Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke **Schedule of Remuneration and Expenses** Chief and Councillors

March 31, 2017

(Unaudited)

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**Management's Responsibility** 

To the Members of Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke:

Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of the accompanying schedule of remuneration and expenses, including responsibility for significant accounting judgments and estimates in accordance with the First Nations Financial Transparency Act. This responsibility includes selecting appropriate accounting principles and methods, and making decisions affecting the

measurement of transactions in which objective judgment is required.

In discharging its responsibilities for the integrity and fairness of the schedule of remuneration and expenses, management designs and maintains the necessary accounting systems and related internal controls to provide reasonable assurance that transactions are authorized, assets are safeguarded and financial records are properly maintained to provide reliable information for the preparation of

financial information.

Chief and Council is composed entirely of individuals who are neither management nor employees of the First Nation. Council is responsible for overseeing management in the performance of its financial reporting responsibilities, and for approving the financial information included in the annual report. Council fulfils these responsibilities by reviewing the financial information prepared by management and discussing relevant matters with management and external accountants. Council is also responsible for

recommending the appointment of the First Nation's external accountants.

MNP SENCRL, srl is appointed by Council on behalf of the members to review the schedule of remuneration and expenses and report directly to them; their report follows. The external accountants have full and free access to, and meet periodically and separately with,

both Council and management to discuss their review engagement results.

July 10, 2017

"original signed by Paul Rice"
Executive Financial Officer

"original signed by Alana Goodleaf Rice"

**Senior Management Official** 



### **Review Engagement Report**

To the Members of Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke:

We have reviewed the schedule of remuneration and expenses of Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke for the year ended March 31, 2017. Our review was made in accordance with Canadian generally accepted standards for review engagements and, accordingly, consisted primarily of inquiry, analytical procedures and discussion related to information supplied to us by the First Nation.

A review does not constitute an audit and consequently we do not express an audit opinion on the schedule.

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that this schedule is not, in all material respects, in accordance with the First Nations Financial Transparency Act described in Note 1.

Montréal, Québec

July 10, 2017

MNP SENCEL, STI

<sup>1</sup> CPA Auditor, CA, public accountancy permit No A103961





### Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke Schedule of Remuneration and Expenses Chief and Councillors

Chief and Councillors For the year ended March 31, 2017 (Unaudited)

	Title	# of months	Remuneration	Expenses
Norton, Joseph P.	Grand Chief	12	107,686	23,631
Deer, Gina	Chief in Council	12	82,288	14,110
Deom-Zachary, Christine	Chief in Council	12	82,288	5,798
Diabo, Billy	Chief in Council	12	81,582	746
Horn, Carl	Chief in Council	12	82,288	1,090
Jacobs, Arlene	Chief in Council	12	81,651	1,317
Kirby, Rhonda	Chief in Council	12	82,288	1,639
Leborgne, Martin	Chief in Council	12	82,288	3,663
McComber, Kenneth	Chief in Council	12	82,288	557
Patton, Robert	Chief in Council	12	82,288	7,178
Phillips, Clinton	Chief in Council	12	82,272	9,338
Sky-Deer, Kahsennenhawe	Chief in Council	12	82,288	7,169
			1,011,495	76,236

# Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke Note to the Schedule of Remuneration and Expenses

For the year ended March 31, 2017 (Unaudited)

#### 1. Basis of Accounting

The schedule of remuneration and expenses of chief and councillors has been prepared using the required presentation and financial reporting provisions of the Contribution Agreement created by Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada, which does not require all of the same disclosure and presentation that would be required under Canadian public sector accounting standards. The remuneration reflects only salaries, wages, commissions, bonuses, fees, honoraria and any other monetary and non-monetary benefits paid to the elected members of Chief and Council. The expenses reflect costs of transportation, accommodation, meals, hospitality and incidental expenses. The amounts presented in the schedule are based on the March 31, 2017 Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke financial statements which have been prepared in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards and reference should be made to those audited financial statements for complete information.