



EAGLEPRESS NEWSLETTER

THREE FIRES HOMECOMING POW WOW AND TRADITIONAL GATHERING RETURNS!



Vision Statement in Ojibwe:

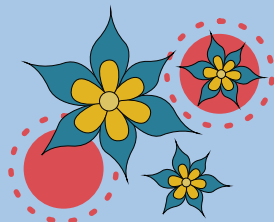
Ezhi niigaan waabjigaayewaad Mississaugas of the Credit endaawaad (the vision of these people). Ezhip mino maadzijig (living a joyful life), ezhi waamji-gaazwaad (their identity, how people have identified them), ezhi debwedmowaad (their beliefs), ezhi mimiingaazwaad (what was given to them by Creation, what they always had, their heritage), niigaabminunkiwaad Anishinaabek (is how they always lived as Anishinaabek).

Translated by: Nimkew Niinis, N'biising First Nation.

Eaglepress Newsletter

The Eaglepress newsletter is available for download at www.mncfn.ca. We encourage members to view the online version rather than subscribing to print to help us care for Mother Earth and save print and postage costs.

The Eaglepress will continue to evolve with new features and information. If you have suggestions or submissions
Contact: Gov.Comm@mncfn.ca



Artwork Acknowledgement

LSK Mural: Eaglepress Newsletter acknowledges artists: Philip Cote, Tracey Anthony, Rebecca Baird, for use of their artwork for our identifier, marketing and promotional materials.

The original artwork pictured below is located in the Library at Lloyd S. King Elementary School.

Newsletter Header: Toni Hafkenscheid Photography



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GIMAA R. STACEY LAFORME

I want to thank everyone for doing their part to ensure our Nation is as safe as possible during these challenging times.

It was so great to see our Members, and friends out at the 34th Annual Three Fires Homecoming Pow Wow and Traditional Gathering after two long years. Miigwech to our pow wow committee, vendors, performers, volunteers, and everyone who helped in some way. The whole weekend was unforgettable!



We will gather again as a Community during Caring Together Week from September 19th - 23rd, more details are in the rest of the Newsletter. Our departments are currently working hard to make this one special for everyone!

Our Governance department has also been hosting information sessions around our Comprehensive Community Plan (CCP), and our draft laws including: the MCFN Constitution and the MCFN Election Law. Miigwech to everyone who was able to come out, your input is very important to this process! Stay tuned for more information on our social media on any upcoming sessions. More information on the CCP will be presented during caring together week.

August was a busy month for events, I attended the Queen's Plate, Port Dover Summer Fest, Metis Nation of Ontario AGA, and several events with the Canadian National Exhibition.



The MCFN exhibit at the CNE, I hope you got the chance to stop by!

We hope everyone had a safe and relaxing summer! Our lifelong learning office has tons of school supplies and everything you need to get you ready for back to school, come stop by or call 905-768-7138!

Be Safe, Be Heard
Miigwech,
Gimaa R. Stacey Laforme

MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF

National IRS Crisis Line: 1-866-925-4419 IRSS

Telephone Support Line: 1-800-721-0066 FN

Inuit Hope for Wellness Help Line:

1-855-242-3310 Native Youth Crisis Hotline:

1-877-209-1266

**Kids Help Phone: 1-800-668-6868, or text
686868**



National Indian Residential School Crisis Line

1-866-925-4419



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Autochtones Canada

Canada

Notice of By-Election Nomination Meeting
Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Electors of the **Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation** will be held at the **Administration Office, located at 2789 Mississauga Road, Building #1, Hagersville, ON N0A 1H0** on Saturday the 10th day of September 2022, beginning at 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the position of Councillor, on the Band Council of the said Band, for the remainder of the Chief and Council term. There is one (1) position for Councillor available.

The Election will be held at the **Administration Office, located at 2789 Mississauga Road, Building #1, Hagersville, ON N0A 1H0** on Saturday the 22nd day of October 2022.

Please note that any voter may nominate candidates by using a mail-in nomination form. You can either deliver or mail-in a written nomination and a completed, signed and witnessed voter declaration form to the Electoral Officer before the time set for the **Nomination Meeting** OR you may nominate candidates orally at the nomination meeting. If you wish to nominate using a mail-in nomination form, contact the Electoral Officer at the below contact information.

Also note that any voter may vote by mail in ballot. If you will not be available to vote in person on the Polling Day, you may make arrangements with the Electoral Officer to receive a mail in ballot.

