

# HISTORY OF THE TOWN (VILLAGE) OF INUVIK COUNCIL

## I. APRIL 3, 1967

First Regular Meeting of the Village of Inuvik Council:

**Chairman:** Sid W. Hancock  
**Members:** Robert O. Baetz (Deputy Chairman)  
Ellen Binder  
Dave Jones  
Barney MacNeil  
Ken Look

## II. JUNE 12, 1967

Sixth Regular Meeting of the Village of Inuvik Council:

**Chairman:** George L. Thompson  
**Members:** Robert O. Baetz (Deputy Chairman)  
Ellen Binder  
Dave Jones  
Barney MacNeil

## III. August 14, 1967

Tenth Regular Meeting of the Village of Inuvik Council:

**Chairman:** George L. Thompson  
**Members:** Robert O. Baetz (Deputy Chairman)  
Ellen Binder  
Dave Jones  
Barney MacNeil  
Elijah Menarik

## IV. March 25, 1968

Twenty - Fifth Regular Meeting of the Village of Inuvik Council:

**Chairman:** George L. Thompson  
**Members:** Dave Jones  
Ellen Binder  
Gary Wagner  
Barney MacNeil  
Elijah Menarik

**V. SEPTEMBER 23, 1968**

Thirty – Seventh Regular Meeting of the Village of Inuvik Council:

**Chairman:** Dave S. Jones  
**Members:** Ellen Binder  
Gary Wagner  
Barney MacNeil  
Elijah Menarik

**VI. JANUARY 13, 1969**

Forty - Fourth Regular Meeting of the Village of Inuvik Council:

**Reeve:** Dave S. Jones  
**Councillors:** Ellen Binder (Deputy Reeve)  
Richard Hill  
Agnes Semmler  
Robert Hunter  
Brian Cousins

**VII. 1970 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Richard Hill  
**Councillors:** Thomas Butters (Deputy Mayor)  
Gordon Campbell  
Frank Hansen  
Agnes Semmler  
Barney MacNeil  
Jim Robertson  
Tom Yate  
Gary Wagner

**VIII. 1971– TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Richard Hill  
**Councillors:** Barney MacNeil (Deputy Mayor)  
Tom Butters  
Gordon Campbell  
Doug Bailey  
Agnes Semmler  
Rev. Doug Dittrich  
Tom Yate  
Victor Allen  
George A. Illasiak (Appointed Mid – Term)

**IX. 1972 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Rev. Leonard P. Holman  
**Councillors:** Barney MacNeil (Deputy Mayor)  
Gordon Campbell  
Doug Bailey  
Brian Cousins  
Rev. Doug Dittrich  
Frank Hansen  
John Roska  
Fred Carmichael  
Les Gardiner (Appointed Mid – Year)

**X. 1973 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Rev. Leonard P. Holman  
**Councillors:** Frank Hansen (Deputy Mayor)  
Barney MacNeil  
Gordon Campbell  
Doug Bailey  
Bertha Allen  
Ellen Binder  
John Roska  
Fred Carmichael  
Ishmael Alunik (Appointed Mid – Year)  
Dr. Julian Tsafaroff (Appointed Mid – Year)

**XI. 1974 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Rev. Leonard P. Holman (Resigned in May)  
Jim Robertson (May to December)  
**Councillors:** Frank Hansen (Deputy Mayor)  
Barney MacNeil  
John Hill (Deputy Mayor Mid – Year)  
Earl Holley  
Bertha Allen  
Ellen Binder  
Jim Robertson  
Alex Foreman  
Jack Heath (Appointed Mid – Year)  
Malcolm McConnell (Appointed Mid – Year)

**XII. 1975 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Jim Robertson  
**Councillors:** John Hill  
Gwen Davis  
Bertha Allen  
Susie Huskey  
Alex Foreman (Deputy Mayor Mid – Year)  
Jack Heath  
John Roska  
Malcolm McConnell  
John Komaromi (Appointed Mid – Year)  
Carroll Bennett (Appointed Mid – Year)

