

Petition: Raise the Minimum Wage to a Living Wage

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To the Northwest Territories Legislative Assembly:

This petition of the undersigned shows:

THAT the minimum wage in the Northwest Territories is \$13.46 per hour,
THAT the Living Wage in the NWT has been calculated by Alternatives North as \$20.96 per hour, and
THAT the cost of living in the NWT is among the highest in Canada.

THEREFORE, we, the petitioners, ask the Government of the Northwest Territories to bring forth a plan to:
(1) increase the NWT's minimum wage to \$15 per hour by 2020 (2) change the NWT's minimum wage to a Living Wage, identified by Alternatives North as \$20.96 per hour, by 2021 and (3) tie annual minimum/living wage increases to the Consumer Price Index.

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