Given under my hand on this 11th day of **August 2022**.



Veronica McLeod
Electoral Officer

Cell: 705-309-2349
Email: veronica_mcleod@hotmail.com

CARING TOGETHER WEEK



SEPTEMBER 19-23, 2022 MCFN COMMUNITY CENTRE

MON.
SEPTEMBER

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SOCIAL AND HEALTH

STRODS BBQ AND DELI.
TROPICAL SUMMER PARTY - FACE PAINTING,
CARICATURES, SENIOR BINGO, INFLATABLE,
ERIC BROUSSEAU AND NOLAN GIBSON
MUSIC. DOOR PRIZES

TUES.
SEPTEMBER

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LIFELONG LEARNING

TURKEY DINNER WITH ALL THE FIXINGS.
OVER-SIZED JENGA, BIG BUBBLE BLOWING,
BRAIN TEASERS, CHALK OBSTACLE COURSES,
AND OVER-SIZED BANAGRAMS.

WED.
SEPTEMBER

21

COUNCIL, ADMIN, PW, HOUSING FINANCE, LMR

COUNTRY HOEDOWN THEME - BEEF ON A BUN,
CORN ON THE COB, BAKED BEANS.
MARK LAFORME BAND, LINE DANCE TEACHER,
COSTUME CONTESTS, DOOR PRIZES.

THU.
SEPTEMBER

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DOCA

CHICKEN DINNER, MASH POTATOES VEGGIES,
BEVERAGE, ROLL AND DESSERT.
LUCAS WILSON - ILLUSIONIST, CARICATURE
ARTIST, BALLOON TWISTER, DOOR PRIZES.

FRI.
SEPTEMBER

23

SPECIAL EVENTS, GOVERNANCE

SPAGHETTI DINNER, SALAD AND DESSERT.
DARREN THOMAS COMEDY HYPNOTIST

COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS WILL BE IN PLACE*

Caring Together Week 2022

TROPICAL SUMMER *Party*



MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2022

5PM-7:30PM

MCFN COMMUNITY CENTER

MUSIC BY

ERIC BROUSSEAU
& NOLAN GIBSON!

FOOD BY

STRODES
BBQ & DELI!

Face Painting, Caricatures
Seniors Bingo, Inflatable
Fun, Food, Music,
Door Prizes!

*Come Dressed In Your
Tropical/Luau Wear!*

COVID-19 Public Health
Measures in Effect!

ENJI-MAAMWIYANG (COMING BACK TOGETHER)

34TH ANNUAL Three Fires Homecoming Pow Wow and Traditional Gathering



The 34th annual Three Fires Homecoming Pow wow and Traditional Gathering was held August 20th and 21st, with entertainment night on the 19th.

Because of the pandemic, it was the first in-person Three Fires pow wow since 2019.

“We tried to keep it alive (during the pandemic) with videos and different things but it’s just not the same,” said Stacey Laforme, elected chief of the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation.

“This weekend, I think the most special thing is seeing the people come together and talking and visiting, and seeing the youth.

“And then seeing our friends and allies come in and spend time with us. It means a lot. We do things together and we work on things. Once in a while we might go for dinner, but this (pow wow) beats all that.”

The Pow wow drew approximately 3,000 people (spectators and participants)

“All powwows are welcoming, but ours are such a feeling of inclusivity and everybody’s welcome,” said Laforme.

Chi-miigwech to the Pow Wow Committee, volunteers, and everyone involved for making it such a huge success. More photos are available on our FB!

CULTURE AND EVENTS



MCFN RETURNS TO THE CANADIAN NATIONAL EXHIBITION



Manitou Mkwā Singers at the CNE opening ceremonies!



Our exhibit features a new hologram technology by ARHT Media that displays videos and has an interactive option where guests can come take photos in the hologram.

This display makes it easier to educate on MCFN's Culture and History, and issues that affect Indigenous people including; Residential Schools, and Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls. Indigenous talent will also be featured, such as the Manitou Mkwā Singers, Daniel Secord (a traditional dancer from MCFN), and many more. MCFN representatives will be at the CNE throughout the event's duration, and will be answering questions from visitors at their booth. This initiative will allow for a different way that MCFN can engage with people, and a way that will appeal to people as the world is becoming more and more advanced with technology.

