

January 26, 2022

Dear NWTAC Community Members and Partners,

Due to the current wave of the Omicron variant the decision was made to postpone our AGM with the hope that we can meet in person at a later date. Yesterday you received an email from our office with the new dates of the NWT Association of Communities (NWTAC) 56th AGM of June 9 to June 11, 2022. Travel days will be June 8 and June 12. You may wonder what this means for our AGM and documents that have already been sent out.

Registration

Registration will remain open online at www.nwtac.com. If you have already registered, your registration will be good for the new dates. If you have registered already and the dates do not work for you, please let our office know and we will gladly reimburse you. We would ask that you please register and fully complete the form, indicating the functions you will be joining us at i.e., Opening Night Reception and our Saturday Night Awards and Banquets night. Remember Thursday night is Auction night, time to have fun and bid on some amazing items. Saturday's banquet will include dinner, awards, and entertainment.

Submission of Resolutions

The deadline for accepting resolutions for the 56th NWTAC AGM will now be May 6, 2022. Guidelines are attached with this letter. Reminders of this deadline will be sent to you over the next couple of months.

2022 Awards

As with the deadline for resolutions, the deadline for accepting nominations for all awards listed below will now be May 6, 2022. The awards have been updated and are attached. Please review these awards and make sure to get your nominations in. There are dollar prizes to be won and highlighting your communities' successes is always great for all member communities to see. A list of the awards are below:

- NWTAC Community Builder Award
- NWTAC Climate Change Resilience Award
- NWTAC Energy Excellence Award
- NWTAC Healthy Communities Award

PLEASE REMEMBER, MEMBER COMMUNITIES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR MAKING AND PAYING FOR ALL ARRANGEMENTS FOR YOUR MAYORS, COUNCILLORS AND SENIOR STAFF WHO WISH TO ATTEND OUR AGM.

A list of hotels and airlines that fly into Hay River are listed below.

HOTELS

The NWTAC will **AT NO TIME** be responsible for booking or paying any of the individual bookings for guests. PLEASE have your hotel send you a confirmation number for your records. Please ensure you book your hotels immediately as hotel space becomes limited as our AGM date gets closer.

Our AGM will be held at the Aurora Ford Ice Arena, located at 79 Woodland Drive, Hay River, NT X0E 1G1. A list of hotels in Hay River are listed below for your convenience:

Cambridge Executive Suites

www.greenwayaccomodations.ca

Toll Free: 1-866-277-7757 Phone: 867-874-2233

reservations@greenwayaccomodations.ca

Studio \$159
One bedroom \$199
Two-bedroom \$249 which people can opt to share

Ptarmigan Inn Hotels Ltd.

www.ptarmiganinn.com

Toll Free: 1-800-661-0842 Phone: 867-874-6781

Reservations can also be made online.

The Ptarmigan Inn has offered at rate of \$166/per night. Please use code AC2022

North Country Inn Motel

www.ncinn.ca 867-874-6706

Hay River Suites

www.hayriversuites.com Phone: 867-874-2332 stay@hayriversuites.com

Eileen's Bed and Breakfast Guest House

Phone:867-875-7607

Castaway Cottages

Phone: 867-875-8601 .../3

AIRLINES

There are two airlines that fly to Hay River:

Canadian North

https://canadiannorth.com/

<u> Air Tindi</u>

https://www.airtindi.com/

In order to attend this event in person, you must be fully vaccinated with the COVID-19 vaccine.

We look forward to seeing you all in Hay River June 2022!

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