



***It's your contract!  
Tell us what you want.***

The Collective Agreement that sets out the terms and conditions of your employment with the Government of Yukon expires on December 31, 2009. The process of negotiating a new agreement has now begun. This is your chance to help improve your contract, and in so doing, better the working life for yourself and the other members of the Yukon Employees' Union..

Legislation allows the face-to-face negotiations with the employer to begin in the fall of 2009. But before that can happen, your input is needed to identify your issues and concerns, and those of your co-workers.

YEU is now seeking bargaining proposals from the membership and nominations for seats on the Bargaining Input Committee (BIC). The rules governing BIC elections are included on the back of the Bargaining Input Committee Nomination forms.

The *Bargaining Input Form* on the reverse is the tool you need to submit your ideas, concerns and corrections to the existing Collective Agreement.

Your Bargaining Team welcomes any and all proposals. Every single proposal will be reviewed and considered by the soon-to-be elected Bargaining Input Committee – which will include representatives from your own worksite.

As in the last round of negotiations, your Bargaining Team may streamline contract talks at the main negotiating table by referring less controversial issues to the Pre-Bargaining teams.

If you have any questions, or require additional information, please contact the Yukon Employees' Union at 867-667-2331, Toll Free at 1-866-YEU-2331. You can also email your questions to [contact@yeu.ca](mailto:contact@yeu.ca).

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# PSAC - YEU BARGAINING INPUT FORM

LOCAL \_\_\_\_\_ WORKSITE \_\_\_\_\_

BARGAINING UNIT – **Government of Yukon**

## INSTRUCTIONS:

Please use this form to identify areas in your collective agreement you feel should be changed, added to, or deleted. Return this form to the YEU office at 201-2285 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue. If more space is needed, please attach additional pages. NOTE: More than one member can sign the input form. In fact, additional signatures lend strength to your proposals.

ARTICLE # (if available/applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

**Submission deadline: June 19, 2009**

SUBJECT: \_\_\_\_\_

BARGAINING PROPOSAL Please outline clearly your suggested change. Use additional sheets if necessary.

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YOUR REASON FOR THE PROPOSAL: *If this is a new article, or a change to an existing article (other than clarification of wording), describe problems which prompted your proposal, including actual examples where possible.*

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SUBMITTED BY: \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

JOB TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_ DEPARTMENT \_\_\_\_\_

SUPPORTED BY: \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

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# YEU BARGAINING INPUT COMMITTEE NOMINATION FORM

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**Nomination deadline: 5 p.m., June 19, 2009**

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2. Up to four (4) members appointed by the Regional Women's Committee.
3. If a Local does not fill all seats available, the YEU Executive may distribute the vacant seats to other Locals.
4. Equity – YEU is committed to a demographic balance on the BIC which reflects the makeup of the work sites.
5. Where practical, demographic populations including but not limited to Auxiliary-On-Call workers, temporary employees, disabled members and First Nation members will be represented.
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