#### Northern Association of Community Councils (NACC)



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### **Resolutions Process and Form**

Our advocacy priorities are determined through a resolutions process. Resolutions submitted by your community bring awareness to the major issues in your community and help us to lobby on your behalf.

# Submitting a Resolution

Provide as much detail and information as possible, as shown in the example.

Resolutions must first be passed by your community council. An official/certified copy must be submitted to the NACC office prior to a date, later determined.

## Types of Resolutions

### **Community Issues**

These resolutions have the potential to impact most communities, directly or indirectly. The outcome of these resolutions might not impact all communities immediately, but they have the potential to.

Community issues are presented at the General Assembly. Examples include:

- changes to legislation that governs communities
- changes to direct funding
- indirect changes, such as provincial drainage regulations

### Local or Regional Issues

These are resolutions that affect one region or a small number of communities.

Local or regional issues are presented at the August Regional Meetings. Once passed, the NACC can start addressing the issue immediately. They may also be presented to the General Assembly.



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### **Example Resolution**

**Whereas**: the Provincial Highway 5012, 10 km south of Junction 2024 accessing the Community of Green Valley has been reduced to one lane due to potholes, overgrown brush and beavers plugging culverts sending water over the road.

**And whereas**: Green Valley Council is concerned for the safety of their 450 residents with a large population of elderly people with medical issues.

**And whereas**: Green Valley Council is concerned as this is the community's only access in and out, including emergency services.

**And whereas**: Green Valley has had three vehicle accidents resulting in two fatalities.

**Be it resolved**: Green Valley Council requests NACC to lobby and meet with the Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure to bring forward these issues, to try and find a solution for the community.

If you have photos of the road or accidents, attach them to the resolution.

Review your resolution before submitting it.



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## **Certified Resolution Form**

Community Council:
Resolution #:
Moved by:
Seconded by:
Whereas:
And Whereas:
And Whereas:
Be it resolved:
I certify that the above resolution was passed at the Regular / Special meeting of the Community Council held on (insert date, year).
I certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the resolution as it appears in

the minutes of the Community Council meeting held on (insert date, year).