



Mohawk Council Communiqué

Monday, 29 Seskehkó:wa/September 2014

In: Chiefs Lloyd Phillips (chair), Kenneth McComber, Rhonda Kirby, Martin Leborgne, Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer, Christine Zachary-Deom, Bobby Patton, Gina Deer, Carl Horn

Out: Chiefs Mike Delisle (personal), Clinton Phillips (appointment), Billy Diabo (personal)

Also Present: Melissa Curotte (recorder), Alana Goodleaf-Rice (Executive Director), Dwaine White (General Manager, Office of the Council of Chiefs)

House Keeping:

- Acceptance of Minutes for September 15
- Mohawk Council Executive Directive, Membership Transfer
- Kenneth McComber: meeting on Indigenous Access to McGill program on Tuesday
- Bobby Patton: Tobacco Working Group stakeholder meeting with Peacekeepers re: proposed Tobacco Law on Tuesday (with Gina Deer, Martin Leborgne)
- Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer: Kahnawake Youth Center board meeting on Tuesday; Membership tech team meeting on Thursday
- Carl Horn: meeting with staff at Kanawaki Golf Club on Wednesday
- Martin Leborgne: Tioweró:ton meeting on Wednesday
- Christine Zachary-Deom: Justice Commission meeting on Thursday

Updates:

- Christine Zachary-Deom informed the table that she will be having an introductory meeting with representatives of the Quebec Solidaire provincial political party on several topics
- Christine Zachary-Deom informed the table that remains were uncovered during an excavation on private property near the old cemetery near the MCK main building. (It later turned out that the remains were most likely animal bones).
- Lloyd Phillips informed the table that the Policing Agreement should be finalized shortly. A strategic session is being scheduled with Chief & Council on this issue.
- Kenneth McComber wished to acknowledge the good work by Community Protection in regard to the recent repairs of the CP Rail crossing at the new development at 'South Texas.'
- Bobby Patton gave a very brief update on the meeting last week between himself, Martin Leborgne and Enbridge Energy. He indicated that First Nations along the Enbridge corridor are looking towards Kahnawà:ke for leadership on this matter. He also informed the table that Trans-Canada Pipelines would like to meet with Kahnawà:ke on a preliminary basis.