

KLONDIKE DEFENSE FORCE



STORY: The Yukon Klondike Defence Force was an ad hoc organization founded in 1966 by Roy Minter and a group of Yukon patriots. Its purpose was to stop the usurpation of the Yukon's Klondike history by the City of Edmonton.

The Defence Force fought the City of Edmonton for years. Eventually it was successful in stopping some of Edmonton's Klondike promotions, including its plan to use the Yukon's Klondike history as its theme for Expo '67 in Montreal.

The fund was created from money left in the treasury when the Force disbanded.