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MCK Consultation Committee seeks participants for Ecological Knowledge Advisory Circle

(Kahnawake – 19, Onerahtohkó:wa/May 2023) The Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke (MCK) Consultation Committee wishes to invite interested community members to participate in the creation of an Ecological Knowledge Advisory Circle (EKAC).

The EKAC will be made up of community members to provide traditional, historical, and current knowledge and guidance to the MCK Consultation Committee, related to land use and occupancy within the Traditional Territory of the Kahnawà:ke. The establishment of the Circle is in response to an increased demand for consultations on projects located within the Traditional Territory, impacts to rights studies, and local environmental issues required to be addressed by the MCK.

Meeting schedule and frequency will be determined based on need and availability, and members will be compensated for their time.

To receive a copy of the Terms of Reference, express your interest, or get more information, please contact:

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The Consultation Committee can be reached at (450) 632-7500 ex. 50294 or email ekac@mck.ca Please respond by **4pm on Friday June 2, 2023**.