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# REPORT ON CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE ALLOTMENTS IN THE APPROPRIATION OPDINANCE 1965-66

# DISPOSITION

# CAPITAL ACCOUNTS - MACKENZIE DISTRICT

1. Allotment 1001 - Territorial Share of Construction and Improvement of Federal Schools and Related Buildings

#### Cambridge Bay

Construction of thirteen-classroom school and two-hundred-pupil hostel. Semi-finished working drawings have been circulated to various interested parties for approval. Site selected, tender call planned for the spring of 1966.

# Fort McPherson

Construction of four-classroom school with gymnasium. Contract was let by D.P.W. to Burns and Hall Construction Co. Ltd. Completion expected September 1, 1966.

## Fort Providence

Planning underway for two-classroom addition to present school. Working drawings are completed. Contract-advertising planned for the spring of 1966.

# Hay River

Consultant being hired to prepare working drawings for new Elementary School. Installation of new heating system in existing school 80% complete. No revisions will be made to the existing building until the new elementary school is in operation.

#### Inuvik

D.P.W. is preparing working drawings for sixteen-classroom high school. Tender call planned for early 1966.

# Pine Point

Four-classroom school complete and operating.

#### Rae

Construction of fifteen-classroom school and two-hundredpupil hostel. A consultant has completed feasibility study of the site.

# Tuktoyaktuk

A contract let to Yukon Construction for the addition to the school.

#### Miscellaneous

Eight temporary classrooms purchased, Two are in operation at Hay River; two at Inuvik; one to be erected at Rae and two at Fort Smith. One additional unit to be stored at Hay River for delivery to Inuvik by barge.

2. Allotment 1002 - Territorial Share of Equipment for Federal Formoles, Student Residences and Vocational Graining

#### Fort Providence

Furniture ordered and two temporary classrooms in operation in school basement.

#### Pine Point

Furniture installed in school.

#### Tuktoyaktuk

Furnishings for two additional classrooms on hand; no additional furniture ordered.

# Miscellaneous Capital Equipment

Playground equipment, audio-visual, etc., ordered as required. Vocational and adult education proceeding as required and applications for individuals requiring training are continuing to be processed.

- 3. Allotment 1003 Grant to Yellowknife School District No. 1

  New nine-classroom elementary school in operation.
- 4. Allotment 1006 Loans to Yellowknife School District No. 1
  Done.
- 5. Allotment 1007 School Facilities for Retarded Children
  Mobile classroom purchased and delivered,
- 6. Allotment 4001 Construction of Local Roads in Settlements
  Outside Municipalities and Local Improvement
  Districts

#### Coppermine

Dump truck and tractor used to start road construction program; little progress made as equipment unsuitable. Estimated cost of culverts and work done - \$8.500,

#### Fort Liard

\$3,000 contract let to Keen Construction of Fort Nelson - work completed. Roads were rough-graded and ditched but no gravel applied.

#### Fort Providence

Settlement streets gravelled and graded - culverts requisitioned, Expect all funds will be used.

#### Rae

Materials delivered to construct a walk on the bridge. Work being carried out during the winter months.

#### Aklavik

A contract for \$7,189 let to D. Storr. Gravel contracted from Roy Hanson at \$3,675. Contracts let too late for work to be completed this year. Approximately 50% of program finished this year.

# Fort McPherson

A \$4,940 contract let to Roy Wright to construct a shale-borrow pit is complete. The only available contractor was tied up on other work; therefore, nothing further could be done on the Territorial program.

# Fort Resolution

Three contracts totalling \$13,200 let to Slave River Construction - work completed.

## Fort Norman

Contract for \$2,100 let to J. Hardy - work completed.

#### Fort Good Hope

Contract for \$5,000 let to Roy Corless for work from docking area to the R.C.M.P. - work completed.

# Tuktoyaktuk

Contract let to Federal Electric Corporation for rental of a tractor-scraper to spread gravel - work completed.

# Arctic Red River

Contract for \$3,000 let to Steinbring Brothers. Only \$900 of work completed owing to the weather. Day labour used in the installation of culverts.

#### Cambridge Bay

Contract for \$3,150 let to Fred Ross and Associates - work completed.

