

Public Service Announcement

Nunavut land referendum on May 9

Start Date: April 22, 2016 End Date: May 9, 2016 Nunavut-wide

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Nunavummiut will vote in a territory-wide land referendum on May 9, 2016, in accordance with the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement.

The outcome of the referendum will determine if municipalities can sell municipal lands. A "yes" vote will make it possible for a municipality to sell municipal land. A "no" vote will mean that a municipality will continue to own and lease the land. Each community in Nunavut will vote independently.

The referendum vote does not affect Inuit-owned lands. The use of municipal lands, whether sold or leased, will remain under the authority of the municipalities.

Remember, if you don't vote, you won't have any say in the matter.

To learn more about the referendum, visit <u>www.landreferendum.gov.nu.ca</u>. You can also email <u>landreferendum@gov.nu.ca</u> or phone 1-844-544-7409.

For other information on voting and advance polls, contact Elections Nunavut or your hamlet office.

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