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Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte

Kenhteke nene kanyen'kehá:ka kanakerahserà:kon, nène rontathà:wi ne kanekarahsera. Tsi niyonkwarihò:tens tahnon niyakwawennò:ten nahò:ten yonkwateryèn:tare ne tsi nitsyonkwè:non. Yakwatstha nahò:ten ne yonkwateryèn:tare tahnon nahò:ten yonkwaterihwayèn:ni ne ayakwaten'nikòn:raren tahnon ayakhikwennyenste ne onkyonkwè:ta, onkyonhwentsya nahoténhshon yonkwà:yen tahnon ne sa'oyè:ra.

Tyendinaga, as part of the Mohawk Nation, is a healthy, sustainable Kanyen'kehá:ka community, built on and united by our language, culture, traditions, knowledge, and history. We exercise our rights and responsibilities for the protection of and respect for our people, our land, our resources, and the environment.

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NOTICES:

ATTENTION MORTGAGE HOLDERS: It has come to our attention that many insurance companies will ONLY notify the MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE if your existing house insurance policy has been cancelled however will NOT when the policy has been renewed. This creates a problem when incentives, rewrites and renovations are requested. You will not qualify if your house insurance policy on file is not up to date. In order to ensure your policy is current, we ask that you mail, fax or deliver renewal form when received.

COVID-19 & VACCINE INFO: Rapid tests are available for pickup from the Community Wellbeing Centre Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.. To inquire about PCR testing, please call 613-967-3603. For most up to date information on COVID-19, please visit our Facebook page or website at mbq-tmt.org/health/covid-19-updates

The Mohawk Firefighters responded to **11** calls from August 24 to September 18, 2023:



Alarm: Residential

Fire/Smoke: Non-Structural: Vehicle

Medical: Assistance Medical: Emergency Rescue: Ice/Water

Vehicle Accident: ExtricationVehicle Accident: Fuel Leak

This brings the total calls to 94 for 2023.



community messages and announcements

NOTICE: OFFICE CLOSURE

All MBQ offices will be closed Monday, October 9 for Thanksgiving!

Happy Bisthday!

Happy Birthday Tara - October 1st Love Aunt Marilyn & Uncle Rick

Happy Birthday Jess - October 4th Love Aunt Marilyn & Uncle Rick

Happy Birthday Jolie - October 5th Love Aunt Marilyn & Uncle Rick

Happy 65th Birthday Rick - October 8th Love Marilyn

Happy 65th Birthday Dad (Papa) - October 8th

Lots of Love, Sam, Phill, Emmett & Hayden

Happy Birthday Brad - October 8th Love Mom & Dad

Happy Birthday Bro (Uncle) - October 8th Love Sam, Phill, Emmett & Hayden

Happy Birthday Cooper - October 13th Love Aunt Marilyn & Uncle Rick

Happy Birthday Skyler - October 21st Love Marilyn & Rick

Happy Birthday Kayla - October 24th Love Aunt Marilyn & Uncle Rick Happy 6th Birthday to our beautiful, caring granddaughter Blakely - October 25th Lots of Love, Grandma & Papa

Happy 10th Birthday Piper - October 25th Lots of Love, Aunt Marilyn & Uncle Rick

Happy Birthday Cheyenne - October 28th Love Aunt Marilyn & Uncle Rick

Happy Birthday Adam - October 31st Love Aunt Marilyn & Uncle Rick

Happy 8th Birthday Kota Rayner-Billone. -October 16th Love Grandma & Papa

Happy Anniversary!

Happy Anniversary Bill & Nancy - October 7th Love Marilyn & Rick Happy Anniversary Jeff & Ashley - October 30th Love Aunt Marilyn & Uncle Rick

Happy 80th Birthday Sammy

OPEN HOUSE BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR SAMMY, AKA JANACE REID. STOP BY SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21 BETWEEN 1 AND 4 P.M. AT 24 YOUNG STREET IN SHANNONVILLE. 613-919-2984

Owenna'shòn:'a tewateweyénstha ón:wa tsi niwenhnì:tes

(the words we are learning this month)

Tsi Yontkonwaró:roks atahkwénnya Halloween Costume





Kenténha Owenna'shón:'a 2023

Kannena'kè:ne Nikawá:wi - Fall Teyotenerahtasohkwá:tenye's - the leaves are changing colours Oh niwahsohkó:ten satkáthos? - What colours do you see?

Kanerahtathen's - the leaves are falling Kenerahtatstohkótha - I make a pile of leaves

Tsi Niyontkonwaró:roks - Halloween Onon'onsera'kó:wa - pumpkin Tsi Niyontkonwaró:roks onon'onsera'kó:wa -Jack o' Lantern Otsikhé:ta - candy Tsi Yontkonwaró:roks atahkwénnya -Halloween costume

TYENDINAGA MOHAWK COUNCIL MINUTES JULY 5, 2023

A meeting of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council was held on Wednesday, July 5, 2023, at 9:30 a.m. in the Council Chambers.

Present: Chief R. Donald Maracle

Councillors: Josh Hill (teams), Stacia L. Loft (teams), Carl E. (Ted) Maracle and Chris Maracle

Staff: David Souliere (teams); Angela Maracle, Senior Director of Operations; Amsey Maracle, Executive Assistant to

the Chief

Regrets: Shelley Bowden, Executive Administrative Assistant and Recording Secretary to Council (vacation)

Chief Maracle opened the meeting with the Ohenton Karihwatehkwen and a Christian prayer in Kanyen'keha and in English.

MOTION #1: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to adopt the agenda as presented with add-ons.

Carried.

MOTION #2: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to accept the June 16, 2023, minutes as corrected.

Carried.

MOTION #3: Moved by Stacia L. Loft, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to accept the June 22, 2023, minutes as corrected.

Carried.

It was noted that Chief Maracle will attend the Iroquois Caucus meeting in Kahnawake, QC on August 9-10, 2023. Councilors Josh Hill and Stacia Loft have tentatively confirmed their attendance.

MOTION #4: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to approve Chief Maracle's travel to Halifax, NS for the Assembly of First Nations Chief's Committee on Housing & Infrastructure meeting on July 10, 2023, and Annual General Assembly taking place July 10-13, 2023.

Carried.

MOTION #5: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to approve the business registration for Suzie Lynn's Boutique.

Carried.

A request was made to delegate authorization of business registration renewals to MBQ staff. MBQ will develop a delegated authority document and revise policies to authorize MBQ staff to renew business registrations as recommended by the Business Development Worker.

MOTION #6: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle to approve the business registration renewal for Nation to Nation.

Carried.

MOTION #7: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to approve the business registration renewal for the Gas Depot.

