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## PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

### Essential Snow Removal Program for Elderly and Disabled returns for 2014-2015

**(Kahnawake – 1, Kenténha/October 2014)** The Special Projects Division of the Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke (MCK) is pleased to announce that the Essential Snow Removal service for low income elderly and disabled community members will be in operation from December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2014 to March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2015.

The snow removal is intended for low-income community members without any able-bodied relatives to assist them. The service will provide access to residences for emergency services and includes clearing of the driveway and/or walkway and steps. The program is accepting a maximum of 65 clients; previous clientele will need to re-apply for this service.

Applications forms can be picked up at the MCK main reception beginning today, Wednesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>, and submitted no later than Friday, October 31<sup>st</sup> at 4pm. No applications will be accepted after this date.

All Kahnawa'kehró:non who are on the Kahnawà:ke Kanien'kehá:ka Registry and who meet the following criteria are eligible to apply for the service:

- A person 65 years of age or older or a person who is physically disabled.
  - The person/couple is someone who lives alone with limited income and has little or no extended family.
  - The person/couple is someone who has a medical problem (either short term or long term).
  - The person/couple is someone who has no family to look out for their well-being.

All applications will be reviewed by a selection committee. Applications may be submitted by mail to the Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke, PO Box 720 Kahnawà:ke Mohawk Territory, by fax 450-638-5958 or delivered to MCK Reception, c/o Sandra Schurman.

#### **SUGGESTED INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEDIA**

Please mention at your discretion up to Friday, October 31<sup>st</sup> at 4pm.

For further information on this release contact Justus Polson-Lahache at 450-632-7500, ext. 2267