharing By-law No. 972, the Developer is responsible for 100% of the cost of the upgrade.
6	Access Vault	With the building being sprinklered, it would need to be connected to a water access vault. Staff require a new water-only access vault to support the development.
14	Survey of Lot	Applicant is required to complete the proposed survey to consolidate the lots and execute and register any required lands documents within 2 years of approval.

Special Approval Conditions

1. Site Plan

The Developer/Lessee agrees to provide an updated Site Plan to the satisfaction of the Development Officer, reflecting any required changes to the Grading and Drainage Plan and parking layout, prior to issuance of the Development Permit.

2. Elevations

The Developer/Lessee agrees to provide updated Elevations to the satisfaction of the Development Officer, reflecting any required changes to exterior material, prior to issuance of the Development Permit.

3. Grading and Drainage Plan

The Developer/Lessee agrees to provide a Grading and Drainage Plan to the satisfaction of the Director of Engineering and Capital Planning, or delegate, identifying planned and required drainage work, prior to issuance of the Development Permit.

The Developer/Lessee agrees to install all infrastructure proposed in the approved Grading and Drainage Plan.

4. Site Servicing Plan

The Developer/Lessee agrees to provide an updated Site Servicing Plan to the satisfaction of the Director of Engineering and Capital Planning, or delegate, with full utility layout, AV details and main connection specification, prior to issuance of the Development Permit. The Site Servicing plan shall demonstrate that the water supply meets fire suppression flow standards.

The Developer/Lessee agrees to install all infrastructure proposed in the approved Site Servicing Plan.

5. Off-Site ROW Improvements

The Developer/Lessee shall submit a detailed plan to harden and improve the walkway within the City's Right of Way prior to issuance of the Development Permit. The exact alignment, hard-surfacing and base design, and width to be determined in discussion with the Development Officer and subject to review and acceptance by the Department of Engineering and Capital Planning and the Department of Public Works to ensure non-interference with the travelled roadbed, drainage, and other infrastructure.

The Developer/Lessee shall improve the walkway at their expense. The construction of the walkway must be completed within 1 year of issuance of the Occupancy Permit.

6. Access Vault

The Developer/Lessee shall be responsible for coordinating and managing the fabrication, supply, transportation, installation, and commissioning of the new "water only" metal access vault. The City to work with the Developer/Lessee to provide design specifications for the proposed vault. The servicing works shall be addressed

through the Development Agreement, prior to the issuance of the Development Permit. The new water AV shall be assumed as municipal infrastructure upon acceptance of the works by the Director of Engineering and Capital Planning, or delegate.

7. Development Agreement

The Developer/Lessee shall enter into a Development Agreement including all standard conditions therein and special conditions herein. In the event that the Owner(s)/Lessee(s) fails to sign the required agreement within one (1) year of development approval, the approval shall lapse. The Development Agreement must be signed prior to issuance of the Development Permit.

8. Retaining Wall

The Developer/Lessee shall submit a stamped drawing by a certified engineer for the retaining wall, to the satisfaction of the Director of Engineering and Capital Planning or delegate, prior to obtaining a Building Permit from the GN Office of the Chief Building Official.

9. Construction Fencing

The Developer agrees to fence the lot to restrict general access and contain debris during construction.

10. Power Poles

The new location of power poles shall be reviewed and approved by the Qulliq Energy Corporation and the City, prior to relocation/installation. All costs associated with the relocation/installation of existing/new power poles shall be at the Developer/Lessee's expense.

11. Engineer of Record

The Developer/Lessee must retain an Engineer of Record to oversee construction activities for the length of the project, to ensure development is completed to the specifications of the Approved Plans. This includes water and sewer works, retaining walls, buildings and other significant ground works. Exemptions to this requirement may be made by the Director of Engineering and Capital Planning, or delegate, on a case-by-case basis. The Engineer of Record must submit to the Department of Engineering and Capital Planning all project documents for City record purposes. This includes but is not limited to as-built drawings, site Quality Assurance/Quality Control documentation, manufacturer QA/QC documentation, shop drawings, etc.

12. Letter of Completion

The Developer/Lessee shall provide a Letter of Completion by an Engineer of Record confirming, after field verification, that the groundworks have been constructed in accordance with the Approved Plans, in accordance with the Iqaluit Municipal Design Guidelines, as amended, and to the satisfaction of the City's Director of Engineering and Capital Planning, or delegate, prior to issuance of an Occupancy Permit.

13. Emergency Services

The Developer/Lessee shall demonstrate to the approval of the Fire Chief prior to issuance of an Occupancy Permit, that an existing fire hydrant or new fire hydrant is located within 45 metres unobstructed of the principal lot access.

