

**40th
ANNIVERSARY
CELEBRATIONS & REDEDICATION
of the**

ALASKA HIGHWAY

DAWSON CREEK, B.C.
MARCH 20th, 1982 — 10:30 A.M.
ALASKA HIGHWAY TRAFFIC CIRCLE

MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

Completed in 1942, the Alaska Highway was, and still is, an engineering marvel.


Because of the necessity of the day, the construction of the Alaska Highway brought an economic boom to northeastern British Columbia. During the days of construction, many lasting friendships were established.

With the cessation of hostilities during World War II, the true value of the Alaska Highway became evident. The Highway became a lifeline to developing communities in Northern British Columbia the Yukon and Alaska.

Today we are marking the 40th Anniversary of this famous highway.

Over the next twenty-two months, communities from Dawson Creek to Fairbanks, will be celebrating this Anniversary.

Not only are we celebrating an Anniversary, but we are also acknowledging the contributions provided by this link. Many friendships started in 1942; old ones continue to grow and new ones start. May this highway continue to be a road to friendship.


Robert S. Trail,
MAYOR,
CITY OF DAWSON CREEK

THE 40TH ANNIVERSARY AND REDEDICATION OF THE

ALASKA HIGHWAY

Ceremonies to commence at 10:30 a.m., Saturday,
March 20th, at the Alaska Highway traffic circle.

MASTER OF CEREMONIES

SAM FALSTAD

BLESSING

PASTOR O.C.L. BRANDT

GREETINGS FROM P.R.A.H.T.A.

DICK SEQUENS

GREETINGS FROM THE PROVINCIAL TOURISM MINISTRY

JOHN CURRIE

GREETINGS FROM THE CITY

MAYOR BOB TRAIL

OFFICIAL REDEDICATION OF THE OPENING OF THE ALASKA

HIGHWAY

THE HONORABLE DON PHILLIPS

MINISTER OF INDUSTRY AND SMALL BUSINESS