MOTION #8: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle to defer the Ferry Lane Boat Launch Committee Update to the next TMC Regular meeting.

Carried.

MOTION #9: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Josh Hill to accept the TMC Report.

Carried.

It was noted that a digital copy will be available on the MBQ website and hard copies will be prepared for community members upon request.

MOTION #10:Moved by Josh Hill, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to mandate the production of an annual report for community members to receive regular updates.

Carried.

MOTION #11: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to hold a community meeting on Monday, July 31, 2023, at 7:00pm.

Carried.

MOTION #12:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Josh Hill to re-schedule the Surrender 41 meeting to July 19, 2023 TMC Regular Meeting.

Carried.

It was noted that TMC Regular will begin at 9:00am on July 19, 2023.

MOTION #13: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to approve a one-time donation of \$5,000 to the Pow Wow Committee.

Carried.

MOTION #14:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to approve Invoice #39900 from Olthius Kleer Townshend, LLP in the amount of \$1,320.00.

Carried.

MOTION #15: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to approve and sign the Indigenous Services Canada Amendment #41.

Carried.

MOTION #16:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to meet on August 2nd, 2023, at 9:00am to adjust for visit from Minister Calandra.

Carried.

It was noted that the August 16, 2023, meeting start time should be corrected to 9:30am.

MOTION #17: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to have revisions to MBQ Mortgage approval letter prepared for the next TMC Regular meeting.

Carried.

MOTION #18: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to go into private.(11:37 a.m.)

Carried.

Recorded by: Amsey Maracle, Executive Assistant to the Chief Original Signed by: Chief R. Donald Maracle

TYENDINAGA MOHAWK COUNCIL MINUTES JULY 19, 2023

A meeting of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council was held on Wednesday, July 19, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers.

Present: Chief R. Donald Maracle

Councillors: Josh Hill, Stacia L. Loft, Carl E. (Ted) Maracle and Chris Maracle

Staff: David Souliere, CAO, joined by Teams; Angela Maracle, Senior Director of Operations; Shelley Bowden, Executive Administrative Assistant and Recording Secretary to Council; Amsey Maracle, Executive Assistant to the Chief;

Chief Maracle opened the meeting with the Ohenton Karihwatehkwen and also provided a Christian prayer in Kanyen'keha.

MOTION #1: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to adopt the agenda with additions.

Carried.

MOTION #2: Moved by Carl E.(Ted) Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Local Business Minutes of June 28, 2023 be approved.

Carried.

MOTION #3: Moved by Stacia L. Loft, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Minutes of July 5, 2023 be approved as Corrected.

Carried.

MOTION #4: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to approve travel outside the Territory: Josh attending the Iroquois Caucus on August 9-10, 2023 in Kahnewake.

Carried.

MOTION #5: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Josh Hill to defer Ferry Lane Boat Launch Committee update until August 2, 2023 due to the unavailability of the Committee members.

Carried.

MOTION #6: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle to defer the increase in the number of MBQ Councillors for the 2023-2025 term until August 2, 2023 to hear from the Community at the Community meeting on July 31, 2023.

Carried.

MOTION #7: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Josh Hill to approve the Association of Iroquois and Allied Indians (AIAI) letter of agreement for Mental Wellness Team Funding in the amount of \$56,250.00; Health Emergency Management Capacity in the amount of \$11,143.00;

Responsible Gambling in the amount of \$17,000.00; Decolonizing Gender Funding in the amount of \$28,111.00; Indigenous Victim Program (Red Cedars) in the amount of \$30,000.00; Anti-Human Trafficking Strategy in the amount of \$11,883.00; Indigenous Victim Services in the amount of \$45,000.00.

Carried.

MOTION #8: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Josh Hill to approve to pay the Alan Pratt invoice #6191 in the amount of \$5,337.00 for Culbertson Tract Land Claim Partial Settlement.

MOTION #9: Moved by Stacia L. Loft, seconded by Chris Maracle to approve to pay the JFK Law invoice #34066 in the amount of \$288.00 for Housing Issue.

Carried.

MOTION #10:Moved by Josh Hill, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to approve the contract with K.L. Martin & Associates for the feasibility and design development for a new recreation facility in the amount of \$75,000.00 and approve the project budget of \$115,750.00 that is cost shared with the Tyendinaga Community Development Fund and MBQ contribution will come from the COVID-19 funding.

Carried.

Councillor Chris Maracle – negative vote because of all the money that has been spent on consultants.

Tom Kring to provide Council with a report on how much money has been spent on consultants for the arena proposal.

MOTION #11:Moved by Stacia L. Loft, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to approve the construction budget for the North Street Housing Development in the amount of \$1,956,962.00. MBQ contribution is \$1,212,472.00 and to move to tender immediately.

Carried.

MOTION #12:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Josh Hill to conditionally approve awarding the contract to Niacon Ltd for the construction of the MBQ Elder Care Home in the amount of \$64,000,000.00 and approve the budget in the amount of \$75,947,107.00. MBQ's contribution is \$6,395,619.00.

Carried.

MOTION #13:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Josh Hill to approve the MBQ Election be held on December 2, 2023 and the nomination will be held on October 21, 2023.

Carried.

MOTION #14:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Josh Hill to approve that there will be two (2) all candidates nights.

Carried.

Council confirmed the following scheduled meetings:

- July 19, 2023 3:00 p.m. Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Local Business
- July 19, 2023 4:00 p.m. Yaote Board Meeting
- July 26, 2023 7:00 p.m. Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Local Business
- August 2, 2023 9:00 a.m. Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Regular
- August 9, 2023 7:00 p.m. Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Local Business
- August 16, 2023 9:30 a.m. Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Regular
- August 23, 2023 7:00 p.m. Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Local Business

MOTION #15: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft that this meeting go into private. (12:10 p.m.)

Carried.

Recorded by: Shelley Bowden, Executive Administrative Assistant and Recording Secretary to Council Original Signed By: Chief R. Donald Maracle

TYENDINAGA MOHAWK COUNCIL MINUTES AUGUST 2, 2023

A meeting of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council was held on Wednesday, August 2, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers.

Present: Chief R. Donald Maracle

Councillors: Stacia L. Loft, Carl E. (Ted) Maracle and Chris Maracle

Regrets: Josh Hill, David Souliere, CAO, Angela Maracle, Senior Director of Operations; on vacation;

Staff: Shelley Bowden, Executive Administrative Assistant and Recording Secretary to Council; Amsey Maracle, Executive Assistant to the Chief; Tom Kring, Director of Housing and BPM attended during the discussion with Kaleena Hanoski.

Chief Maracle opened the meeting with the Ohenton Karihwatehkwen and also provided a Christian prayer in Kanyen'keha and in English.