14. Survey of Lot

The Developer/Lessee shall survey the lot at their cost as shown in survey sketch SK 26-007, within 2 years of issuance of the Development Permit.

The Developer/Lessee shall apply to the City Lands Administrator at their own cost for any required surrenders, amendments or new leases that arise from the survey, within 2 years of issuance of the Development Permit.

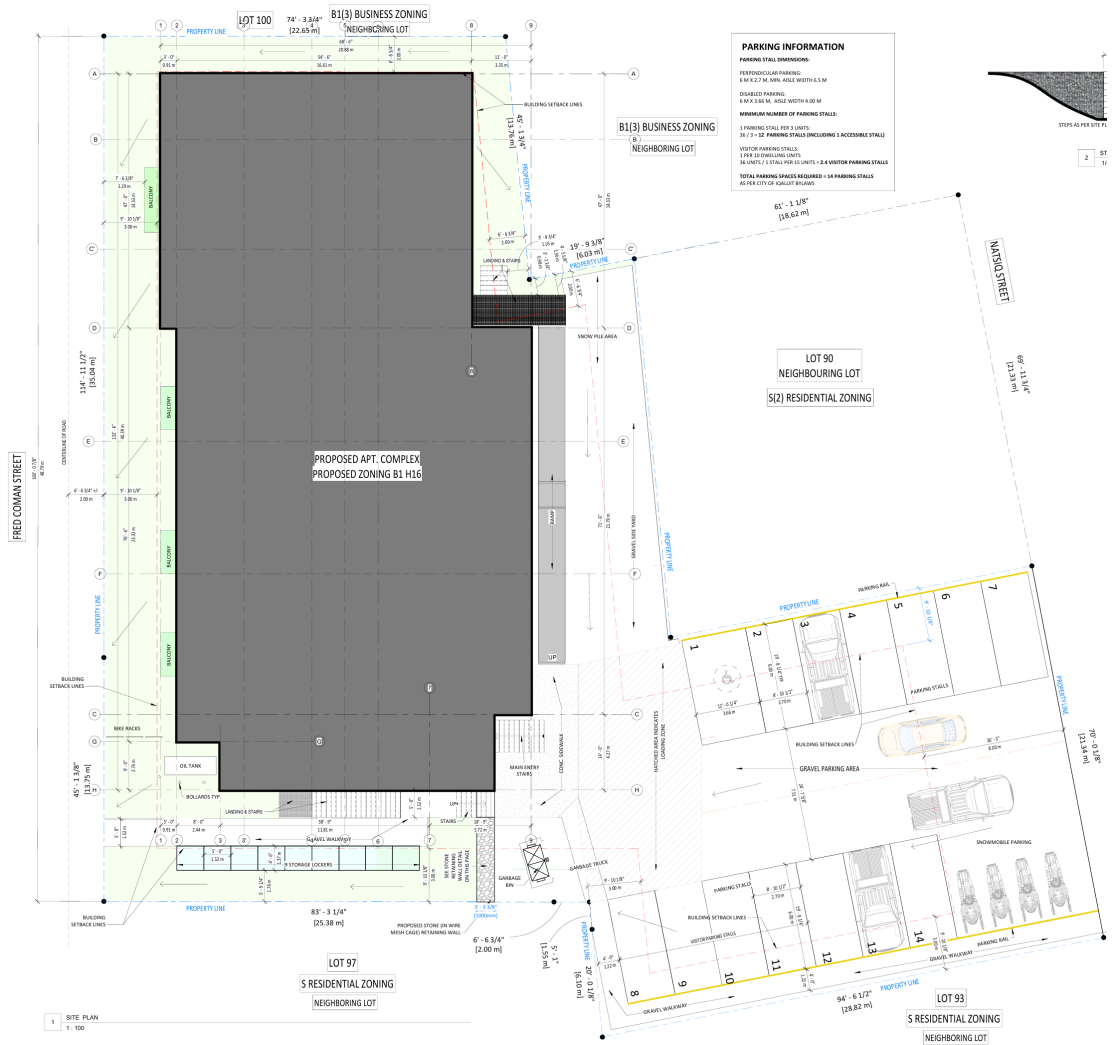
The Developer/Lessee shall register the plan of survey shown in survey sketch SK 26-002 and any associated surrenders, amendments, or new leases with the Nunavut Land Titles Office at their own cost, within 2 years of issuance of the Development Permit.

