



## **Mohawk Council Communiqué**

### **Monday, 4 Kenténha/October 2010**

**In:** Chiefs Mike Delisle Jr., John Dee Delormier, Carl Horn, Kenneth McComber, Mike Bush, Johnny Montour, Clinton Phillips, Rhonda Kirby, Martin Leborgne, Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer, Lloyd Phillips.

**Out:** Chief Peggy Mayo-Standup (leave).

**Also attending:** Mike O'Brien (Chief of Staff, Office of the Council of Chiefs), Kevin Kennedy (Interim Executive Director).

**Community members observing:** Loanna Zachary and Erin Montour (first agenda item only).

Meeting started with Opening Prayer by Grand Chief Delisle.

#### **Housekeeping/Travel**

- Minutes approved/accepted for September 20, 2010 Council Meeting
- Carl Horn will be attending Irving Goodleaf/MCK Settlement Conference on Tuesday.
- Kenneth McComber will attend meetings at Kahnawà:ke Survival School on Tuesday and Training Center on Wednesday.
- Rhonda Kirby will attend Kahnawà:ke Schools Diabetes Prevention Project events scheduled for November 17-18 in Ottawa.
- Clinton Phillips will attend an Onkwatarithatsera meeting on Thursday afternoon.
- Request for Portfolio Chief (Quebec/Kahnawà:ke Relations Trade and Commerce. Clinton Phillips has been appointed to this new portfolio; Martin Leborgne has agreed to act as an alternate on the file.
- Rhonda Kirby updated the table on North Creek Petition: Hearing on October 20, affected/interested community members to be made aware via media release and direct communication.
- Carl Horn Officially notified the table that he has stepped down as Membership Portfolio Chief, effective immediately. Replacement to be named shortly.
- Mike Delisle, meeting with local Member of the National Assembly Pierre Moreau on Monday re: proposed Wind Energy Project.

#### **Agenda Items**

##### **Request for Decision: Indian and Northern Affairs Canada/Canada's Economic Action Plan 'Six Plex' Housing Project**

Presence of Iris Jacobs and Alexis Shackleton (Housing/Social Development Unit). Chief & Council officially approved action plan presented by MCK Housing Department. This is in regard to the funding approval from INAC/CEAP to undertake a 'new construction of a multi-unit housing' project. A media release is planned.

##### **Presentation: Kahnawà:ke Waste Management Plan**

Presence of Eva Johnson, Alana Kane (Environment Protection Office) and Debbie Morris (Lands Unit). Chief & Council supports the presented action/management plan. This includes an MCK Executive Directive approving an application to apply for provincial program that would allow MCK to recover approximately 85% of waste disposal fees (This is in addition to garbage pick-up and transportation out of the community).



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### **Request for Decision: Kahnawá:ke's opposition to transportation of Nuclear Materials through the Territory**

Presence of Lynn Jacobs, Eva Johnson (Environment Protection Office), Arnold Lazare (Community Protection). Passed unanimously.

### **Request for Decision: Restorative Justice Program's request to obtain Non-Profit Status number**

Presence of Ron Skye and Davis Montour (Justice), Kevin Fleischer (Legal Services). Chief & Council approved request, except for Chief Lloyd Phillips, who felt he wasn't prepared to make a decision at this time.

Meeting concluded at 2:10pm with Closing Prayer by Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer.

### **Strategic Discussions**

<b>Tuesday:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Step By Step and Onkwarithatsera (discussion). Presence of Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer</li></ul>
<b>Wednesday:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Chiefs Manual (discussion). Presence of Working Group</li></ul>
<b>Thursday:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Chief &amp; Council Priorities (discussion). Presence of Jeffrey Diabo</li></ul>