Kaleena Hanoski, President of the Mohawk Agriculture Society attended to discuss the property and maintenance issue at the fairgrounds.

MOTION #1: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to approve a maximum budget of \$10,000.00 to make essential repairs at the fairgrounds building and other structures funding from the COVID funding.

Carried.

MOTION #2: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to adopt the agenda with additions.

Carried.

MOTION #3: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Minutes of July 19, 2023 be approved with corrections.

Carried.

MOTION #4: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to approve travel outside the Territory: Chief: attending the Chiefs Council meeting on August 21-22, 2023 in Sault Ste Marie; attending the Chiefs Committee on Health meeting on August 29, 2024 in Toronto; attending the Chiefs Committee on Housing and Infrastructure date and location to be determined;

Carried.

Councillor Chris Maracle provided a verbal update on the Ferry Lane Boat Launch Committee. Chief Maracle suggested that the Committee work with Tom Kring, Director of Housing and BPM.

MOTION #5: Moved by Stacia L. Loft, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to acknowledge the verbal update from Councillor Chris Maracle on the Ferry Lane Boat Launch Committee.

Carried.

MOTION #6: Moved by Stacia L. Loft, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to defer the increase in the number of MBQ Elected Councillors until August 16, 2023 for full Council discussion.

Carried.

MOTION #7: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to request staff provide a briefing note on the change in Personnel policy regarding staff running for MBQ Council.

MOTION #8: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to approve the Business Registration for S. Claus Painting, owner Terry S. Claus.

Carried.

MOTION #9: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to approve the Business Registration Renewal for Cubby's Chip Truck, owner Jason Brant.

Carried.

MOTION #10:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to approve the Business Registration Renewal for Daniel J. Brant & Associates, owner Daniel J. Brant.

Carried.

MOTION #11: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to approve the Business Registration Renewal for Speedway Gas, owner Lisa Maracle-Sexsmith and Virginia Maracle.

Carried.

MOTION #12:Moved by Stacia L. Loft, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to defer the Iroquois Caucus annual donation until after the Iroquois Caucus General Assembly on August 9 & 10, 2023 for a full detailed budget.

Carried.

MOTION #13:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to acknowledge the Iroquois Caucus General Assembly agenda.

Carried.

MOTION #14: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to acknowledge the Bank of Montreal Mortgage Loan Report.

Carried.

MOTION #15:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to approve signing the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC) Operating Agreement and the project budget totaling \$831,600 with MBQ contributing \$207,600.00.

Carried.

Council had a meeting on Friday, July 28, 2023 to discuss the Long Term Care Facility project. Josh Hill was on this call and agrees with the below motion.

MOTION #16:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to approve to award the construction contract to Corebuild Construction Ltd. for the Long Term Care Facility for total amount of \$69,950,000 approve the overall update project budget totaling \$82,382,032 and approve to sign the Letter of Intent (LOI) for the CMHC funding totaling \$6,000,000 in contribution and \$18,790,000 in low interest lending through the National Co-Investment Fund.

Carried.

MOTION #17:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to Acknowledge the update for Beach Road, Sadie's Lane II and Huron Brant Phase III Development and approve the project to proceed to community engagement.

Carried.

MOTION #18:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to acknowledge the update and approve the new Shelter project and continue with the detailed design as presented.

MOTION #19:Moved by Stacia L. Loft, seconded by Chris Maracle to approve the Community Wellbeing Expansion project budget totaling \$11,996,185 and approve the project proceed to tender.

Carried.

MOTION #20:Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle to recess until 1:00 p.m. after the sod turning for the Long-Term Care Facility.

Carried.

MOTION #21:Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to approve to reschedule the TMC Local Business meeting on August 9, 2023 to August 14, 2023.

Carried.

Council recessed until 7:00 p.m. Stacia joined by Teams

MOTION #22:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to acknowledge the summary of expenses spent to date for the Multi-Sport Facility in the amount of \$44,282.06 as requested by Council.

Carried.

MOTION #23:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to support the National Police Officers Unity Run on September 21 – September 23, 2023.

Carried.

MOTION #24: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle that this meeting go into private. (7:19 p.m.)

Carried.

Council confirmed the following scheduled meetings:

- August 14, 2023 7:00 p.m. Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Local Business
- August 16, 2023 9:30 a.m. Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Regular
- August 23, 2023 7:00 p.m. Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Local Business

Recorded by: Shelley Bowden, Executive Administrative Assistant and Recording Secretary to Council Original Signed by: Chief R. Donald Maracle

TYENDINAGA MOHAWK COUNCIL MINUTES AUGUST 14, 2023

A meeting of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council was held on Monday, August 14, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers for Local Business.

Present: Chief R. Donald Maracle

Councillors: Carl E. (Ted) Maracle and Chris Maracle, Stacia L. Loft joined by Teams.

Absent: Josh Hill,

Staff: David Souliere, CAO, joined by Teams; Angela Maracle, Senior Director of Operations; Shelley Bowden, Executive Administrative Assistant and Recording Secretary to Council; Amsey Maracle, Executive Assistant to the Chief;

MOTION #1: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council authorizes Chief R. Donald Maracle to remove Queen Anne Silver, Queen Elizabeth 11 Chalice, King George V1 and King George V Book of Common Prayer from the Bank of Montreal vault for the TVO Crossroads documentary filming on August 15, 2023. M.C.R. #2023/24-016.

MOTION #2: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle that this meeting go into private. (7:05 p.m.)

Carried.

Recorded by: Shelley Bowden, Executive Administrative Assistant and Recording Secretary to Council Original Signed by: Chief R. Donald Maracle

TYENDINAGA MOHAWK COUNCIL MINUTES **AUGUST 16, 2023**

A meeting of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council was held on Wednesday, August 16, 2023 at 9:30 a.m. in the Council Chambers.

Chief R. Donald Maracle Present:

Councillors: Josh Hill, Stacia L. Loft, joined by Teams, Carl E. (Ted) Maracle and Chris Maracle Staff: David Souliere, CAO, joined by Teams; Angela Maracle, Senior Director of Operations, joined by Teams; Shelley Bowden, Executive Administrative Assistant and Recording Secretary to Council; Amsey Maracle, Executive Assistant to the Chief;

Chief Maracle opened the meeting with the Ohenton Karihwatehkwen and also provided a Lords prayer in Kanyen'keha and in English.

MOTION #1: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to adopt the agenda with additional items.

Carried.

MOTION #2: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Minutes of August 2, 2023 be approved as Corrected.

Carried.

MOTION #3: Moved by Josh Hill, seconded by Chris Maracle to approve travel outside the Territory; Chief: attending the Aboriginal Labour Force Development Circle (ALFDC) Annual General Meeting on September 7, 2023 in Orillia;

Carried.

