

Dawson Land Planning Commission,

I have been involved in the mining industry in Dawson now for fifteen years, and this industry is what brought me to the Yukon. The Dawson region is wide spread with minerals throughout the entire area that have and have not been discovered. Access is a key part to the development, discovery and extraction of these minerals. The mining industries (both placer and hard rock) are important industries to many families and businesses that reside in the territory and rely on them for income. Over the past many years thru stringent governmental regulations the mining industries have adapted to become more environmentally sound on there practices. I strongly believe that in the development of a land use plan for the Dawson region that access to all areas should be incorporated so these industries can continue to be a major part of the Yukon's economy.

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