

Council Report – November 3, 2015
Submitted by Councillor Rogerson

October 23, 2015: I attended an **AYC (Association of Yukon Communities) Executive Meeting** via teleconference. All members of the Executive were re-elected in their respective communities: President Wayne Potoroka (Mayor, Dawson City), First Vice-President Gord Curran (Councillor, Teslin), Second Vice-President Betty Irwin (Councillor, Whitehorse), Vice-President At Large Diana Rogerson (Councillor, Faro). The Executive is looking forward to meeting with other elected officials at the **Newly Elected Officials Training in Whitehorse November 12th through November 14th**. Early indications are that Faro will be one of the few communities with 100% attendance! It promises to be an informative, educational and inspiring event for all of us.

October 26, 2015: Councillor Edwards, Councillor McCracken, CAO Dunlop and I had a **meeting with Captain Kathleen Tipton, Liaison Officer, Joint Task Force (North) Detachment Yukon, Canadian Armed Forces**. Captain Tipton was posted to her current position in June 2015. It is a three year posting and she made the trip to Faro to introduce herself to Council. Topics of discussion included the possibility of Faro playing host to survival and emergency training exercises, points of contact for assistance in the event of an emergency and the types of resources that Faro has to offer. CAO Dunlop will be forwarding appropriate information to her for future reference. We extended an invitation for her to visit again during the Crane & Sheep Festival.

October 30, 2015: Mayor Bowers, Councillor Snyder, Councillor Edwards, and I had an informal meeting with CAO Dunlop to identify some action items for upcoming Council meetings. We also discussed the need for a strategic planning session as soon as possible following our attendance at the Newly Elected Officials Training.