**XIII. 1976 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Jim Robertson  
**Councillors:** Jack Heath (Deputy Mayor)  
Gwen Davis  
Bertha Allen  
Susie Huskey  
John Komaromi  
John Roska  
Carroll Bennett  
Ellen Binder  
Art Pollon ( Appointed Mid – Year)

**XIV. 1977 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Jim Roberstson  
**Councillors:** Jack Heath (Deputy Mayor)  
Cynthia Hill  
Tom Zubko  
Susie Huskey  
John Komaromi  
Rev. Terry Buckle  
Carroll Bennett  
Ellen Binder

**XV. 1978 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Jim Roberstson  
**Councillors:** Jack Heath (Deputy Mayor)  
Cynthia Hill  
Tom Zubko  
Susie Huskey  
John Komaromi  
Rev. Terry Buckle  
Carroll Bennett  
John Burch

**XVI. 1979 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Cynthia Hill  
**Councillors:** Alex Foreman (Deputy Mayor)  
John Hill  
Tom Zubko  
Susie Huskey  
John Komaromi  
Rev. Terry Buckle  
Carroll Bennett  
Bill Farmer

**XVII. 1980 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Cynthia Hill  
**Councillors:** Alex Foreman (Deputy Mayor)  
John Hill  
Tom Zubko  
Susie Huskey  
Dan Holman ( Deputy Mayor Mid – Year)  
Pauline Duggan  
Dave Northrop  
Barry Clarkson

**XVIII. 1981 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Cynthia Hill  
**Councillors:** Dan Holman (Deputy Mayor)  
Doug Billingsley  
Tom Zubko  
Susie Huskey  
Pauline Duggan  
Dave Northrop  
Barry Clarkson  
John Komaromi

**XIX. 1982 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Cynthia Hill  
**Councillors:** Barry Clarkson (Deputy Mayor)  
Doug Billingsley  
Tom Zubko  
Susie Huskey  
Alex Foreman  
John Komaromi  
Gordon Campbell  
Garry Kaulback

**XX. 1983 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Jim Robertson  
**Councillors:** John Hill (Deputy Mayor)  
Rita Pasiciel  
Tom Zubko  
Don Cave  
Carroll Bennett  
Edward Lennie  
Gordon Campbell  
Garry Kaulback

**XXI. 1984 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Jim Robertson  
**Councillors:** John Hill (Deputy Mayor)  
Rita Pasiciel  
Barry Clarkson  
Don Cave  
Carroll Bennett  
Edward Lennie  
Gordon Campbell  
Steve Roche  
Tom Zubko (Appointed Mid – Year)

**XXII. 1985 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** John Hill  
**Councillors:** Carroll Bennett (Deputy Mayor)  
Tom Zubko  
Victoria Boudreau  
Don Cave  
Barry Clarkson  
Paul Komaromi  
Gordon Campbell  
John McEachern  
Bruce Barr (Appointed Mid – Year)

**XXIII. 1986 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** John Hill  
**Councillors:** Gordon Campbell (Deputy Mayor)  
Tom Zubko  
Victoria Boudreau  
Don Cave  
Carroll Bennett  
Paul Komaromi  
Dan Holman  
Bruce Barr

**XXIV. 1987 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Gordon Campbell  
**Councillors:** Victoria Boudreau (Deputy Mayor)  
Don Cave  
Alan Davis  
Paul Komaromi  
Dan Holman  
Bruce Barr  
Dr. Terry Fellows  
Roger Israel

**XXV. 1988 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Gordon Campbell  
**Councillors:** Don Cave (Deputy Mayor)  
Victoria Boudreau  
Alan Davis  
Paul Komaromi  
Roger Allen  
Jeff Gardiner  
Dr. Terry Fellows  
Roger Israel