Jai King-Green who works in MCFN's Culture and Events Unit, and is a member of the Manitou Mkwā Singers was impressed by the hologram technology at the JUNO awards when the group was nominated for Traditional Indigenous Artist of the Year in 2022. She thought it would be a great opportunity for MCFN to educate people at larger-scale events, such as the CNE.

"We were able to record videos and messages from people from the nation, about important matters and I think the big questions and topics Canadians would have been asking about."

"We have been attending the CNE for a number of years, and we are looking forward to returning and bringing something new. We are always looking to share our history and our stories to a wider audience, and this initiative with ARHT allows us to do this in a unique way." – Gimaa (Chief) Stacey Laforme

The exhibit also features an information desk, a wampum belt and treaty information table, a fur pelt table, a veterans display, and more. Chi-miigwech to our Special Events and Culture Unit, our Major Events Committee, and all our staff and volunteers for your hard work!!

THE 163rd QUEENS PLATE



The Queen's Plate, was held August 21st at Woodbine Raceway in Toronto. The Queen's Plate is Canada's oldest Thoroughbred horse race, having been founded in 1860. It is also the oldest continuously run race in North America.

Gimaa Laforme was there to welcome the Lieutenant Governor of Ontario, The Honourable Elizabeth Dowdeswell to our traditional territory. Jaxon Bennett won our social media draw to be the official bouquet presenter, representing MCFN.

Great job Jaxon!

GRANDPARENT'S DAY Celebration

September 18, 2022
1:00pm - 4:00pm
Location: MCFN Community Center

Come and express your gratitude by celebrating with your grandparents!

Meal and craft activity provided!

PLEASE REGISTER WITH
LESLIE MARACLE BY TEXT:
519-732-5407

MCFN Spay & Neuter Clinics

October 21-23, 2022
8:00am-4:30pm each day
Location: MCFN Community Center

Spay/Neuter cost per Cat: \$100.00 **Spay/Neuter cost per Dog: \$250.00**

Included in cost: pain medication, heartworm/tick test, vaccines to bring pet up to date, microchip and head cone

Pre-pay at the Community Health Office
CASH ONLY
EXACT AMOUNT
First come, First served
Priority for MCFN members

For more information call Laura-Lee or Janice at : 905-768-0141

September

2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Income Statements Due 16th – 23rd			¹ Cheque Distribution Back Pack Pick Up 9-4 Immunization Catch-up/NOT COVID	² Back Pack Pick Up 9-4 Immunization Catch-up/NOT COVID	³ Jays Care Tournament in Curve Lake
⁴	⁵ HOLIDAY	⁶ Foot Care Womens All Day Shop Infant Massage 130-230 Afterschool Registration 6-730 Water Collection WNV P/U	⁷ Foot Care Afterschool Registration 6-730	⁸ Foot Care Mens All Day Shop HBHC Gift Card P/U	⁹ Foot Care Immunization Catch-up/NOT COVID	¹⁰
¹¹	¹² Foot Care WNV Set-Up Yoga at CC 6-7pm	¹³ Craft Day Infant Massage 130-230 Water Collection WNV P/U	¹⁴ Reflexology 9-3	¹⁵ Outing to St. Jacobs HBHC Gift Card P/U	¹⁶ Immunization Catch-up/NOT COVID Reflexology 9-3	¹⁷ Social
¹⁸ Grandparents Day	¹⁹ CARING WNV Set-Up CTW SHS Dinner	²⁰ TOGETHER Infant Massage 130-230 Water Collection WNV P/U	²¹ <hr/> Reflexology 9-3 Cancer Screening Coach 9-2 Plaza	²² CARING Reflexology 9-3 HBHC Gift Card P/U	²³ TOGETHER Immunization Catch-up/NOT COVID	²⁴
²⁵	²⁶ WNV Set-Up Yoga at CC 6-7pm	²⁷ Infant Massage 130-230 Water Collection WNV P/U	²⁸ Reflexology 9-3	²⁹ HBHC Gift Card P/U	³⁰ HOLIDAY	



CALL FOR ARTISTS

To celebrate art, culture and heritage, MCFN and XOXO Downsview are welcoming our artists to come and explore the Downsview lands and share ideas about how we can bring the space to life.

We invite MCFN visual, graphic and performing artists, as well as textile and handmade creators, to join us on:

Sept. 20th 11am - 2pm
70 Canuck Ave (Downsview Park)
Toronto, ON



XOXO DOWNSVIEW

Supported by Canada Lands and Northcrest Developments, XOXO Downsview aims to bring people together while highlighting Arts and Culture.