MOTION #4: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Josh Hill to approve the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council meetings for September, October, November and December 2023 as follows:

Regular – September 13 & 27, 2023 at 9:30 a.m.

Local Business – September 13 & 20, 2023 at 7:00 p.m.

And

Regular – October 5 & 19, 2023 at 9:30 a.m.

Local Business – October 11 & 25, 2023 at 7:00 p.m.

And

Regular - November 1 & 15, 2023 at 9:30 a.m.

Local Business – November 8 & 22, 2023 at 7:00 p.m.

And

Regular – December 13, 2023 at 9:30 a.m.

Council returned to Regular at 3:00 p.m.

MOTION #5: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that WHEREAS, the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte currently holds their elections under the Indian Act and the Indian Band Election Regulations;

WHEREAS, the Indian Act S. 74 (2) states that "Unless otherwise ordered by the Minister, the council of a band in respect of which an order has been made under subsection (1) shall consist of one chief and one councillor for every one hundred members of the band, but the number of councillors shall not be less than two nor more than twelve and no band shall have more than one chief."

WHEREAS, there are currently 10,314 members of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte;

WHEREAS, a current Ministerial Order dated June 5, 1992 stating that the size of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council is made up of four (4) councillors and one (1) chief;

WHEREAS, Tyendinaga Mohawk Council has done several community engagement efforts to determine the size of the Council that the members would prefer;

WHEREAS, these efforts have consistently demonstrated that the members of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte who have chosen to participate in the engagement efforts have identified that they would prefer that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council consist of six councillors as opposed to the current complement of four;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council is requesting for a new Ministerial Order identifying that the size of the Council of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte (Reserve #38) is made up of six (6) councillors and one (1) Chief immediately, putting this new change into effect for the 2023 election of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte.M.C.R. #2023/24-017.

Carried.

Council discussed the policy relating to staff that would like to run for Council. The policy states that staff that are nominated, must take a leave of absence until the election concludes, and if elected, that the staff member must resign from MBQ.

Council would like staff to provide a briefing outlining the pro's and con's, and any other critical points regarding staff running for Council.

MOTION #6: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle acknowledged the request from Kari Nisbet, Acting Director, Indigenous Affairs, Controlled Substances and Cannabis Branch, Health Canada to participate in the Legislative Review of the federal Cannabis Act and have a meeting with Chief Maracle, David Souliere, Angela Maracle, Stacia L. Loft, Susan Barberstock, Jason Brant and Lisa Maracle to review before arranging a meeting with expert panel.

Carried.

Seizal Kapadia, Director of Finance attended to discuss the 2023-2024 budgets.

MOTION #7: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to approve the proposed consolidated budget for 2023-2024 as presented.

Carried.

MOTION #8: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to approve the proposed OFNLP (2008) budget for 2023-2024 as presented.

Carried.

MOTION #9: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Community Development component in the amount of \$114,184.00 for the lands Research Program for 2022-23 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-018.

Carried.

MOTION #10: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council

approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Community Development component in the amount of \$173,257.00 for the New Administration Building Operation & Maintenance for 2022/23 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-019.

Carried.

MOTION #11: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Health component in the amount of \$3,052.00 for the Recreation Carried.

MOTION #12:Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Health component in the amount of \$86,875.00 for the Fitness Centre for 2022/23 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-021.

Carried.

MOTION #13:Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Community Development component in the amount of \$293,401.00 for the Nation Building Program for 2022/23 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-022.

Carried.

MOTION #14: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Community Development component in the amount of \$156,475.00 for the Fire Program for 2022/23 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-023.

Carried.

MOTION #15:Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Community Development component in the amount of \$11,466.00 for the Culbertson Tract Land Claim for 2022-23 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-024.

Carried.

MOTION #16:Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Community Development component in the amount of \$14,081.00 for the Library Building Operation & Maintenance for 2022-23 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-025.

Carried.

MOTION #17: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Community Development component in the amount of \$27,104.00 for the Community Service Building for 2022/23 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-026.

Carried.

MOTION #18: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Community Development component in the amount of \$401,002.00 for the Bayshore Sewage Upgrades for 2022/23 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-027.

Carried.

MOTION #19:Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Community Development component in the amount of \$10,698.00 for the North Street Watermain Extension for 2022/23 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-028.

Carried.

MOTION #20: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Community Development component in the amount of \$102,034.00 for the Water & Sewer Operations and Maintenance for 2022/23 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-029.

MOTION #21:Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Community Development component in the amount of \$127,351.00 for the Tech Services Department for 2022/23 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-030.

Carried.

MOTION #22:Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Community component in the amount of \$517,643.40 for the Loan Payments New Admin Building Budget for 2022-23 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-031.

Carried.

MOTION #23: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Community Development component in the amount of \$167,883.00 for the Firehall Building for 2022-23 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-032.

Carried.

MOTION #24:Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approves to utilize the OFNLP2008 funds under the Health component in the amount of \$10,275.00 for the Other Health Related Budget for 2023/24 fiscal year. M.C.R. #2023/24-033.

Carried.

MOTION #25:Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council hereby approve to transfer \$2,591,781 from the Equity Portfolio (25%) and from the Fixed Income Portfolio (75%) of BMO Nesbitt Burns account to Casino Rama Bank Account for the period ending March 31, 2023. M.C.R. #2023/24-034.

Carried.

Council discussed the Active Transportation Fund and request staff provide a report on what programs and services can apply to the fund.

MOTION #26:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Josh Hill to acknowledge with appreciation the letter and financial statement from the Tyendinaga Food Resource Golf Tournament Committee in raising \$62,743.45 for the Tyendinaga Food Resource Centre.

Carried.

MOTION #27:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Josh Hill to acknowledge the Mohawk Firefighters Association hosting the beer tent at the Mohawk Fair on September 8 - 10, 2023.

Carried.

MOTION #28:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to approve the letter to the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry providing authorization for surveillance, control and communication to reduce the risk and impacts of further spread of Water Soldier an invasive plant in the Bay of Quinte.

Carried.

MOTION #29: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Josh Hill to defer the request from the Iroquois Caucus regarding an increase to the \$10,000.00 annual contribution until the budget and report of how the surplus funding is going to be used.

Carried.

MOTION #30:Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to approve the Business Registration for Big Chief Erectors, owner Tim Maracle.

MOTION #31: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to approve the Indigenous Services Canada (ISC) Comprehensive Funding Agreement #2122-ON-000027, Amendment #0042 in the amount of \$6,000.00 for room and board for a Community Member who was displaced from their home.

Carried.

MOTION #32: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to approve to pay the Alan Pratt invoice #6191 in the amount of \$5,337.00 and invoice #6203 in the amount of \$1,256.00 regarding the Culbertson Tract Land Claim Partial Settlement.