**XXVI. 1989 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** John Hill  
**Councillors:** Don Cave (Deputy Mayor)  
Paul Komaromi  
Roger Israel  
Loretta Balsom  
Arlene Hansen  
Larry Gordon  
Dave Sullivan  
Tom Zubko  
Vince Sharpe ( Appointed Mid – Year)  
Wayne Litster (Appointed Mid – Year)

**XXVII. 1990 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** John Hill  
**Councillors:** Don Cave (Deputy Mayor) Resigned December 90  
Paul Komaromi  
Roger Israel  
Loretta Balsom  
Arlene Hansen  
Tom Zubko  
Wayne Litster  
Cynthia Hill (Appointed December 90)  
Vince Sharpe (Appointed December 90)

**XXVIII. 1991 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** John Hill (Resigned May 1991)  
**Councillors:** Cynthia Hill (Deputy Mayor)(Resigned August 1991)  
Doug Billingsley (Resigned June 1991)  
Don Patterson  
Bob Desautels  
Vivian Hunter  
Billy Aleekuk  
Diana Tingmiak  
Shirley Kisoun (Appointed January 1991)  
Vince Sharpe

**XXIX. 1992 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Paul Komaromi  
**Councillors:** Tom Zubko (Deputy Mayor)  
Dennie Lennie  
Don Cave  
Gordon Campbell  
Robert Simpson  
Floyd Roland  
Thomas Wright  
Alan Davis

**XXX. 1993 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Paul Komaromi  
**Councillors:** Tom Zubko (Deputy Mayor)  
Gordon Campbell  
Don Cave  
Alan Davis  
Dennie Lennie  
Floyd Roland  
Robert Simpson  
Thomas Wright

**XXXI. 1994 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Paul Komaromi (Resigned February 28, 1994)  
**Councillors:** Tom Zubko (Deputy Mayor)  
Gordon Campbell  
Don Cave  
Alan Davis  
Dennie Lennie  
Floyd Roland  
Robert Simpson  
Thomas Wright  
Richard Barnes (Appointed April 25, 1994)



**XXXII. 1995 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Tom Zubko  
**Councillors:** Floyd Roland (Deputy Mayor) Resigned November 10/95  
Richard Barnes  
Alan Davis  
Vivian Hunter  
Harry Joujan – Resigned October 1995  
Dennie Lennie  
Robert Simpson – Appointed Deputy Mayor Nov. 11/95  
Julian Tomlinson  
Eddie Kolausok – Elected December 19, 1995  
Garry Smith – Elected December 19, 1995

**XXXIII. 1996 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Tom Zubko  
**Councillors:** Robert Simpson (Deputy Mayor)  
Richard Barnes  
Alan Davis  
Vivian Hunter  
Eddie Kolausok  
Dennie Lennie  
Garry Smith  
Julian Tomlinson

**XXXIV. 1996 – 1998 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** George Roach  
**Councillors:** Eddie Kolausok (Deputy Mayor) ~ resigned 1997 08 13  
David Connelly (Assistant Deputy Mayor) ~ resigned 1997 08 01  
Donna Allen  
Joey Amos ~ resigned 1997 04 23  
Richard Barnes ~ resigned 1997 04 23  
Vivian Hunter (Appointed Deputy Mayor - 1997 08 13)  
Derek Lindsay  
Vince Sharpe (Appointed Assistant Deputy Mayor - 1997 08 13)  
Dan Davis (Appointed 1997 05 14)  
Don Craik (Appointed 1997 05 14)  
Garry Smith (Appointed 1997 08 13)  
Shirley Kisoun (Appointed 1997 09 10)

## **XXXV. 1998 – 2000 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** George Roach  
**Councillors:** Peter Clarkson (Deputy Mayor)  
Don Craik (Appointed Assistant Deputy Mayor)  
Richard Binder  
Vivian Hunter  
Derek Lindsay  
Denny Rodgers  
Garry Smith  
Clarence Wood  
**Youth Representative:** Jill Chinna  
Sherry Rioux, *Alternate* (October 1999 – October 2000)

