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## KERM Fund mandate extended due to State of Emergency

For immediate release

**(Kahnawake – 22, Tsothórrha/December 2021)** The Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke wishes to advise the community that a Mohawk Council Executive Directive was approved at this morning's duly-convened emergency Council meeting to modify the mandate of the Kahnawà:ke Economic Relief Measures (KERM) Board, reflecting a change from the Recovery period to the State of Emergency period in the community.

The KERM Fund has also been increased by \$2.5M to a total of \$17.5 million. This increase is in the event COVID-19 Directives affect a larger amount of the community workforce.

Those businesses who are currently impacted by the Directives have been contacted by KERM administration and in the case a business was not contacted, we ask them to reach out by email to [relief@mck.ca](mailto:relief@mck.ca)

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