Carried.

MOTION #33: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Chris Maracle to approve to pay the Templeman invoice #16172 in the amount of \$165.00 regarding Potential Breach of Privacy.

Carried.

MOTION #34: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle to approve signing the Association of Iroquois and Allied Indians (AIAI) Funding Agreement in the amount of \$25,000.00 for Youth Cultural Camps 2023/2024.

Carried.

MOTION #35: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft that WHEREAS Public - Rail Safety Week is to be held across Canada from September 18 to 24, 2023;

WHEREAS it is in the public's interest to raise citizens' awareness on reducing avoidable accidents, injuries and damage caused by collisions at level crossings or incidents involving trains and members of the community; WHEREAS Operation Lifesaver is a public/private partnership whose aim is to work with the rail industry, governments, police services, the media and other agencies and the public to raise rail safety awareness; WHEREAS CN encourages the Chief and Council to adopt this resolution in support of its ongoing effort to save lives and prevent injuries in communities, including our community;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, to support national Public – Rail Safety Week, to be held from September 18 to 24, 2023.

M.C.R. #2023/24-035.

Carried.

MOTION #36: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to approve that Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory be a pick-up location for the demonstration in Ottawa opposing illegitimate Metis rights assertions and Bill C-53 on September 20, 2023.

Carried.

MOTION #37: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft to approve the Catchbasin Easement and Maintenance Agreement with Jason Doreen for access to Lot 68-3-1, Concession 1.

Carried.

Chief Maracle would like to commend Tom Kring, Director of Housing and BPM for all his hard work and dedication to getting things completed for the Long-Term Care Facility.

Council confirmed the following scheduled meetings:

August 23, 2023 – 7:00 p.m. Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Local Business

MOTION #38: Moved by Chris Maracle, seconded by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle that this meeting go into private. (5:25 p.m.)

Recorded by: Shelley Bowden, Executive Administrative Assistant and Recording Secretary to Council Original Signed by: Chief R. Donald Maracle

TYENDINAGA MOHAWK COUNCIL MINUTES **AUGUST 30, 2023**

A special meeting of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council was held on Wednesday, August 30, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

Present: Chief R. Donald Maracle

Councillors: Josh Hill, Stacia L. Loft, Carl E. (Ted) Maracle and Chris Maracle, joined by Teams Staff: Angela Maracle, Senior Director of Operations; Shelley Bowden, Executive Administrative Assistant and Recording Secretary to Council joined by Teams; Amsey Maracle, Executive Assistant to the Chief; Regrets: David Souliere, CAO, on vacation

Chief Maracle opened the meeting with the Ohenton Karihwatehkwen and also provided a Lords prayer in Kanyen'keha and in English.

MOTION #1: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Stacia L. Loft that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council hereby appoint Leah Brant Registry Number 1640654301, of M-Power Consulting as the Electoral Officer for the upcoming 2023 Elections for the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte.

AND that the Nominations will be held on October 21, 2023 for the upcoming Elections;

AND that the Election will be held on December 2, 2023 to elect a Chief and four Councillors. M.C.R. #2023/24-036.

Carried.

Councillor Chris Maracle - Abstained

MOTION #2: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Josh Hill that Whereas, MBQ Water Operators noticed during regular inspection the Aquarius pre-treatment tanks demonstrated obvious signs of rusting in localized areas and the partition wall in the tank demonstrated a deflection from the varying pressures of the water pushing against wall; and

WHEREAS, MBQ coordinated site inspection with WesTech and First Nations Engineering Services Ltd to assess the tanks and finalize a remedial workplan; and

WHEREAS, the proposed scope of work includes installation of stiffeners, coatings removal, and re-coating of two pretreatment tanks and one DAF tank;

THEREFORE be it Resolved, that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council hereby requests funding from Indigenous Services Canada to undertake the rehabilitation of two pre-treatment tanks and one DAF tank to ensure continued operations. M.C.R. #2023/24-037.

Carried.

MOTION #3: Moved by Carl E. (Ted) Maracle, seconded by Josh Hill that Whereas, the Quinte Mohawk School (QMS) on the Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory is a federally operated elementary school in Ontario Region; and WHEREAS, recent water quality sampling has indicated lead exceedances of the Canadian Drinking Water Quality Guidelines in various locations within the school; and

WHEREAS, the recent First Nations Engineering Services Assessment report dated of the system indicates the age of school with piping utilizing soldered joints pre-lead free solder are considered contributing factors;

THEREFORE be it Resolved, that Tyendinaga Mohawk Council hereby requests funding from Indigenous Services Canada to replace the QMS interior water supply system. M.C.R. #2023/24-038.

Carried.

This is the first time lead has been identified.

Recorded by: Shelley Bowden, Executive Administrative Assistant and Recording Secretary to Council Original Signed by: Chief R. Donald Maracle

Notice of Nomination Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the electors of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte will be held at Quinte Mohawk School (1624 York Road) on Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory the 21st day of October, 2023, beginning at 9:00 o'clock a.m and ending at noon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the positions of chief and councillors on the Band Council of the said Band, for the next ensuing term. There are six (6) councillor positions and one (1) position for chief available. The election will be held at Quinte Mohawk School on Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory, the 2nd day of December, 2023.

Please note that any voter may nominate candidates by using a mail-in nomination form. You can either deliver or mail-in a written nomination and a completed, signed and witnessed voter declaration form to the Electoral Officer before the time set for the nomination meeting OR you may nominate candidates orally at the nomination meeting. Mailed nominations not received by the Electoral Officer before the time set for nomination meeting are void. Also note that any voter may vote by mail-in ballot.

Given under my hand at Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory, this 15th day of September, 2023.

Leah Brant

PO Box 114

Shannonville, ON K0K 3A0

Signature of Electoral Officer

Phone No: (613) 848-4701 Email: leahb1982@hotmail.com

From the Research Department...

Continuing the "Family Name Series", let us introduce you to the Brant and Strong Brant Families

"Brant" as surname among MBQ

Testimony in the Draper Manuscripts state that there was a pair of brothers who were from the Delaware Nation. These brothers were Brant Brant and Peter Brant. They assisted the Fort Hunter Mohawks in 1777 in the move to Lachine. In 1784 a census was taken of the Fort Hunter community located near Lachine and there are Delawares there. They came with those who arrived at the Bay of Quinte in 1784.

Brant Brant died about 1804. He had no known family. Peter Brant aka Brant Koa was born about 1755 died about 1820. He was also a chief in the community. Peter Koa had 8 children. He had a son Chief Brant Brant and also a son Peter Brant. Both these men had sons that carried on the "Brant" surname among the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte.