#### Spence Bay

Trails being prepared by day labour removing surface boulders. Further road work carried out under the Community Assistance Welfare Program.

7. Allotment 4002 - Construction of Sidewalks in Settlements
Outside Municipalities and Local Improvement
Districts

#### Aklavik

All funds expended to purchase lumber from Aklavik Sawmill.

#### Coppermine

No funds expended but plan to requisition materials for delivery this year.

#### Fort Franklin

Indian Affairs Sawmill will produce materials this winter from local logs.

#### Fort McPherson

Lumber purchased from Aklavik Sawmill but not delivered. Materials for the sidewalks to be obtained from Indian Affairs Sawmill at Fort McPherson.

#### Fort Providence

Contract let to W. Myren for construction of sidewalks - \$3,000 of work was completed. Expect that remainder of contract will be completed before June of 1966.

# Fort Resolution

Area Administrator advises that people of Fort Resolution think sidewalks unnecessary owing to road construction with ditch which precludes installation of sidewalks within road allowance.

# Inuvik

Material: purchased from Aklavik Sawmill - prefabrication of sidewalk sections to be carried out this winter.

#### Spence Bay

Expect that materials ordered last summer will be delivered in 1966.

8. Allotment 4003 - Fire Protection in Settlements Outside Municipalities and Local Improvement Districts

# Aklavik

Fire alarm system completed and fire fighting equipment ordered.

#### Arctic Red River

Storage shed prefabricated in Inuvik and shipped to site - extinguishers requisitioned. Upon completion of the distribution system, 2 HP siren will be installed.

# Coppermine

Materials requisitioned - funds expended

## Fort McPherson

A \$16,500 fire truck ordered. Site chosen for fire hall - no materials delivered to site. Fire alarm system completed.

#### Fort Good Hope

Siren set up.

# Fort Providence

Materials requisitioned.

#### Fort Norman

Materials amounting to \$1,100 purchased.

# Rae

\$1,400 expended for equipment and materials.

#### Inuvik

Materials requisitioned in accordance with Fire Marshal's recommendations.

# Pine Point

Fire truck purchased and delivered. Fire alarm system requisitioned - do not expect installation until Northern Canada Power Commission takes over distribution system. Contract let for construction of fire hall.

9. Allotment 4004 - Construction of Camp Grounds and Picnic Grounds

See Allotment 901.

#### Arctic Red River

Purchase of street lights underway - will be installed when electrical distribution system erected.

#### Cambridge Bay

Street light fixtures requisitioned for installation in summer, 1966.

# Coppermine

Street lights being requisitioned. Until Department of Transport power plant increased in size, unlikely that street lights can be operated.

#### Fort Liard

All street lights and new distribution system installed.

#### Fort McPherson

Northern Canada Power Commission requested to install street lights.

#### Fort Norman

Street lights requisitioned but new distribution system not yet completed.

#### Inuvik

Fixtures being purchased for installation by Northern Canada Power Commission.

# 11. Allotment 4006 - Construction and Clearing of Fire Breaks

#### Fort Good Hope

Contract for \$1,500 let to R. Corless for clearing.

# Fort McPherson

Contract for \$2,930 let to Roy Wright to supply shale for grading.

## Fort Norman

Contract for \$1,500 let to J. Hardy for grading.

#### Lac La Martre

Work to be carried out as Winter Works Project - \$4,500 application approved.

#### Snowdrift

\$2,000 of day labour completed - series of Winter Works Projects approved for this work.

#### Jean Marie River

Approved Winter Works Project for \$900 to be carried out this winter.

#### Fort Liard

\$1,800 Winter Works Project on fire break clearing to be carried out.

# Nahanni Butte

\$2,000 Winter Works Project on fire break clearing to be carried out.

#### Trout Lake

\$3,000 Winter Works Project on fire break clearing will be carried out.

#### Rocher River

\$3,000 Winter Works Project on fire break clearing will be carried out.

#### Pine Point

\$14,000 will be expended under Winter Works Program for fire break clearing.

# Fort Resolution

12. Allotment 4007 - Water and Sewer Systems in Settlements

# Aklavik

Some materials delivered to site; work underway. Expect 50% of work will be completed by April, 1966.

# Fort Providence

Sewage truck purchased and in use.