So far, XOXO Downsview has included dynamic installations, murals, multimedia works and audio walking tours.

**TO REGISTER, PLEASE VISIT:
[HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/MCFNARTISTS](https://tinyurl.com/MCFNARTISTS)**



NOTICE: ON RESERVE CANNABIS OPERATIONS

The Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Chief and Council have not sanctioned any form of cannabis operations on the First Nation or within our treaty lands and traditional territory.

Any facility or storefronts currently in business, are doing so without the consent of the First Nation Council and is an illegal operation.

The Council have been working diligently to develop a Law that respects the collective rights of the Nation and provides sound operational and safety requirements. Until this important work is complete, the appropriate enforcement agencies will continue to be provided with the authority to shut down any illegal operations.



Chief and Council

Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation
2789 Mississauga Road, R.R. #6 Hagersville, Ontario N0A 1H0



Phone: (905) 768-1133
Fax: (905) 768-1225



COMPREHENSIVE COMMUNITY PLAN

Project Update · June 2022



What is a CCP?

A Comprehensive Community Plan is:

- A formal document that outlines the needs and aspirations of a Nation for the next 10 – 20 years
- A plan made through a grassroots process that engages members
- A guide for leadership and staff based on the community's vision and priorities for the future.

What do CCPs do?

- Establish community goals and outlines the actions it needed to achieve them
- Provide guidance for Leadership and Staff for decision making
- Set goals and priority areas
- Promote economic development
- Identifies the vision and aspirations of our members for our Nation
- Identifies new and enhanced programs, services, infrastructure and other initiatives to implement in the community



Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation

COMPREHENSIVE COMMUNITY PLAN NEWS

Benefits of Making a Comprehensive Community Plan:

- Allows our members to voice to leadership what their priorities and needs are for the community
- Planning for the present and for the future will secure our Nation's wellbeing and improve the wellbeing of our people
- CCP's identify challenging areas such as housing shortages, which will help to identify our needs when applying for federal funding
- Gives us a chance to reimagine our community and express of vision for Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation

Planning Process:

This 3 phase process will be discussed in greater detail during community engagements and future public announcements.

Phase 1:
Setting a Long-Term Vision for Our Nation

Phase 2:
Creating a Road Map to Achieve Our Vision

Phase 3:
Creating an Implementation Plan

We will conduct multiples series of engagement events and activities for our members during this project!

What will our CCP include?

- Overview and summary of our Nation, culture and history
- Community vision statement and guiding principles for our Nation
- Community goals, objectives and actions for different planning areas
- Implementation plan to ensure we move forward towards our vision





COVID-19 UPDATE

We want to say miigwech to our Members for their diligence in keeping the Community safe. Please inform our Community Health Nurse Maggie Copeland if you have tested positive on a rapid test. Maggie can be reached at 905-516-7300 from 8 am – 8pm.



MASKS OPTIONAL

Our mask mandate has been lifted for our staff, and visitors to our offices and buildings.

VACCINE

Vaccines have been an important to how we have been able to keep our Community safe, and we highly recommend Members to get their boosters.

Weekly rapid testing for non-vaccinated staff members will still be required



SCREENING, AND RENTALS

All MCFN departments will continue with COVID-19 screening prior to entering any building.

MCFN Community Centre Rentals are now open to the public.

MIIGWECH FOR YOUR PATIENCE WITH OUR PROGRAMMING AS WE NAVIGATE THROUGH COVID-19.



LIFELONG LEARNING

Lifelong Learning Department 905-768-7138

Welcome back to the 2022-2023 academic school year. We hope everyone had a fun summer vacation. Lifelong Learning Reminders:

➤ Parents who have not sent back the Information form that was mailed out; please do so ASAP. This information will allow us to send out notices i.e., bus cancellations, early school closures, busses running late.

Please provide the following information:

Student Name:

Student Email:

Parents/Guardian Names:

Parents Email:

Road & Blue Number:

Grade in September:

School Attending:

Phone Number:

Parents phone Number:

Email this info back to our Department of Lifelong Learning to: LLClerk@mncfn.ca call 905-768-7138 or drop it off at the Lifelong Learning Office located at 2789 Mississauga Road, Building # 3 downstairs.

➤ 2022 Graduation applications are now available online and at the office.

➤ High School Credit Allowance/Incentive forms are also available online and at the office. Re-named Maxwell King High School Incentive Program Application Form.

