Resolute Bay 2013

The second northernmost community in Canada, Resolute Bay is located in the High Arctic on the south coast of Cornwallis Island. The gateway to the High Arctic, Resolute Bay is the major stopover for expeditions to the North Pole and to Quttinirpaaq (Ellesmere Island) National Park, and a base for scientific research.

There is a weather station as well as the Polar Continental Shelf Project research camp located within the community.

Resolute’s history has the most European influence of all the Nunavut communities. The site was a critical junction along the Northwest Passage, the famed route to Asia sought by European explorers in the 18th and 19th centuries. The community is named after the HMS Resolute, a British ship that was in search of the lost Franklin expedition.

Getting There: First Air operates flights from Iqaluit to Resolute Bay on Wednesday and Saturday and from Edmonton via Yellowknife on Saturday. During the busier summer months, a second flight from Edmonton via Yellowknife is available on Thursdays. Please check with the airline for schedule changes.

Community Services and Information

Population 243
Region Qikiqtani
Time Zone Central
Postal Code X0A 0V0

Population based on 2012 Nunavut Bureau of Statistics
(Area Code is 867 unless as indicated)

RCMP General Inquiries 252-0123
Emergency Only 252-1111
Health Centre 252-3844
Fire Emergency 252-3333
Post Office 252-3959

Schools/College
Qarmartalik School (K-12) 252-3888
Arctic College 252-3782

Early Childhood Services
Day Care 252-3600

Churches
St. Barnabas Anglican (no phone)

Community Wellness/Recreation
D N Salluviniq Gym 252-3746
Community Wellness 252-3401

Local Communications
Southcamp Inn 252-3737
Internet (Nunanet) 979-0772
Cable 252-3854
Community Radio 252-3683
Arctic Data (Polarland) 252-3854

Airport 252-3981
Hunters and Trappers Organization 252-3170

Banks
Interac banking machine available at the Co-op.

Hamlet Office 252-3616

For more information about regional Qikiqtani government departments, Inuit organizations and development corporations, see Qikiqtani Regional page.

www.gov.nu.ca
Resolute Bay Businesses
(Area code 867 unless as indicated)

Accommodation and Dining

Atco Frontec Structure and Logistic
Ph: 252-3968
Fx: 252-3960
www.atcosl.com
Hotel and restaurant

Qausittuq Inns North
Ph: 252-3900
Fx: 252-3766
coophotel@polarland.com
Hotel & restaurant, tour operators.

Atco Frontec Structure & Logistics
Ph: 252-3091
www.atcosl.com

Accommodation and Dining

Retail

Tudjaat Co-operative Limited
(Inuit)
Matthew Tweed
Box 270
Ph: 252-3854
Fx: 252-3618
Retail, groceries, hardware/tools, gift shop

The Polar Bear Hunt Craft Shop
Doreen McDonald
Ph: 252-3055

Transportation and Shipping

First Air
Ph: 1-800-267-1247 or 867-252-3981
www.firstair.ca
Scheduled & carter flights

Kenn Borek Air Ltd.
Box 210
Ph: 252-3845
Fx: 252-3777
Aircraft charter, freight & cargo

Expediting, Contracting and Equipment Supply

953731 NWT Limited
(Inuit)
Aziz Kheraj
Box 300
Ph: 252-3701
Fx: 252-3663
General contracting, aircraft loading/unloading, sea-lift, heavy equipment/vehicle renting, construction material.

Atirktaq Ltd.
(Inuit)
Martha Kalluk
Box 13
Ph: 252-3028
Fx: 252-3119
nkalluk@aol.com
General contracting

Atco Frontec Structure & Logistics
Ph: 252-3091 or 3925
Fx: 252-3649
www.atcosl.com
Logistical support, vehicle/equipment rental, general contracting

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Tourism and Culture

Nanuk Outfitting Ltd. (Inuit)
Nathaniel Kalluk
Box 98
Ph: 252-3694
Fx: 252-3119
nanuk@polarland.com
Big game sport hunting, outfitting

Ootoq's & Metiq's Outfitting
Zipporah Aronsen
Box 177
Ph: 252-3630
Fx: 252-3039
zkaronsen@polarland.com
Wildlife viewing, sightseeing, camping, snowmobile trips, dog sledding

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Box 177
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zkaronsen@polarland.com
Wildlife viewing, sightseeing, camping, snowmobile trips, dog sledding

Resolute Bay Hunters & Trappers Organization (Inuit)
Aziz Kheraj
Box 300
Ph: 252-3737
Fx: 252-3838
Eco-tourism, dog team, boat, ski-doo

Local information about the land, country foods, outfitting

Technical and Communications

Nunavut Power Corporation
Ph: 252-1201
Fx: 252-1202
Electricity

Radio Station (FM 105.1)
Ph: 252-3664
Fx: 252-3683
Broadcasting

Salluviniq Tusajuvinga
Ph / Fx: 252-3997
Office supply & service

Other Services

Polar Continental Shelf Project
Ph: 252-3872
Fx: 252-3605
Support for scientific projects and traditional knowledge studies

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