



**SPECIAL  
POINTS OF  
INTEREST:**

- **New NWT Water Board Offices in Inuvik and Yellowknife**
- **Contribution Agreement signed with INAC for 2008-2009**
- **Staffing Actions Under Way**

## NEW OFFICE ESTABLISHED IN INUVIK

The NWT Water Board today announced the signing of the 2008-2009 Contribution Agreement with Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC). Rudy Cockney, Interim Chairman commented: "The signing is an important landmark. In March, the Water Board undertook a Transition Plan with INAC to establish a new office in Inuvik as part of a major restructuring effort. I am pleased to note that the signing of the Contribution Agreement and the establishment of the new Water Board Inuvik Office have been achieved within the original timelines set by the Board. These mark important steps in the history and development of the NWT Water Board."

The Water Board plans to host a formal office opening ceremony in Inuvik in June 2008, details of which will be forthcoming soon.

Meanwhile, the Water Board has been operating from its new office location in Yellowknife since mid-April 2008, sharing space with the Northern Gas Project Secretariat (NGPS).

Dr. Ron Wallace, A/Executive Director commented: "The NGPS staff, led by Dr. Brian Chambers, have been exceptionally accommodating of the NWT Water Board. The Executive Directors are proud of the new efficiencies that have been achieved by the joint office integrations in both Yellowknife and Inuvik."



**Rudy Cockney, Interim Chairman  
NWT Water Board**

Our Yellowknife Office  
has relocated to  
**5114-49th Street**  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 1P8

## STAFFING ACTIONS UNDER WAY

The NWT Water Board is presently working with INAC to complete staffing actions for the new Inuvik NWT Water Board office. The positions include a new Executive Director, a local Office Administrator and two new Regulatory Officers.

Ms. Liz Castaneda, has been appointed as Office Administrator at the Yellowknife Office. She may be reached at the Water Board General Enquiries number (867) 765-0106.

Rudy Cockney commented: The Water Board looks forward to eventually welcoming the new staff to our operations team and to expanding our working capabilities within the Inuvialuit Settlement Region from our new Inuvik office base."