

Mohawk Council Communiqué

Monday, 3 Kentenhkó:wa/November, 2008

The following is a synopsis of the latest Council Meeting

Chief Attendance

In – Chiefs Mike Delisle Jr., Mike Bush, Martin Leborgne, Marvin Zacharie, Peter Paul, Peggy Mayo-Standup, Warren Lahache, Rhonda Kirby, Johnny Montour, Kenneth McComber.

Absent - Chief John Dee Delormier (Personal Day).

Also present - Melanie Gilbert (Interim OCC Coordinator), Alana Goodleaf-Rice (Executive Director).

<u>Housekeeping</u>

- Chief Rhonda Kirby will be out next Monday and Tuesday, November 10-11 to attend the new Peacekeepers Graduation Ceremony in Regina, Sask.
- The next Iroquois Caucus will take place on November 26-27 in Ottawa.
- Chief Kenneth McComber will be out of the office all next week (Nov. 10-14), including two days to attend an AFNQL Strategic Committee Meeting on November 13-14.
- Dreams Take Flight takes place on Wednesday, Nov. 5.
- Grand Chief Mike Delisle will be out all next week (November 10-14) to attend a Governance Conference in Banff, Alberta.
- Chief Martin Leborgne informed the table that a private company wishes to pay to remove the clay from the Clay Mountains.
- Peter Paul gave an update on various Gaming issues.

The following agenda items were discussed:

Tobacco Regulations

The MCK agreed to send an official response to the Kahnawake Tobacco Association, who had asked the MCK to address three (3) main points.

Marina Lease

Chief Marvin Zacharie was designated to sign an extension to the Marina Lease and Maintenance contribution agreement.

OCC Structure

Sam Montour was in to present the new OCC Structure, which was accepted.