

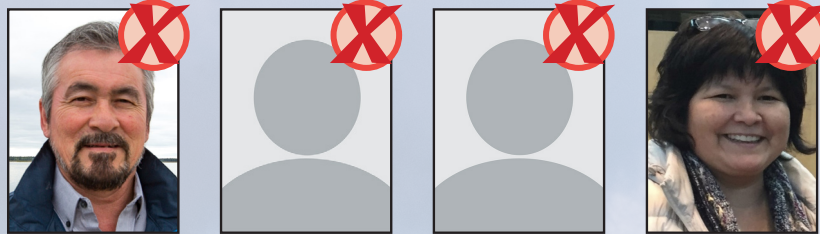
# 2023 TERRITORIAL ELECTION REPORT CARD

## Where do candidates stand on issues that are important to northern workers?

On October 24, the Union of Northern Workers sent five YES/NO questions to all territorial candidates, including those who were acclaimed:

1. Would you call on the departments of Health and Finance to put more healthcare dollars directly into wages and benefits for healthcare positions to retain and attract workers?
2. Would you actively lobby the departments of Health and Finance for legislation that brings the Hay River Health and Social Services Authority into the Public Service Act so that they are under the same collective agreement as the rest of NWT healthcare workers?
3. Would you call on the department of Finance to ensure that positions created specifically for Indigenous employees are compensated at the same rate as identical positions open to any candidate?
4. Would you vote in favour of or lobby for a bargaining mandate for the GNWT that requires them to decolonize articles of the collective agreement as Acts of Reconciliation without taking away from somewhere else?
5. Do you agree that a stable and fully staffed public service is essential for providing the programs and services that northern residents and businesses rely on?
6. Do you agree that all NWT residents require wage increases that meet or exceed inflation in order to afford to live in the NWT and contribute to our local economy?

### DEHCHO



Ronald Bonnetrouge  
Richard C. Lafferty  
Steven Vandell  
Sheryl Yakeleya

### FRAME LAKE



Deanna Cornfield  
Julian Morse\*  
John Stanley\*  
Spencer Tracy\*  
Stuart Wray\*

### GREAT SLAVE



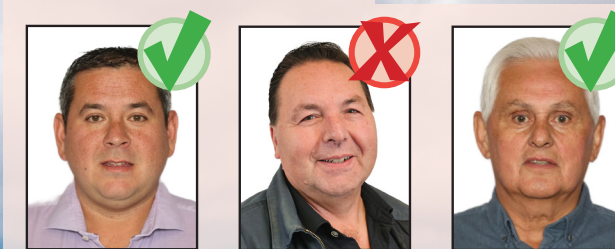
Kate Reid\*  
Katrina Nokleby\*  
Stacie Arden Smith  
James Lawrance

### HAY RIVER NORTH



Greg McMeekin\*  
R.J. Simpson  
Michael Wallington\*  
Hans Wiedemann

### HAY RIVER SOUTH



Vince McKay  
Wally Schumann  
Rocky Simpson\*

### INUVIK BOOT LAKE



Diane Archie  
Denny Rogers  
Sallie Ross

### INUVIK TWIN LAKES



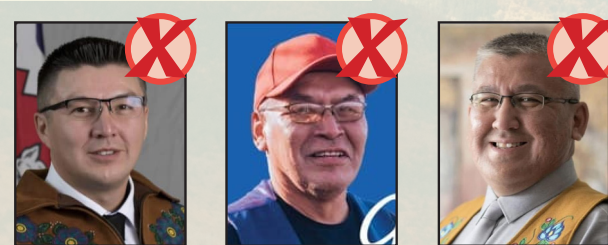
Lenora McLeod\*  
Lesa Semmler

### KAM LAKE



Caitlin Cleveland\*\*

### MACKENZIE DELTA



Frederick Blake Jr.  
George Nerysoo  
Richard Ross Jr.

### MONFWI



Jane Weyallon-Armstrong\*\*

### NAHENDEH



Sharon Allen\*  
Josh Campbell  
Mavis Cli-Michaud  
Hillary Deneron  
Shane Thompson\*  
Les Wright

### NUNAKPUT



Lucy Kuptana  
Vince Teddy

### RANGE LAKE



Aaron Reid  
Nicole Sok\*  
Kieron Testart\*

### SAHTU



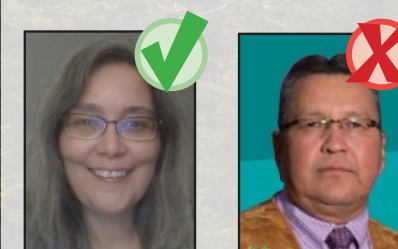
Paulie Chinna  
Daniel McNeely  
Delphine Pierrot

### THEBACHA



Connie Benwell  
Jay MacDonald  
Frieda Martselos

### TU NEDHÉ - WIILIDEH



Nadine Delorme  
Richard Edjericon

### YELLOWKNIFE CENTRE



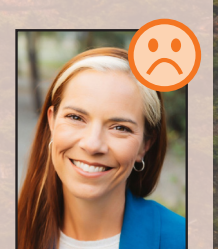
Ambe Chenemu\*  
Robert Hawkins\*  
Matthew Spence

### YELLOWKNIFE NORTH



Jon Howe  
Shauna Morgan\*  
Bruce Valpy

### YK SOUTH



Caroline Wawzonek\* \*\*



Said YES  
to 6 out of  
6 questions



Said YES to  
4 - 5 out of  
6 questions



Said YES to  
2 - 3 out of  
6 questions



Said YES  
to 1 out of  
6 questions



Said NO to all  
questions or did  
not respond

\* provided written responses  
(available on our website)

\*\* candidate was acclaimed

The Union of Northern Workers would like to thank every candidate who took the time to respond to our questionnaire.

To see a breakdown of each candidate's score, along with their full responses to our questionnaire, visit our website: [www.unw.ca/2023-unw-territorial-election-report-card](http://www.unw.ca/2023-unw-territorial-election-report-card)

**On November 14, support a candidate who supports northern workers.**