#### Pine Point

Water and sewer installation completed to trailer court and residential block and commercial area serviced.

13. Allotment 4008 - Relocation and Extension - Fort Simpson Emergency Landing Strip

Funds expended -work not complete. A \$9,000 Winter Works Project approved to complete the work.

14. Allotment 5005 - Construction of Sidewalks Within Local Improvement Districts

## Fort Simpson

Materials being purchased locally - prefab sections to be constructed this winter.

15. Allotment 5006 - Town Planning and Development

# Fort Simpson

Contracts totalling \$3,650 let for gravel, ditching and grading on lots 21, and 23, Block 5.

16. Allotment 5010 - Winter Works Program

30 approved projects proceeding - surplus funds transferred from other allotments to cover cost.

17. Allotment 5013 - Water and Sewer System

#### Hay River

Work proceeding on intake - contract let to B.G. Linton. Water line supply to new subdivision proceeding under contract to Poole Construction.

18. Allotment 6001 - Bombardier Winter Trails

Used by Game Division during winter months for payment of casual labour engaged to provide trails.

19. Allotment 5009 - Water and Sewer Systems in Local Improvement
Districts

#### Fort Simpson

Fluoridation equipment installed and operating.

# Fort Smith

Water and sever extension on Camsell Street now complete.

20. Allotment 5C15 - Water Main Extension to Gaol Site,
Yellowknife

Work proceeding. First Progress Payment request from Town of Yellowknife received and submitted for payment.

21. Allotment 8001 - Construction or Acquisition of Buildings,

Land and Equipment for Liquor System

Working drawings for Hay River Liquor Store completed - contract will be advertised in near future. Inuvik Liquor Store modifications completed. Three-bedroom apartment in Inuvik Liquor Store not approved. Tenders called but none received for addition to residence of Superintendent of Liquor in Yellowknife.

# DEVELOPMENT SERVICES - MACKENZIE DISTRICT

22. Allotment 403 - Maintenance of Local Roads in Settlements
Outside Municipalities and Local Improvement
Districts

#### Aklavik

\$5,650 day labour used on settlement roads. Two contracts let to J.S. Wilson for snow clearance and maintenance of garbage disposal area.

#### Rae

\$1,000 day labour expended and \$504 contract let to Mrs. V. Kimbell for snow removal.

# Tuktoyaktuk

Equipment rented at \$1,100 for maintenance. \$310 spent on day labour.

#### Enterprise

Road maintenance carried out with Federal maintenance equipment. Journalized entry will be made to cover cost.

#### Fort Franklin

No expenditures made. A contractor hauling gravel did some road work in the settlement.

#### Fort Good Hope

Contract for \$1,200 let to R. Corless for road maintenance and garbage disposal. \$230 spent on day labour.

#### Fort Liard

A motor grader rented from R.J. Keen of Fort Nelson for \$1,500 to carry out road maintenance.

#### Fort McPherson

Contract let to Roy Wright for \$1,800 to carry out road maintenance. Additional \$2,600 spent on day labour and purchase of culverts.

#### Fort Norman

Contract was let to J. Hardy for gravel and grading.

# Fort Providence

Mackenzie Highway maintenance equipment carried out maintenance. Journal entry will be made to cover cost.

#### Fort Resolution

\$900 spent on road maintenance day labour.

#### Inuvik

\$7,400 spent to date, using Departmental equipment and day labour.

# Pine Point

Arrangements made for Pine Point Mines to carry out present maintenance; they will bill later.

# 23. Allotment 408 - Water and Sewer System in Settlements

# Fort Providence

Water and sewage system now in operation with two trucks. Contract let for supply of water and removal of sewage in Federal installations. Water and sewage truck handling all other users. Expected that all services in future will be supplied by the two Territorial Government trucks.

#### Rae

Two trucks in operation for water and sewer services. \$19,000 expended to date.

# 24. Allotment 504 - Maintenance of Local Roads Within Local Improvement Districts

#### Fort Simpson

All funds expended on contract work with Fort Simpson Construction Company.

# 25. Allotment 509 - Insect Control and Spring Cleanup in Local Improvement Districts

Seeding of sloughs with pellets and fogging periodically through summer months was carried out in Fort Simpson. No money expended on spring cleanup.