



## **Mohawk Council Communiqué**

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### **Monday, 14 Kentenhkó:wa/November, 2022** **Meeting at Mohawk Council of Kahnawake**

**In:** Ratitsénhaienhs Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer, Tonya Perron, Cody Diabo, Jessica Lazare, Michael Delisle, Jr., Lindsay LeBorgne, Ryan Montour, Arnold Boyer, Harry Rice (arrived at 10am)

**Out:** Ross Montour (Vacation), Iohahi:io Delisle (attending Trauma-Informed Training)

**Also Present:** Jaime-Lynn Deere (Council Meeting Administrator), Winona Polson-Lahache (Chief Political Advisor), Joe Delaronde (Public Relations), and Executive Assistants Sarah Delisle & Tyanna Kirby

#### **Housekeeping**

- Ohén:ton Karihwatéhkwén by Jessica Lazare
- Cheque Signers this week: Tonya Perron & Lindsay LeBorgne
- MCK Friday - November 18, 2022: Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer & Michael Delisle, Jr.
- Chief's Uncut – recording dates November 25 (Cody Diabo) & December 2 (Iohahi:io Delisle)
- Scheduling of Chief's Upcoming Vacations
- Chief's Attendance to the Iroquois Caucus - December 1 & 2, 2022: Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer, Ryan Montour, Tonya Perron, Arnold Boyer, Cody Diabo & Ross Montour (intermittently) will attend
- Last Council Meeting Date before Holiday Break is December 12. First Council Meeting in the New Year will be on January 9, 2023
- Community Engagement Kiosk will be held on Thursday
- **Cody Diabo:** Wellness Days on Wednesday & Thursday and (tentatively) on Friday
- **Ryan Montour:** Monday: Consultation meeting; Thursday: attending Kiosk; Friday: Kahnawà:ke Peacekeeper Law review meeting, and assisting Kateri Food Basket distribution
- **Harry Rice:** Monday: Karihwanoron meeting; Tuesday: Career Day planning meeting; Thursday: attending Kiosk; Friday: McGill University 'Y-Intersection' engagement project meeting
- **Michael Delisle, Jr.:** Monday: Gaming strategy meeting; Wednesday: Consultation, and potential economic development opportunity meetings; Thursday: attending Kiosk; Friday: External Government Relations Portfolio ,

potential Housing opportunity, and Quebec special representative Geoff Kelley (to be confirmed) meetings

- **Jessica Lazare:** Wednesday: Technical Drafting Committee for Administrative Tribunal Regulations meeting; Thursday: Kahnawà:ke Legislative Coordinating Commission (KLCC) Working Group meeting, and attending Kiosk; Friday: Justice Services meeting
- **Tonya Perron:** Tuesday: Strategic Meetings scheduling; Wednesday: Technical Drafting Committee for Administrative Tribunal Regulations, Finance, Administration & Operations (FAO) Committee, and Cannabis meetings; Thursday: attending Kiosk; Friday: Justice Services meetings, and 'Old Mill' tour (to be confirmed)
- **Arnold Boyer:** Thursday: Public Works meeting, and attending Kiosk; Friday: Jacques Cartier – Champlain Bridges, Inc. (JCCBI) meeting, and meeting regarding former Justice Building
- **Lindsay LeBorgne:** Wednesday: FAO Committee meeting; Thursday: Public Works meeting; Friday: JCCBI meeting
- **Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer:** Tuesday: Strategic Meetings scheduling, and attending event hosted by the Consulate General of Belgium; Wednesday: Grand Chief's Office, and FAO Committee meetings; Thursday: attending Kiosk; Friday: External Government relations Portfolio meeting; and Multi-Purpose Building Capital Campaign meetings

### Agenda Items

#### **Mohawk Council Executive Directive: Request for Approval of Agreements - Hertel Transmission Line (Client/Attorney Privileged)**

*Presence of Eric Doucet, Alex Beaupre, Branden Morris & Stephan Roy. Portfolio Chiefs: Michael Delisle, Jr. & Ross Montour. This item was Approved by Consensus.* Updates on the matter to be provided to the community through MCK Friday on K103, KTV, and upcoming public announcements. (Client/Attorney Privileged)

### Ratitsénhaienhs Updates

- Cody Diabo updated on JFK Quarry; and the Longueil deer cull
- Ryan Montour updated on Housing; Remembrance Day events; and the Kateri Food Basket
- Harry Rice updated on Minor Sports
- Michael Delisle, Jr. updated on Seigneurie of Sault St. Louis & Kahnawà:ke-Canada Relations; and various Gaming matters
- Jessica Lazare updated on the recent Assembly of First Nations Language Forum held in Dartmouth, Nova Scotia; and Victims of Crime meeting
- Tonya Perron updated on matters concerning the Kahnawà:ke Cannabis Control Board; Kahnawà:ke Legislative Coordinating Commission developments; and implementation of the Kahnawà:ke Justice Act
- Arnold Boyer updated on Health Portfolio (including the Kateri Memorial Hospital Centre KMHC Open House); Kahnawà:ke Schools Diabetes Prevention Project

introductory meeting; Assembly of First Nations of Quebec-Labrador Chiefs meeting on Canada's Child and Family Protection legislation; Tekakwitha Island Bridge repairs; local participation/claims in the Indian Day Schools Settlement process; and bullying concerns in student transportation (which led to extended discussion)

- Lindsay LeBorgne updated on developments to update the Administrative Affairs Portfolio Mandate and the Finance, Administrations & Operations (FAO) Committee Terms of reference (with discussion following); K1037 talkshow appearance (including Memorial Path update), and KMHC open house tour
- Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer updated on her 'welcome' orientation meeting with Ratsénhaienhs Iohahi:io Delisle; Multi-Purpose Building Capital Campaign; and meeting regarding Kahnawà:ke Fire Brigade funding needs
- Closing by Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer. Meeting ended at **4:29pm**