



Mohawk Council Communiqué

Monday, 9 Enniska/February 2009

The following is a synopsis of the latest Council Meeting

Chiefs Attendance

In – Chiefs Mike Delisle, Mike Bush, Peggy Mayo-Standup, Rhonda Kirby, Johnny Montour, Warren Lahache, Martin Leborgne, Kenneth McComber, Marvin (Melvin) Zacharie, John Dee Delormier.

Out – Chief Peter Paul (sick).

Also present – Executive Director Alana Goodleaf-Rice, OCC Interim Coordinator Melanie Gilbert.

Housekeeping

Chiefs Out of Office – Chief Delisle will be out of the office from Wednesday through Friday (11-13, Enniska/February) to participate in the Assembly of First Nations Think Tank being held in Vancouver, British Columbia. He will return to the office on 16, Enniska/February.

Chiefs to Meet with Mohawk Bridge Consortium – A meeting has been scheduled to discuss issues of mutual concern.

RFD, Land Allotments

The following agenda items were discussed:

RFD, Quebec/Kahnawá:ke Agreements – Renewal and Amendments – Presence of Michael O'Brien, John Latour, Jean Pommerville. Much discussion took place in regard to the various issues relating to the Ten Agreements. As it has been determined that this issue is a priority, strategy sessions are to be scheduled immediately, with goal of formal discussion/decisions in early March.

RFD, 2008-2010 Police Funding Agreement with Canada and 2009-2010 Police Funding Agreement with Quebec – Presence of Justice Coordinator Ron Skye, Chief Peacekeeper Dwayne Zacharie and Michael O'Brien. Chief & Council unanimously agreed to support the renewal of the Agreements.

Meeting adjourned at approximately 11:30am.