



Mohawk Council Communiqué

Tuesday, 3 Ohiarihkó:wa/July 2018

In: Ratitsénhaienhs Joe Norton, Martin Leborgne, Gina Deer, Kenneth McComber, Rhonda Kirby, Clinton Phillips, Bobby Patton, Arlene Jacobs, Billy Diabo, and Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer

Out: Nitsénhaiehns Carl Horn (Vacation), Christine Zachary-Deom (Wellness Day)

Also Present: Trina Diabo-Jacobs (Council Meeting Administrator), Alana Goodleaf-Rice (Executive Director), Winona Polson-Lahache (Chief Political Advisor), Dwaine White (General Manager, Office of the Council of Chiefs), and Joe Delaronde (Public Relations)

House Keeping

- **Carl Horn:** Tuesday to Thursday: Vacation
- **Christine Zachary-Deom:** Vacation from July 3rd to 10th
- **Gina Deer:** Thursday: Vacation Day
- **Kenneth McComber:** Friday: Vacation Day
- **Arlene Jacobs:** Thursday & Friday: Wellness Days
- **Joe Norton:** Thursday: Wellness Day

Formal Agenda Items

Request for Decision: Social Sciences Human Research Council Project Application

Presence of Paul Nicholas. Request that a mandate be given for Christine Zachary-Deom to develop a formal relationship with the Université de Montreal, represented by Christian Gates St. Pierre, to conduct further research on the 'theory of the St. Lawrence Iroquois.' This archaeology project submission would be for November 2018. Approved unanimously

Mohawk Council Resolution: Formal Passage of Amended *Kanien'kehá:ka* of *Kahnawà:ke* Law

Presence of Jean Pommerville (MCK Legal Services), Leslie Skye, Alexis Shackleton, Alan John Rice, and Joe Delaronde. Chief & Council signed the Confirmation of the Will of the People via Mohawk Council Resolution 1/2018-2019. With signing, the Law is hereby enacted. Passed unanimously (for details, see press release dated 3, Ohiarihkó:wa/July)

Discussion: Proposed *Kahnawà:ke* Cannabis Control Law

Presence of Eric Doucet (MCK Legal Services). Discussion on the proposed law, which will be entering the Community Decision Making Process shortly. Chief & Council are awaiting a Report from the Community Feedback phase that occurred over the past few weeks.

Update on Legal Matters

Presence of Marylee Armstrong and Stacey Douglas (MCK Legal Services). Client/Attorney privileged

Notes

- Martin Leborgne left to attend a Medical appointment at 10am
- Nitsénhaiehns Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer and Billy Diabo left at 11am to attend the funeral for former KSS Wrestling Coach David Canadian
- Meeting adjourned at 12:20pm