It is true that a son of Joseph Brant (Thayendanegea), Joseph Brant Jr., married a woman from MBQ, Margaret John. They only had daughters.

"Strong alias Brant"

There is another line of Brants that documents indicate were not really Brants at all.

Early church records mention a John Strong "(alias Brant)", a Jacob & Rachel Brant "(alias Strong)", and an Abraham Brant "or Strong".

It seems that there was a couple, Jacob & Rachel Strong, who took the name Brant.

Their sons, John and Seth, eventually used a middle initial "S" which probably stands for Strong. John S. Brant is in church records known also as John Strong. Seth S. Brant is in church records known also as Seth Strong.

There was probably another son who was Abram S. Brant. He is also in church records also known as Abram Strong.

Abram S. Brant in particular claimed that he was a Brant and related to "Captain Brant".

John W. Hill, descendant of Captain Isaac Hill, in letters dated 1856 was adamant that Abram S. Brant was not a Brant at all:

"Abe Brant may call himself Brant but his name is not Brant his name is Strong if you do not believe me ask Samuel Solmes Esq. he will tell you all about it."

Letter from John W. Hill to T. G. Anderson dated the 12th February 1856 LAC RG10 Volume 412 pp. 38-41 Reel C-9617

In a letter dated the 12th June 1856, John W. Hill stated about Abram Brant that:

"I knowed his Father and I know his mother but in no way related of Capt. Brant's family."

LAC RG10 Volume 412 pp. 51-53 Reel C-9617

In a document from 1837, "John Strong" and "Abram Strong" were listed as volunteers during the Upper Canada Rebellion. LAC RG10 Volume 67 pp.64198-201 Reel C-11023.

This line of Brants were never forced to give up the name Brant even though their original surname was Strong.

Join Haley, Trish and Steven for "Kahwa'tsire" Mohawk Family Genealogy

Every 2nd Tuesday of the month from 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Via Zoom

Hosted by Kanhiote Library
Brought to you by MBQ Research Department

If you would like to be part of the zoom session please email Haley at kanhiotelibrary@gmail.com and she will send you a zoom invitation. Please let her know what information and or people you are researching.

TRUNK OR TREAT



Calling all TMT Community Members who would like to participate in a Trunk or Treat for our youth.

*

What will this look like? Those interested will be assigned a parking spot either at the Administration Office or the Community Wellbeing Centre parking lots. You will be asked to stay in your spot during the timeframe. All participants are welcome to decorate their trunk and hand out candy to the children. Please make sure all candy is peanut free and unfortunately we ask not to bring homemade treats.



Date: Sunday October 29, 2023

Time: 2:00pm to 4:00pm

Location: 50 Meadow Drive





** Prizes will be voted on by fellow trunk decorators for the best decorated trunks**

To register for a parking spot or for more information please email Emma at CARA@mbq-tmt.org. Deadline to register is October 26th at 4:30pm



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SATURDAY OCTOBER 14, 2023

Time: 9:00am

Location: The Gallery Café, 386 HWY 49 Register: By Emailing Brandon Arnold Before October 9

at icwsw@mbq-tmt.org

*No cost to attend, light lunch and refreshments will be provided

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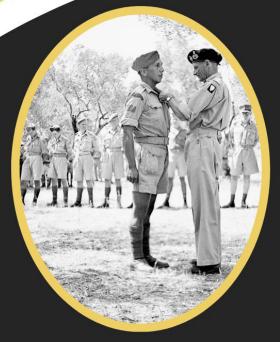
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CALL FOR STORIES

TO BE INCLUDED IN "A PATH FORWARD" EXHIBIT AT MACAULAY HERITAGE PARK IN PICTON



Huron Brant receiving the Military Medal Library and Archives Canada

We're seeking stories from Indigenous relatives of people who:

- Worked in the canning industry, or other industries in Prince Edward County
- Served as members of the Hastings Prince **Edward Regiment during WWII, or in other** military conflicts
- Had relatives who attended residential schools

"A Path Forward" opens September 30, 2023!

If you are interested in sharing your story, please contact TTO today! 613-970-3045 | events@kenhteke.org







Angel Tree Program 2023



It's that time of year again! Mark your calendars!

Registration Dates:

Angel Tree Applications will begin on October 2nd, 2023 and end on October 31st, 2023

NO APPLICATION WILL BE TAKEN WITHOUT INCOME **VERIFICATION******

Please contact Christina Cyr @ 613-967-0122 ext. 140 Monday to Friday from 8:30 am-4:30 pm.

The Angel Tree Program provides children of lowincome families residing in Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory with warm winter clothing.



Good Food Box





Calendar For 2023

For Pickup-New Fire Hall

Order & Paid By	Order Arrives
4:30pm	Pick-up 1-3pm
Wed. March 22, 2023	Tuesday, March 28, 2023
Wed. April 19, 2023	Tuesday, April 25, 2023
Wed. May 17, 2023	Tuesday, May 23, 2023
Wed. June 21, 2023	Tuesday, June 27 2023
Wed July 19, 2023	Tuesday, July 25, 2023
Wed Aug 16, 2023	Tuesday, August 22, 2023
Wed. September 20, 2023	Tuesday, September 26, 2023
Wed. Oct 18, 2023	Tuesday, October 24, 2023
Wed. Nov 22, 2023	Tuesday, November 28, 2023
Wed. December 13, 2023	Tuesday, December 19, 2023



Veggie Bag \$10.00 Fruit Bag \$5.00

COMMUNITY HEALTH

Community Health Presents

Kenhte:ke Health Connection Fresh Produce Market

MBQ Community Members, proof of status/address may be requested

Mark Your Calendar

Monday September 18
Monday October 2
Monday October 16
Monday October 30
Monday November 13
Monday November 27

NEW
EXTENDED
HOURS





Mohawk Fire
Department39 Meadow Drive





Produce and prices may vary depending on availability and season



FLU SHOT COMING THIS FALL



As Indigenous people, we need to keep our circle protected and strong!
It is up to **EACH AND EVERY ONE OF US** to make sure our loved ones are protected from the dangers of the flu.

Who Should get the Flu Shot?

- People 55+
- People with chronic medical conditions such as diabetes, asthma, heart disease etc.
- Everyone 6 months and older
- Pregnant women or trying women

The influenza season generally occurs during the fall, winter and early spring. On average, it starts in November/December, and lasts until February/March.

