



Director Betty Irwin

2017-current

Councillor of the City of Whitehorse

2006-current

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Biography

Ms. Betty Irwin is originally from the United States and became a Canadian Citizen in 1975. She is an inter-provincially tradesperson. Since retiring from her trade, Betty has worked with organizations such as Yukon Women in Trades and Technology, Skills Canada, Yukon College and in public schools to promote careers in trades to both youth and adults.

Ms. Irwin was one of the founding members of Yukon Women in Trades and Technology and served as Program Coordinator until 2008. She has partnered in three successful businesses here in Whitehorse and also worked as an Industrial Training Consultant with the Apprenticeship Branch of the Government of Yukon.

Betty is currently serving her third term on Whitehorse City Council, having being re-elected in October 2015.

As 2nd Vice President of AYC, Betty participated in the re-write and updating of the Bylaws and Policies. She represented AYC on the Our Towns—Our Future process and continues to focus on the need to find ways in which municipalities can evolve to have more control of their futures.

Committees and Achievements

- Member-AYC Financial Stability Committee
- Recipient-Commissioner's Award for Public Service-2006
- Member-Whitehorse Housing Advisory Board
- Volunteer-Humane Society Yukon.