

PRACTICING LOCAL GOVERNANCE: NORTHERN PERSPECTIVES

NILS AARSÆTHER, ASBJORN RØISELAND AND SYNNOVE JENSSEN EDITORS

Nova Science Publishers, Inc.

New York

CONTENTS

Preface		vii
Chapter 1	Local Governance and the Challenges of Global Change Asbjørn Røiseland, Synnøve Jenssen and Nils Aarsæther	1
Part 1:	Local Governance by Multilevel Governance	11
Chapter 2	From Local Autonomy to Power Vertical in Russia Vladimir Gel'man	13
Chapter 3	Local Government in Rural Nova Scotia Richard Apostle	27
Chapter 4	Regional-Municipal Relationship: The Case of Kirovsk Municipality Vladimir Didyk, Larissa Riabova and Lyudmila Ivanova	45
Part 2:	Local Governance by Local Government	61
Chapter 5	New Software – Old Hardware? The Municipality of Hadsel Asbjørn Røiseland	63
Chapter 6	The Rationality of Local Politics: Budgetary Decision-making in the Municipality of Sortland Synnøve Jenssen	75
Chapter 7	Powerful Leaders – Reluctant Followers. Budgets and Elections in the Rural North Nils Aarsæther and Hilde Bjørnå	93
Part 3:	Local Governance by Networks	109
Chapter 8	Network Governance: Interactive Restructuring and Opportunities and Challenges for Local Development in Rural Newfoundland Peter Sinclair and Barbara Neis	111

	•	
v	1	

Contents

Chapter 9	Urban and Business Development in Narvik – Governance Arrangements, Strategies and Practice Ronny Kristiansen	127
Chapter 10	Turning the Tide? The Outport Municipality of Berlevåg in the Global Age Nils Aarsæther	143
Part 4:	Local Governance without Government	159
Chapter 11	The Role of Civil Society in Promoting Nature-based Tourism in Newfoundland and Labrador, Canada John S. Hull and Kathleen A. Blanchard	161
Chapter 12	Local Development Policy in Flux in the Russian North Markku Tykkyläinen	177
Chapter 13	The Future of Northern Local Governance Nils Aarsæther, Synnøve Jenssen and Asbjørn Røiseland	191
References		199
Index		215