

VILLAGE OF HAINES JUNCTION

Bylaw #435-25

Bylaw #435-25, A Bylaw to Establish the Shakwak Valley Community Hall Committee

WHEREAS, Section 191 of the Municipal Act, being Chapter 154 of the revised statutes of the Yukon, 2002 and amendments thereto, states that "Council may by bylaw establish committees, boards and commissions and their functions",

NOW THEREFORE, the Council for the Village of Haines Junction, in open meeting duly assembled, enacts as follows;

1.0 Short Title

This bylaw shall be known as the Shakwak Hall Committee Bylaw

2.0 Membership

Five members will be appointed by resolution by Council and will sit as members at the pleasure of Council. One Council member will also serve on the Committee.

3.0 Membership criteria:

Residing in Haines Junction, or surrounding region, for no less than two (2) years.

4.0 Mandate

1. Recommend, for Council approval, an approach for recognizing the importance of the Shakwak Hall to the Community, noting Council has specifically committed to hosting an end-of-life ceremony prior to demolition within its Strategic Plan. Other activities could include: a memorial book, a photo exhibit at the planned recreation centre, or other ideas as recommended by the Committee.
2. The Committee will prepare a budget for the recommended work. The budget will include all resources required to carry out the recommended work, including additional Committee time (if needed). The budget will be presented to Council for approval.
3. The Committee will guide work approved by Council until work is completed.

6.0 Term

Members will serve until December 21, 2026. The term may be extended as necessary.

7.0 Time commitment

Six meetings are anticipated to be required to complete work. The Committee may seek approval for additional meetings from Council as needed to carry out planned/approved work.

8.0 Honoraria

Committee members will be provided with \$100 honoraria to participate (and prepare) for Committee meetings.

9.0 Staff secretariat

Administrative support for the Committee will be provided by Village of Haines Junction staff.

10.0 Enactment

This Bylaw shall come into force and effect on the final passage thereof.

Read a first time on the 27th day of November, 2025.

Read a second time on 27th day of November, 2025.

Read a third time on the 10th day of December, 2025.



Diane Strand
Mayor



David Fairbank
Chief Administrative Officer