➤ We have school supplies for high school and elementary students. Please stop by our office for pick up.

From the Post-Secondary desk in Lifelong Learning...

Been thinking about your future, not sure Post- Secondary is really your thing? Post- Secondary has trade options, too. The best part is that some of these start in high school, so you can make sure a trade is a fit before you invest your post- secondary funding in it.

Still in high school? Check out OYAP, Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program. Check out SHSM, the Specialist High School Major, as well. Both will give you a taste of the trades, both can provide pathways into trades, both are good preparation. Even better, if you do a Specialist High School Major and go to Post-Secondary in the same stream, you could be in for more than just a well-fitting career.

For instance, Confederation College has created the Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM) Award and made it available to students entering directly from high school and who have a SHSM designation on their Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD) it can come with an award of up to \$500 (payable in 1st year). Niagara College offers a bursary of \$1,000.00 for qualifying SHSM.

Not every College may have your chosen trade, not every high school offers the OYAP/SHSM in your area of interest, or do they? You should look, check them out; try the idea on for size. These could lead to your future life goals!



SCHOOL SUPPLIES PICKUP

This is a reminder for all high school and post secondary students; we have plenty of school supplies at the Lifelong Learning office. Parents and students who have already picked up supplies we still have enough for you to come back and get more.

A reminder to students to also submit report cards and graduation diplomas. Please drop by the office so we can provide you with your incentive awards for all your hard work.

MCFN COUNCIL MEETINGS

RE-OPENED TO THE PUBLIC!



● **AS OF
JUNE 7TH,
2022**

Meetings are Tuesday's, beginning at 10:00 am. The meeting will close at noon for lunch, and resume at 1:00 pm.

● **Members are
welcome to
attend all
public sessions**

COVID-19 screening must be completed before entering the building.

COMMUNITY WELLNESS 2022-2023

MCFN Council has approved \$2500.00 for the 2022-2023 Community Wellness distribution.



The 2022-2023 Community Wellness applications will be available starting March 28, 2022. Applications will be available via the mncfn.ca website, email, mail or in person pick up.

Application Forms and 2 Pieces of Identification (see below)

- Will be accepted starting March 28, 2022 via mail, email or drop off at the Lands, Membership & Research office at 6 First Line.
- **Members must use the new 2022-2023 application form for \$2500. Applications will not be accepted if other forms are used.**
- Direct deposit (CANADIAN ACCOUNTS ONLY) is the preferred method of payment, your name must appear on your void cheque or direct deposit form **NO EXCEPTIONS**. If your name is **NOT** on your void cheque or direct deposit form, a cheque will be mailed to you. Not applicable if there are no changes to your banking information.
- If you have requested a cheque, it will be mailed to you. Please ensure your address is up to date and complete.
- You do not need to submit a quote, receipt or estimate this year only!
- **ALL PAYMENTS WILL START APRIL 7, 2022 OR AFTER.**

Acceptable Valid ID (MUST PROVIDE A COPY OF THE FRONT & BACK OF ID)

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Birth certificate • Status card • Health card • Driver's license 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employee ID, with digitized photo • Student ID, with digitized photo • Firearms license • Passport or Nexus card
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Phone: 1-905-768-0100

Email: cw@mncfn.ca

Mailing address: LMR/Community Wellness
2789 Mississauga Rd
Hagersville, ON
N0A 1H0

MISSISSAUGAS OF THE CREDIT FIRST NATION

COMMUNITY WELLNESS EXPENSE CLAIM FORM-CHILDREN (Newborn-17 Years) 2022-2023

Mailing Address: LMR/Community Wellness 2789 Mississauga Rd., R.R. #6 Hagersville, ON N0A 1H0

Email: cw@mncfn.ca

CHILD'S FULL NAME (as it appears on Status Card):	CHILD'S REGISTRY NUMBER (10 Digit):
NAME OF LEGAL PARENT/GUARDIAN: (proof of legal custody)	LEGAL PARENT/GUARDIAN'S REGISTRY NUMBER:
COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS:	CHILD'S BIRTHDATE (YYYY-MM-DD):
PARENT/GUARDIAN EMAIL ADDRESS (Required for Direct Deposit):	TELEPHONE NUMBER (including area code):
<p>PLEASE INDICATE THE FOLLOWING:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Cheque Mail Out</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Direct Deposit (Canada Only)*</p> <p>*Include a void cheque or direct deposit form*</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> On File <input type="checkbox"/> New Account</p>	<p>All applications must include front and back photocopies of 1 piece of minor ID and 1 piece of parent/guardian photo ID.</p>