15. Exterior Materials and Color

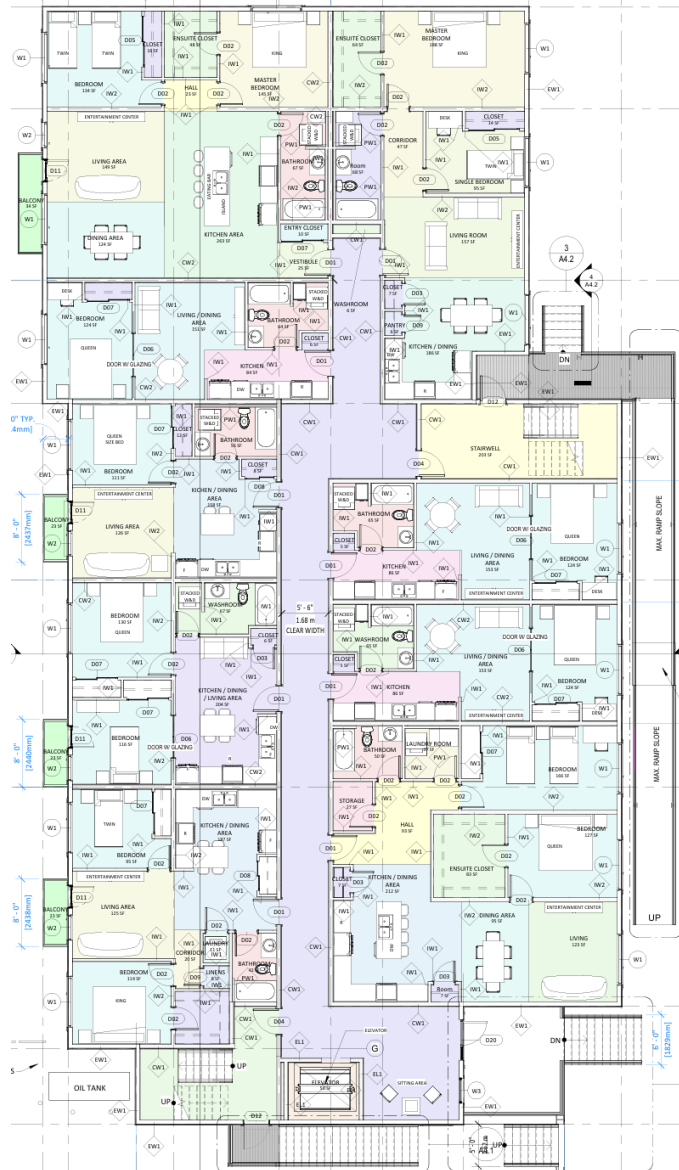
The Developer/Lessee shall maintain the materials and color scheme as shown on the approved Colour Rendering.

Drawings and Plans

Site Plan



Floor Plan



Side Elevation



Side Elevation



Front Elevation



Rear Elevation



COUNCIL CORRESPONDENCE – May 26, 2026

	<u>Author</u>	<u>Message</u>	<u>Action</u>
(a)	Mosha Cote, Manager, Research Liaison – Nunavut Research Institute (NRI)	Application: Brad Chambers from Qaujigiartiit Health Research Centre. The research is titled “Improving the Health of Nunavummiut through Policy Directions and the Intersection of Housing Security and Food Security” and is proposed to take place from June 20, 2026 to August 20, 2026.	Motion Requested



City of Iqaluit Correspondence Summary

Please identify the individual, the organization, the school, and the home community of those doing the research.

This research is being conducted by Qaujigiartiit Health Research Centre in Iqaluit. Lead researchers are Brad Chambers, Rachel Blais, Deatra Walsh and Amy Caughey.

Please list a timeline for your work, including dates of consultations and the amount of time you will spend in our community.

Exact dates will depend on the research licencing process, but it is anticipated the interviews will occur primarily in a cluster of about a week in July. About five interviews will occur. Additional interviews may occur later for those organizations not available at that time. There will also be follow-up at a later date to share results back to the participating organizations.

Please give the field of study and the subject of study for this project.

This study is looking that intersection of housing insecurity and food insecurity. It aims to give community-based organizations that work directly with those facing the most severe forms of insecurity the opportunity to share their knowledge and opinions to influence policies, programs and academic research. As housing and food are social determinants of health, this study is ultimately health research.

Does this project involve any community other than Iqaluit: If so, where and how?

This research will include community-based food and housing access organizations in other communities as well. Those interviews will be done virtually.

The City of Iqaluit appreciates community involvement from researchers. How will your group be willing to communicate your findings to the population?

In addition to sharing findings back to the participating organizations, results will form part of a larger body of work on housing insecurity and food insecurity, whose results will be shared publicly by Qaujigiartiit, with more detailed involvement of key decision-makers such as NTI, Housing Corporation, Nunavut Wildlife Management Board, Family Services and others.