



Mohawk Council Communiqué

Tuesday, 27 Onerahtohkó:wa/May, 2008

The following is a synopsis of the latest Council Meeting

Chief Attendance

In - Chiefs Mike Delisle, Kenneth McComber, Rhonda Kirby, Warren Lahache, Peggy Mayo, Marvin Zacharie, John Dee Delormier.

Absent - Mike Bush (sick leave), Johnny Montour (Iroquois Caucus meetings), Martin Leborgne (Iroquois Caucus meetings), Peter Paul (personal day).

Also present: OCC Interim Coordinator Melanie Gilbert.

Housekeeping

Chiefs Out of Office

Chiefs Montour and Leborgne are in the Oneida of the Thames (Ontario) to participate in the Iroquois Caucus. Chief McComber is in Montreal on Wednesday, May 28 for meeting on proposed training center in Kahnawà:ke.

Chief and Council have declined, at this time, to sign a letter of support for the Kahnawà:ke Mohawks Senior "B" lacrosse club in their bid to host the 2009 President's Cup.

The following agenda items were discussed:

Zero Tolerance Law ("Banishment Law")

Due to the fact that the issue was to be discussed at the Spring Community Meeting, a general discussion took place regarding the draft of a possible Zero Tolerance Law (in regard to those convicted of drug offences) - no decision, just discussion.

First Nations & Inuit Child Care Initiative Contribution Agreement

Chief & Council agreed to sign off on the Agreement. Step By Step to administer the amount of \$23,979.

2008-2009 Funding Agreement with Quebec re: Policing

Chief & Council agreed to sign off on the Agreement, which sees an increase of \$236,908 over last year. This is in relation to the Quebec-Kahnawake agreement signed in 1999.

The meeting adjourned at 11:50am.