



The Municipality of Rankin Inlet

Resignation of Hamlet Councillor.

For Immediate Release

(February 15, 2022), Hamlet of Rankin Inlet.

With regret, Mayor Harry Towtongie on behalf of Hamlet Council, is announcing that Councillor Gabriel Karlik has tendered his resignation as a Hamlet Councillor effective immediately.

Councillor Karlik chose to step down from council due to increasing demands from other commitments and wanted to ensure that the seat be open to make room for someone who would be able to devote the time and energy the position requires.

Over the past two years Councillor Karlik has played a very active role in the governance of the municipality by chairing the lands committee as well as being a member of the finance committee.

“We are extremely grateful for the strong contributions Gabriel has made on behalf of the community. We will miss his solid leadership on council and we wish him every success in his future endeavours ” said Mayor Harry Towtongie.

The next municipal election is set for Monday October 23, 2023. To fill the vacancy immediately, Council has decided to publicly request applications from persons in the community who would be eligible to be a candidate for that office. Council will select an appointee from the list of applicants at the February 28, 2022 meeting.

Application forms are now available at the Hamlet Office and will be accepted until **5 PM February 25, 2022.**

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