Clinic Dates Expected Mid October (613)-967-3603





DIABETES EDUCATION PROGRAM PRESENTS

Freestyle Libre 2 Lunch and Learn

- → Discover how to make the most of the Libre
 - →Receive a one-month supply
 - → Enjoy a complimentary lunch





October 4th 2023 11:30-2:30pm Location: The Firehall

Contact Lauren Gilbey RD 613-967-3603 x114 or diabetesrd@mbq-tmt.org

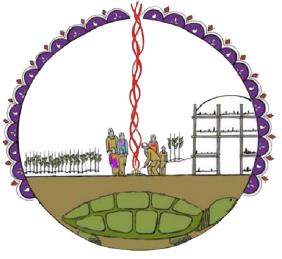


Community Health Presents:

Walk in Blood pressure and weight checks for MBQ community members Monday mornings from 9:00-12:00 Questions? call 613-967-3603 ext 118

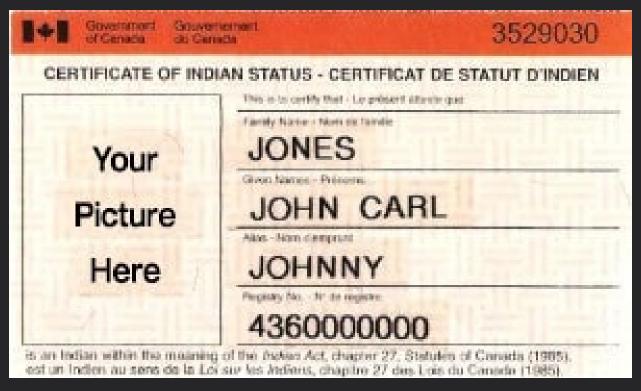


at the Community Wellbeing Centre



You will be entered into a monthly draw for a PC gift card

KEEP MBQ UP-TO-DATE



IF YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION OR MARITAL STATUS CHANGES OR IF THERE'S A DEATH IN THE FAMILY, PLEASE CONTACT MEMBERSHIP TO MAKE THE NECESSARY UPDATES

Bonnie Maracle

E: bonniem@mbq-tmt.org

P: 613-396-3424 x 110

Bonny 'Bear' Maracle

E: bonnym@mbq-tmt.org

P: 613-396-3424 x 132

REMINDERS

- By appointment only, Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- You will need TWO pieces of photo I.D. for renewals

Enyonkwa'nikonhriyohake' Good Minds Program

October Beading Challenge

Fall Themed



Submissions due Oct 31st

Prize Draw for Participants!

Please send Submissions to: Melanie Gray

gmicww@mbq-tmt.org





Indigenous Services Canada

















IF YOU ARE A HIGHSCHOOL STUDENT IN NEED OF VOLUNTEER
HOURS PLEASE USE THIS LINK TO REGISTER:
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1kJbY6BAURiRkrrlUrHUc8VPJTHXxstBs4yF7CQttWM/edit

CONTACT PREVENTIONSUPPORT2@MBQ-TMT.ORG FOR MORE DETAILS













Tired of getting letters from CRA saying you owe tax on your exempt pension funds?

Stressed mentally and financially by having your Supplement lowered by Service Canada?

Upset due to having to fight this battle repeatedly?

The time has come for the Federal Government to bring about the necessary change to fix these issues for you and every Indigenous person in Canada.

Please consider taking the few minutes required to sign Parliamentary Petition e-4564 to help try and bring about the necessary changes.

The petition is asking for the Federal Government to authorize changes in the following 3 ways:

- 1) Update T4RIF tax slips to show income as tax-exempt
- 2) Register tax-exempt Canada Pension Plan (CPP) contributions as exempt when contributed
- Update T4A (P) tax slips for CPP retirement benefits to illustrate tax-exempt payments

These changes, if made, will at least reduce if not eliminate, the number of reassessments being completed each year on Indigenous individuals. For some households they may also increase the amount of other benefits received.

The time has come for a change, help us by voicing your support through signing Parliamentary Petition e-4564! There is no minimum age for signing, any Canadian can sign!



Instructions for Signing Parliamentary Petition e-4564

The petition is asking for the Federal Government to fix the following issues for Indigenous individuals with tax-exempt pension income in retirement:

- 1) Update T4RIF slips to avoid individuals having their tax returns reassessed, which often results in tax payable, Guaranteed Income Supplement (GIS) and other benefits and tax credits clawed-back
- 2) Have Canada Pension Plan (CPP) contributions on tax-exempt income registered as taxexempt as contributions are submitted for Indigenous individuals
- 3) Update the T4A (P) for CPP retirement benefits to clarify tax-exempt CPP income to avoid taxation of tax-exempt funds

Because these issues have not yet been addressed and fixed, retired Indigenous individuals are constantly having their tax returns reassessed, being asked for taxes that are not owed, and having much-needed benefits clawed-backed.

To sign this petition, go to https://petitions.ourcommons.ca/en/Petition/Sign/e-4564 or Google "e-4564 petition". There is no minimum age to sign, so any Canadian citizen can sign this petition.

Review the petition and then below it, fill in:

First and last name

Email Address & Phone Number

Province and Postal Code

Check the 3 boxes below and click the SIGN button

You will then receive an email a short time later asking you to click the link to confirm that it was you who signed the petition. You have now signed the petition!

Thanks in advance for your time and effort, and we hope this will move the Federal Government and Ministry of Finance to make these necessary changes to benefit all Indigenous Communities across Canada.

If you have any questions or issues with the petition or signing of it, please feel free to contact us directly at the number below.

Calisthenics Class





- OCT 1 JAN 1
- **FRIDAYS 3PM**
- LEARN HOW TO CREATE
 - **A BODYWEIGHT**
 - **PROGRAM**

20\$ SIGN UP

GOOD FOR ALL CLASSES





THE TYENDINAGA CARDINALS WOULD LIKE TO THANK BUILDALL CONTRACTORS, TYENDINAGA PROPANE, THE TYENDINAGA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUND, MOHAWK DUTY FREE AND QUINTE TRADE SERVICES FOR SPONSORING THE 2023 SEASON! SEE YOU ON THE DIAMOND NEXT YEAR



TYENDINAGA PROPANE







REGISTERED EDUCATION SAVINGS PLAN

FAST FACTS

- The average undergraduate degree costs \$6,463/year and a graduate degree is roughly \$7,056/year - and that's before housing and cost of living
- University residence costs \$3,000-\$7,500 per year
- The average post-sec student spends between \$628-\$1,471 on books and supplies each year

HOW CAN AN RESP HELP?

While the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte covers a portion of education costs for members, applications are considered on an annual basis, based on the availability of funds, and not all students applying will be funded.

RESPs can help cover some of the costs you'll incur over and above MBQ funding or if you don't qualify.

- An eligible child can recive up to \$2,000 for simply opening an RESP
- Up to \$7,200 in Canada Education Savings Grants can be received on contributions made to the RESP
- Funds saved in an RESP can be put towards transportation, tuition, meal plans, books, tools or any other expense relating to being in post-secondary

GET STARTED TODAY

Contact Tim Reynolds at L & A Financial: tim.reynolds@lafc.ca 613-354-2726

Appointments can be held at the MBQ Admin Building





AVOID DELAYS CALL IT IN!



