



## **Mohawk Council Communiqué**

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**Monday, 30 Enniskó:wa/March 2009**

*The following is a synopsis of the latest Council Meeting*

### **Chiefs Attendance**

**In** – Chiefs Mike Delisle Jr., Mike Bush, Martin Leborgne, Marvin Zacharie, Rhonda Kirby, Peter Paul, Kenneth McComber (morning only), Johnny Montour.

**Also present:** Michael O'Brien – OCC Chief of Staff, Alana Goodleaf-Rice – Executive Director, Melanie Gilbert – Interim OCC Coordinator.

**Out** – Chiefs Peggy Mayo-Standup (vacation), John Dee Delormier (vacation) and Warren Lahache (sick day).

### **Housekeeping/Travel Updates:**

- Chief Paul to Akwesasne re: junior lacrosse this week, date TBD.
- Chief Leborgne to St. Lucie to meet with mayor on Thursday, 2 Onerahtokha/April to sign agreement to have portion of road paved (see 26 Ennisko:wa/March Communiqué).
- Chiefs Montour and Leborgne to Yale University to participate in Nation Building Conference on Friday, 3 Onerahtókha/April.
- Chief Delisle gave update on meeting with Krueger Energy Group re: wind energy project. Also gave update from meeting with Quebec representatives re: relationship between Kahnawà:ke and the province.

### **The following agenda items were discussed:**

#### **RFD: KSSEP Funding Request**

Presence of John Bud Morris, Steven O. Horne and Angie Marquis (Tewa); Marcy Delisle and Ryan Rice (MCK). More discussion/action required before decision is made.

#### **RFD: Revenue Generation**

Presence of Marcy Delisle, Ryan Rice, Kevin Kennedy, Tom Morris. Direction given for letters to be sent to entities who have potential to generate greater revenues.

#### **RFD: Acceptance/Approval of Federal Block Funding Amendments (Federal Transfer Agreement)**

Additional funding allocated to 2008/2009 MCK programs. Monies appropriated into School Bus and Heavy Equipment replacement/reserve funds. Accepted.

#### **Discussion/Presentation: Action on Specific Claims**

Presence of Francis Walsh and Lanny Jacobs. Discussion/update regarding the various on-going claims re: St. Lawrence Seaway, Hydro Quebec, Canadian Pacific Railway, Mercier Bridge.

#### **MCED: JFK Quarry Interim Agreement Extension**

Presence of Francis Walsh, Kevin Kennedy and Russel Curotte. Decision deferred, though Agreement in Principle has been reached. Re-tabled for official approval on Monday, 6 Onerahtókha/April.

The meeting adjourned at 3:35 pm.