

## JULY 2024 MONTH IN REVIEW

# Yukon

#### **LAWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **Emergency Response**

Jul 15: Victoria Gold said that there are "no assurances" it will ever resume production at its Eagle Gold mine after last month's ore-slide disaster. The Yukon government reports that 300M liters of cyanide solution escaped containment at the mine after an ore slide at a heap leach facility that uses the solution to extract gold from ore.

**Action Point:** Ensure that your company is <u>properly prepared for workplace</u> emergencies.

#### **New Laws**

Jun 27: Yukon will receive over \$1.4 million in federal funding from CanNor, the Canadian Northern Economic Development Agency, to support 10 Indigenous-led infrastructure and services development projects across the territory.

### **Transportation Safety**

Jun 20: The Government of Yukon reduced the speed limit on the Alaska Highway within the City of Whitehorse from the Two Mile Hill intersection to the Kulan Industrial Area to 70 kilometers per hour.

**Action Point:** Find out how far you can go in <u>disciplining workers for distracted</u> <u>driving.</u>

