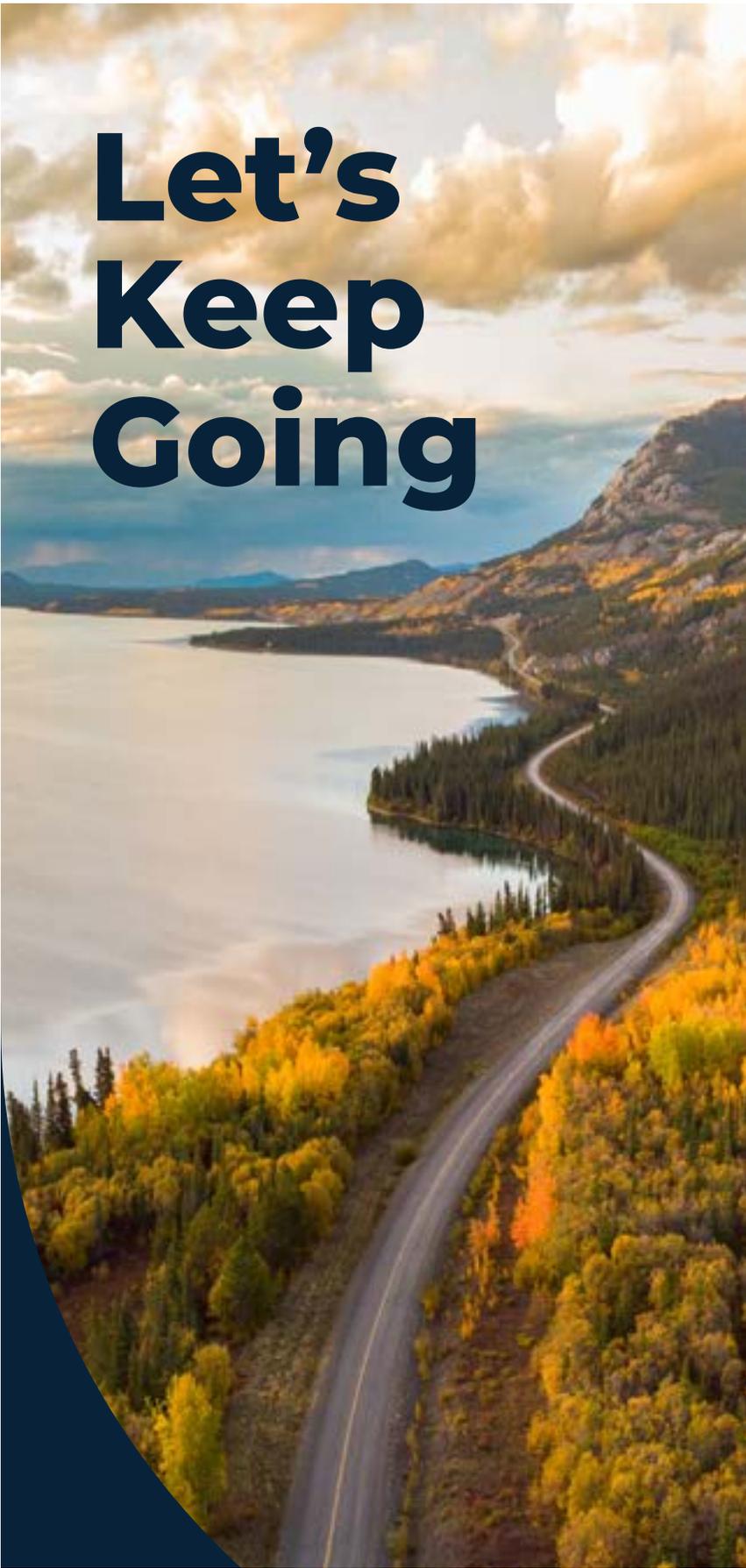


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Addressing the Climate Crisis

The Yukon Liberal Government will continue to consider the climate crisis at the heart of our decisions. This is the only way we can guarantee a safe future for the next generation of Yukoners.

For 14 years the Yukon was led by a conservative government that didn't balance the economy and the environment. Over the past four years, the Yukon Liberal Government has proven that not only can it be done, but that it is the only way forward.

We have a proven record when it comes to protecting the Yukon's environment, including:

- ✓ Joining partners as a signatory of the final recommended plan from the Peel Watershed Regional Land Use Planning commission in a memorable ceremony in July 2019. We are now working hard with our partners to implement this groundbreaking plan.
- ✓ Successfully implemented the federal carbon price in a way that recognizes the unique circumstances of the North, by returning all funds collected back to Yukoners.
- ✓ Acted to protect fragile alpine areas by creating Off-Road Vehicle regulations for specific alpine regions.
- ✓ Advocating for the protection of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge.
- ✓ Created legislation to allow for the ban of single-use bags. We anticipate this ban will begin in 2022.
- ✓ Established a Youth Panel on Climate Change to ensure that our youth have a voice in the Yukon's climate change actions.
- ✓ Developed an extensive network of management plans and habitat areas across Yukon that are protected, including Ch'ihilii Chik Habitat Protection Area Management Plan (2019), the Herschel Island–Qikiqtaruk Territorial Park Management Plan (2019) and the Ddhaw Ghro Habitat Protection Area Management Plan (2018).



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A re-elected Yukon Liberal Government will keep protecting the Yukon's beautiful environment. We will:

Work with the City of Whitehorse, impacted First Nations, and local stakeholders to **create McIntyre Creek Park.**

Partner with City of Whitehorse on **public transit improvements.**

Introduce legislation to enable the **development of geothermal projects.**

Consolidate climate change initiatives and programs under one roof for greater strategic focus.

We stand by our commitment - **we will continue to ban fracking in the Yukon.**

Complete the **Yukon's Wetland Strategy** within the first year of our new mandate.

Work with local stakeholders to plan for **creating recreation infrastructure** across the Yukon, such as trails, in an ecologically sensitive way, for both motorized and non-motorized vehicles.

Introduce **carbon intensity targets** for mines and large industrial plants.

Complete the **Dawson Land Use Planning Process** and continue the land use planning process in other Yukon areas as requested by Yukon First Nations.

Work with **Yukon University** to consider the development of a building science program tailored to northern climates.

Develop both **species at risk and animal protection legislation** to ensure that the Yukon's wildlife and animal population are adequately protected.



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