



LAWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Emergency Response

Apr 18: With wildfire season approaching, Yukon launched a new e-newsletter service to provide residents timely information on fire bans, prescribed burns and other major wildfire operational updates. You can sign up for the wildfire e-newsletter on [Yukon.ca](https://www.yukon.ca) or on the [Wildfire Hub](#).

Action Point: Find out how to implement a [Wildfire Smoke Protection Game Plan](#) at your outdoor workplace.

New Laws

Apr 11: Under its newly renewed agreement with the federal government, Yukon will receive \$18.3 million over the next 3 years to enhance the French-language government services and information services it provides to residents.

Animal Safety

May 9: Beware of bears. That's the message Yukon conservation officers are relaying to the public, especially in the White Horse and Southern Lakes areas where there have been numerous reports of bear activity.

Action Point: Find out [how to protect](#) your outdoor workers from dangerous insects and wild animals.

Environmental

May 2: After cancellation of the federal consumer carbon pricing program, Yukon ended its own revenue-neutral carbon rebate program. Yukon residents received their final rebate payment on April 4, 2025. municipalities received their final payments on April 1. Businesses will receive their final payments with their latest tax return for tax years ending March 31, 2025, or earlier.