

Backgrounder

Report Card: Review of Government Programs and Services

In November 2008, during the leadership forum, Premier Eva Aariak committed to completing a Report Card, or snapshot, of government programs and services to understand what is working, what needs improvement and what is not working at all. Cabinet agreed that a quick review, conducted by an external reviewer, is required and that it must also identify gaps in government services.

Based on the results of this Report Card, improvements and changes will be made to programs and services. The intent is to become a government that is responsive to the people of Nunavut and provides the programs and services that Nunavummiut need.

An Interim Report Card will be completed by October 1, 2009 so that improvements can be incorporated in the 2010/2011 Capital and Main budgets. A final report will be completed within a year and a detailed work plan will follow.

It was agreed that staff of the Government of Nunavut must be actively involved. To encourage open discussion, submissions will be confidential and no names will be included in the reports.