

## Mohawk Council Communiqué

### Tuesday, 29 Seskehkó:wa/September, 2009

The following is a synopsis of the latest Council Meeting

#### Chief Attendance

**In** – Chiefs Mike Delisle Jr., John Dee Delormier, Mike Bush, Martin Leborgne, Peggy Mayo-Standup, Rhonda Kirby, Johnny Montour, Kenneth McComber, Carl Horn, Clinton Phillips, Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer.

Absent - Chief Lloyd Phillips (meeting).

**Also Present** - Alana Goodleaf-Rice (Executive Director), Mike O'Brien (Director, OCC), Dwaine White (Operations, OCC).

#### Housekeeping

#### Portfolios

Chief Kirby has relinquished Health portfolio, Chief Sky-Deer has relinquished Seigneury portfolio and Chief Leborgne has relinquished Environment portfolio. All have been assumed by Chief Clinton Phillips.

#### Letters of Complaint

Letters have been received from community members regarding people living here who are in contravention to the *Kahnawá:ke Membership Law*. MCK Legal Services and Membership to be invited to a meeting in the near future.

#### Letter of Support

Letter of support will be sent to Mohawk Council of Akwesasne in regard to Chief Cheryl Jacobs. Letter to be signed by MCK chiefs who attend the Iroquois Caucus (Bush, Leborgne and Montour).

#### **Upcoming Meetings**

Grand Chief Delisle to meet with president of Kruger, Inc. today (Monday) re: proposed windmill project within the Seigneury lands.

#### Minutes of September 15, 2009

Minutes accepted

#### Land Allotment

#### The following agenda items were discussed:

# MCED: Persons authorized to Negotiate, Deposit and Transfer funds on behalf of MCK; MCK Cheque Signing Authority

The following have been designated to negotiate, deposit and transfer funds on behalf of MCK: Alana Goodleaf-Rice, Ryan Rice, Erica Delisle and Carol Two-Axe. The following



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are designated as official signers on behalf of the MCK: Chiefs Johnny Montour, Mike Bush, Peggy Mayo-Standup, Michael Delisle and Rhonda Kirby, along with Tom Morris and Alana Goodleaf-Rice.

**RFD: Project Charter (for the development of the comprehensive manual governing the administrative and financial accountability for MCK elected chiefs)** Adopted unanimously. Work will begin on the consultation and research phase of the project on October 1, with progress reports to be presented periodically to Chief & Council. The project is expected to be complete and ready for implementation April 1, 2010.