## **XXXVI. 2000 – 2002 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Peter Clarkson  
**Councillors:** Arlene Hansen (Deputy Mayor)  
Denny Rodgers (Appointed Assistant Deputy Mayor)  
Richard Binder  
Don Craik  
George Doolittle  
Vince Sharpe  
Garry Smith  
Clarence Wood  
**Youth Representatives:** Kristine McLeod (October 2000 – August 2001)  
Desmond Loreen (October 2001 – September 2002)

## **XXXVII. 2002 – 2004 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Peter Clarkson  
**Councillors:** Clarence Wood (Deputy Mayor)  
Arlene Hansen (Appointed Assistant Deputy Mayor)  
George Doolittle  
Derek Lindsay  
Alfred Moses  
Denny Rodgers  
Cheryl Sharpe (resigned January 28, 2004)  
Marja Van Nieuwenhuyzen  
Gayle Gruben (appointed January 28, 2004)  
**Youth Representatives:** Amanda Johns (October 2002 – August 2003)  
Jack Miller (October 2003 – ? 2004)

## **XXXVIII. 2004 – 2006 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Peter Clarkson  
**Councillors:** Terry Halifax  
Gayle Gruben (Appointed Assistant Deputy Mayor)  
Arlene Hansen (Deputy Mayor)  
Derek Lindsay  
Denny Rodgers  
Karen King  
Clarence Wood  
Paul Komaromi

**Youth Representatives:** Doris Rogers/Rebecca Robertson

## **XXXIX. 2006 – 2009 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Derek Lindsay  
**Councillors:** Terry Halifax  
Jim McDonald (Appointed Assistant Deputy Mayor)  
Chris Larocque (Deputy Mayor)  
Clarence Wood  
Grace Loreen  
Vince Brown  
George Doolittle  
Brian McDonald

**Youth Representatives:** Rebecca Robertson  
Cameron MacDonald

## **XL. 2009 – 2012 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Denny Rodgers  
**Councillors:** Chris Larocque (Deputy Mayor)  
Terry Halifax  
Jim McDonald  
Alana Mero  
Nick Saturnino  
Vince Sharpe (Assistant Deputy Mayor)  
Kurt Wainman  
Clarence Wood

**Youth Representatives:** Sarah Linton-McCarthy  
Molly McLeod

## **XLII. 2012 – 2015 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Floyd Roland  
**Councillors:** Jim McDonald (Deputy Mayor)  
Melinda Gillis  
Terry Halifax (deceased February 25, 2015)  
Natasha Kulikowski (appointed March 23, 2015)  
Joe Lavoie  
Derek Lindsay  
Alana Mero (Assistant Deputy Mayor)  
Kurt Wainman  
Clarence Wood

**Youth Representatives:** Dana King-Simpson  
Brandi Larocque

## **XLIII. 2015 - 2018 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Jim McDonald  
**Councillors:** Steven Baryluk (Deputy Mayor)  
Darrell Christie  
Natasha Kulikowski  
Joe Lavoie (Assistant Deputy Mayor)  
Alana Mero  
Vince Sharpe  
Kurt Wainman  
Clarence Wood

**Youth Representatives:** Jessica Clarke-Kuzman  
Kyla Hvatum

## **XLIV. 2018 - 2021 – TOWN OF INUVIK COUNCIL**

**Mayor:** Natasha Kulikowski  
**Councillors:** Steven Baryluk (Deputy Mayor, November 2018-  
March 2020; re-appointed April 14, 2021)  
Desmond Loreen (Assistant Deputy Mayor,  
November 2018-March 2020)  
Paul MacDonald (Deputy Mayor, April 2020-March  
24, 2021)  
Gary McBride (Assistant Deputy Mayor, April 2020-  
March 10, 2021)  
Alana Mero  
Raygan Solotki  
Kurt Wainman  
Clarence Wood (Assistant Deputy Mayor, April 14,  
2021-end of term)

**Youth Representatives:** Kaidynce Storr  
Mataya Gillis  
Cassidy Lennie-Ipana