

Out-of-Province Ministerial Travel and Expenses
(including expenses of participants and general expenses associated with travel)

Ministry	Executive Council	
Title of Travel	2025 Western Premier’s Conference (WPC)	
Location	Yellowknife, Northwest Territories	
Date(s)	May 20-23, 2025	
Participants	Honourable Scott Moe, Premier of Saskatchewan Jared Dunlop, Chief of Staff to Premier Moe Ashley Boha, Deputy Chief of Staff to Premier Moe	
Purpose of Travel	To attend the 2025 Western Premier’s Conference	
Total Travel Expenditures for Participants		
Air Travel (including airfare and airport service fees, baggage fees)		\$3,263.13
Ground Travel (including taxis, car rentals, trains, and buses)		\$35.87
Accommodation (including room charges and all related taxes and fees)		\$1,170.66
Meals (personal per diem meal claims)		\$369.00
Conference & Registration Fees		\$0.00
Miscellaneous (including incidentals, parking, temporary cell phone upgrades, fax and internet charges, passport and visa fees, medical and vaccination fees, and other sundry expenditures)		\$45.00
Subtotal		\$4,883.66
General Travel Expenditures		
Business Hosting Expenses (expenses for luncheon and/or dinner meetings hosted by the Government of Saskatchewan, including food, beverages, catering staff, service charges, equipment, and entertainment)		\$0.00
Miscellaneous (Including meeting rooms, translator and interpreter fees, police security, publications, shipping charges, gifts)		\$0.00
Subtotal		\$0.00
TOTAL		\$4,883.66

Overview of Travel and Objectives

The purpose of this travel was for Premier Scott Moe to attend the 2025 Western Premiers' Conference (WPC) in Yellowknife, Northwest Territories.

WPC brings together the Premiers from Canada's four Western Provinces and three Territories. All Premiers were in attendance, with Manitoba Premier Wab Kinew participating virtually.

Saskatchewan's primary focus for the meeting was to strengthen alignment among Western Provinces and Territories (PTs) and determine areas for joint collaboration.

Travel Activity

Premier Moe attended the WPC meeting in Yellowknife, Northwest Territories, on May 21, 2025, to May 22, 2025. Western Premiers discussed several topics related to Federal-Provincial-Territorial relations, including the state of Canada's federation, Canada-United States relations and tariffs, economic corridors, energy security, nation-building infrastructure projects, Arctic security and sovereignty, and economic prosperity for Canadians. Western Premiers also discussed positioning going into the Saskatoon First Ministers' Meeting in June 2025.

Premiers released a joint communiqué calling for federal partnership and commitments in seven priority areas:

- 1) International Trade and Tariffs
- 2) Economic Corridors, Energy Security, and Project Approvals
- 3) Arctic Security and Sovereignty
- 4) Emergency Preparedness
- 5) Housing
- 6) Public safety
- 7) Artificial Intelligence

The WPC communiqué is available on the Canadian Intergovernmental Conference Secretariat (CICS) website at:

<https://scics.ca/en/product-produit/press-release-western-premiers-conference/>

The WPC meeting concluded with a closing press conference, with media in-person and on the phone asking questions. Premier Moe participated in the press conference.