

### Mohawk Council Communiqué

## Monday, 30 Seskehkó:wa/September 2013

<u>In</u>: Chiefs Mike Delisle, Lloyd Phillips, Rhonda Kirby, Martin Leborgne, Kenneth McComber, Carl Horn, Clinton Phillips, Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer, Gina Deer, Bob Patton, Christine Zachary-Deom

Out: Billy Diabo (vacation)

**Also Present:** Dwaine White (Director of Operations, Office of the Council of Chiefs), Melissa Curotte (recorder)

#### **House Keeping**

- Acceptance of Minutes for September 9, 2013 Council Meeting
- Mike Delisle will attend Quebec/Kahnawà:ke Relations meeting on Tuesday regarding Highway 30 lands. Out of office on Friday
- Gina Deer to attend Emergency Preparedness training on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday
- Clinton Phillips to attend three-day lands meetings from Tuesday through Thursday
- Martin Leborgne will be on vacation on Friday (and possibly on Thursday, depending on meeting schedule)
- Christine Zachary-Deom to meet on Tuesday regarding upcoming War of 1812 'Battle of Chateauguay' commemorative event. Taking vacation day on Friday
- Rhonda Kirby attending Sports and Recreation Unit staff meeting on Tuesday. Quebec/ Kahnawà:ke relations meeting on Thursday. Reported that the Kahnawà:ke Sports Complex snack bar made a profit of \$21,000 during the recent Presidents Cup lacrosse tournament
- Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer to attend presentation at Kateri School regarding language proposal
- Carl Horn has agreed to record a public apology/retraction in regard to statements made in an episode of 'Our Town' on Mohawk Television. To be broadcast on KTV and MCK website.

#### Agenda Items

## Request for Decision, Mohawk Council Executive Directive – Appointment of Investigator for complaint against Chief Rhonda Kirby

Attending: Marylee Armstrong (MCK Legal Services) Unanimous support for the appointment of Rish Handa, Attorney at Law, in accordance with the Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke Disciplinary Measures Regulations. He will be responsible to investigate the complaint, and to submit a final report and recommendations within thirty (30) days of this appointment.

# Request for decision, Mohawk Council Executive Directive – Aboriginal Initiatives Fund (AIF) II funding agreement

Attending: Amy Rice (o/b/o Tewatohnhi'saktha), David Lahache. Chief & Council unanimously supported motion to enter into a special agreement with the Quebec Government with respect to terms of the upcoming AIF II. This is being done in order to transfer/apply the residual amounts from the (current) AIF to AIF II for the economic development and community infrastructure components. The AIF is managed by Tewatohnhi'saktha on behalf of the community.