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Grand Chief calls for action on serious social issues

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(Kahnawá:ke – 12, Onerahtókha/April 2006) Grand Chief Michael Ahríhron Delisle, Jr. has sent letters to representatives of several organizations, inviting them to meet concerning serious drug, alcohol and sexual abuse that has become commonplace within the community.

"I am requesting you and any of your front line workers who can share real life experience, and are interested, to join me in a serious matter-of-fact discussion in helping to determine a plan for some affirmative action," Chief Delisle writes in his letter. "Once we can collectively see the problem we face and formally acknowledge it, I believe only then can we develop a plan. The need to meet as soon as possible is urgent."

A tentative date has been set: 9am Friday, 21 Onerahtókha/April at the MCK offices.

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