The Medical Transportation Program requires prior registration of all your appointments being claimed for travel reimbursements. Notice can be made by phone, email or text.

> **EMAIL NOW** TRANSPORTATIONCLERK@MBQ-TMT.ORG





COMMUNITY HEALTH PRESENTS:

BREAST CANCER

AWARENESS INFORMATION NIGHT

WITH DR. HUGH LANGLEY

Thursday October 12, 2023 6:00-7:00pm Mohawk Fire Hall

To register or questions please contact Suzanne Maracle-Dye chn@mbq-tmt.org MenHaveBreastsToo GIVEAWAYS



Community Health & The Kenhte:ke Midwives are Partnering to offer



PAP Testing In Support of Cervical Cancer **Awareness**



TUESDAY OCTOBER 24TH 9:30AM-4:00PM TO SCHEDULE YOUR APPOINTMENT

PLEASE CONTACT

Erin Ferrante

(613) 396-2223

erin.ferrante@kenhtekemidwives.com www.facebook.com/kenhtekemidwives

A PAP test is a screening test that can detect cell changes in the cervix that may lead to cancer before you feel any symptoms.

Everyone who books an appointment will be entered into our wellness basket prize



Community Health in partnership with Belleville Public Health and Children's Oral Health Initiative





Dental Screenings Fluoride Application **Sealants**

FREE **ELECTRIC TOOTHBRUSH**

When: October 17th, 2023

Where: Community Wellbeing Centre

Time: 1-3:00pm

Open to on Territory Residents ONLY



To Book an appointment call Hannah Hill 613-967-3603 ext. 166 chrcwb@mbq-tmt.org



MBQ Community Health and Home Support Programs, in partnership with the Alzheimers Society of Hastings Prince Edward offer:

Memory Cafe

Are you worried about your memory and eager to learn ways to boost your brain.

Do you have early stage dementia?

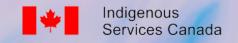
Join us while we discuss brain health, practise brain boost strategies and gentle movement.

When: October 26th, 2023 Time: 1-3:00pm

Where: Elder's Lodge

To register contact: Hannah Hill 613-967-3603, ext. #166 or email chrcwb@mbq-tmt.org

Open to MBQ members or anyone living on territory





IN YOUR KITCHEN **COOKING COMPETITION**

FAMILY EDITION

WE PROVIDE THE INGREDIENTS, YOUR FAMILY COOKS, AND BRINGS IN THE FOOD FOR TASTE **TESTING!**

5PM 11 OCT 2023

FEAT. CASSEROLES

Contact Lauren Gilbey

613-967-3603 x 114 or diabetesrd@mbq-tmt.org

Save the Date! "Grandma's Dream" Indigenous Art Show & Sale

Saturday & Sunday, November 18 & 19, 2023

Time: 11:00 am to 7:00 pm

MBQ COMMUNITY CENTRE

Looking for upcoming and established Indigenous Artist to take part, free booth space for first 15 Artist to confirm. Contact Yvonne Maracle 905 870-8917 or email: yvonnemaracle2@gmail.com to register.

Sponsored by Yvonne Maracle, Artist Sleeping Bear's Hollow





COMMUNITY CENTRE

Upper Level

CAPACITY: 289
KITCHEN INCLUDED
COSTS:

REGULAR - \$300 GOVERNMENT - \$400

Lower Level

CAPACITY: 305
COSTS:

REGULAR - \$300 GOVERNMENT - \$400 KITCHEN USE = \$50

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- TABLES &CHAIRS AVAILABLE
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WANTED

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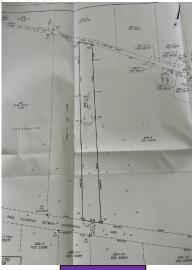
For more information, please call 613-962-4675.

LAND FOR SALE

Lot 26B-1-2 Concession 1 (Homeland Drive)

Purchased in October 2021 and land survey completed in May 2023.

For more information, please contact Kristian at kristianhilts@gmail.com or 647-518-9006.

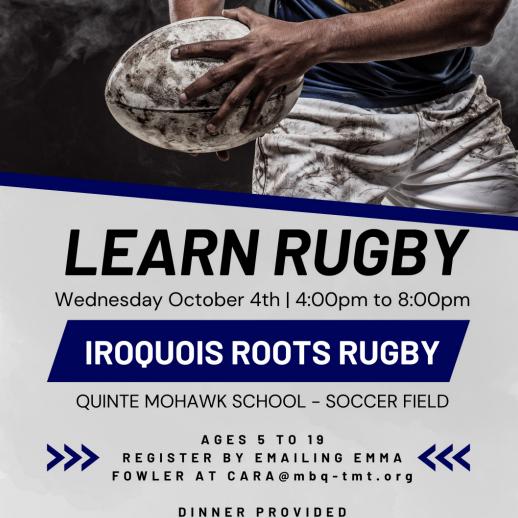


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Tuesday, October 3 - 6:30 p.m. Bible Study. All are welcome to join us for great conversation, fellowship and food.

Sunday, October 8 - 9:30 a.m. Harvest Thanksgiving Celebration ... Holy Communion

Tuesday, October 10 - 6:30 a.m. Bible Study

Sunday, October 15 - 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship Celebration followed by food and fellowship

Tuesday, October 17 - 6:30 p.m. Bible Study

Thursday, October 19th - 5 p.m. Thanksgiving Shared Supper and entertainment. Bring a friend and a dish to share if you're able.

Sunday, October 22 - 9:30 a.m. Worship Celebration with Communion followed by food and fellowship

Tuesday, October 24 - 6:30 p.m. Bible Study

Wednesday, October 25 - 4 p.m. Parish Advisory Council meeting

Friday, October 27 - 1 - 5 p.m. & Saturday, October 28 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Quilt Show and Café ... see separate poster in this newsletter for more details

Sunday, October 29 - 9:30 a.m. Worship Celebration with Communion followed by food and fellowship

2nd Annual "Mistletoe Market on the Ridge" Thursday November 16th and Friday November 17th. Check out our other ads for further details

"All events are held at All Saints Anglican Church and Hall ~ 1295 Ridge Road, Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory"



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COMING EVENTS

Oct 8, 2023 Thanksgiving Service 11AM

Stop in for Adult Sunday school 10 AM Sunday Service is 11AM Sunday Night Service 6:30 PM Wednesday Bible Study 7 PM

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Lionel Hampton

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Mid Winter Holiday occurs in the New Year, date TBD. For schedule changes, please visit MBQ website/social media

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