X Parent/Guardian Signature Date:	Total Receipts:
	Amount: \$ 2,500.00

-----Do not write below this line. For Office Use Only-----

Documents provided for identity of child and parent/guardian:

Department's Initials _____

☐ Status Card ☐ Confirmation of Status ☐ Proof of Legal Custody ☐ D.L. ☐ H.C. ☐ B.C. ☐ Other I.D. ()

Amount Claimed:	Remaining Balance:

Account Number:	64300
Dept. Number:	100030
Cheque Number:	
Cheque Date:	

Department Signature: _____

Date Received _____

MISSISSAUGAS OF THE CREDIT FIRST NATION

COMMUNITY WELLNESS EXPENSE CLAIM FORM-ADULT 2022-2023

Mailing Address: LMR/Community Wellness 2789 Mississauga Rd., R.R. #6 Hagersville, ON N0A 1H0

Email: cw@mncfn.ca

FULL NAME (as it appears on your Status Card):	REGISTRY NUMBER (10 DIGIT):
FULL MAILING ADDRESS (including Postal/Zip Code):	BIRTHDATE (YYYY-MM-DD):
EMAIL ADDRESS (required if getting Direct Deposit):	TELEPHONE NUMBER (including area code):
<p>PLEASE INDICATE THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Cheque Mail Out</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Direct Deposit (Canada only)*</p> <p>*Include a void cheque or direct deposit form*</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> On File <input type="checkbox"/> New Account</p>	<p>All applications must include front and back photocopies of 2 pieces of ID, 1 being photo ID. Please ensure that all information on each ID is clearly visible.</p>

I hereby authorize the use of my address/email for various MCFN initiatives (such as. Voter's List, MCFN Community Trust, Eagle Press Newsletter, Governance Community Engagement, Internal Department's use). Under no circumstances will MCFN share your personal information with outside agencies.

(BAND MEMBERS PLEASE INITIAL HERE)

X Signature _____ Date: _____	Total Receipts:
	Amount: \$ 2,500.00

-----Do not write below this line. For Office Use Only-----

Documents provided for identity:

Department's Initials _____

☐ Status Card ☐ Confirmation of Status ☐ D.L. ☐ H.C. ☐ B.C. ☐ Other ID (_____)

Amount Claimed:	Remaining Balance:

Account Number:	64300
Dept. Number:	100030
Cheque Number:	
Cheque Date:	

Department Signature: _____

Date Received _____



LANDS, MEMBERSHIP AND RESEARCH
DEPARTMENT

Lands, Membership & Research Department

Office Hours

Monday to Friday 8:30am to 4:30pm

Closed daily for lunch from 12noon to 1:00pm

Certificate of Indian Status (CIS) Cards - Only issued Thursdays and Fridays by appointment only. Please call to book an appointment.

Contact information:

Phone number: 905-768-0100

Fax Number: 905-768-7311

Mailing address:

MCFN Lands, Membership & Research

2789 Mississauga Rd.

Hagersville, ON

N0A 1H0

Physical address:

6 First Line

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LANDS, MEMBERSHIP & RESEARCH DEPARTMENT



CERTIFICATE OF INDIAN STATUS CARDS (CIS)

- Status cards are issued by appointment only, every Thursday and Friday.
- We will issue status cards to members of other First Nations for an additional fee and with permission from their First Nation.
- Adults 16 years and older must provide 2 pieces of ID with one being a photo ID.
- Minors 15 years old and younger must have 1 piece of their own ID and 1 piece of parent/guardian photo ID.
- **NOTE**: Expired ID will not be accepted, with the exception of expired status cards on the condition the expiry date is no more than 6 months. We **DO NOT** accept photocopies of ID.
- **Acceptable ID**: birth certificate, health card, drivers licence, provincial photo ID card, Employee ID (with digitized photo), Student ID (with digitized photo), status card (cannot be expired for more than 6 months), firearms licence, Passport/Nexus card (counts as two pieces of ID)

CERTIFICATE OF INDIAN STATUS (CIS) vs SECURE CERTIFICATE OF INDIAN STATUS CARDS (SCIS)

- CIS cards are only issued by the First Nation (Beige with red strip)
- SCIS cards are only issued by Indigenous Services Canada (hard plastic, white card)

Must follow COVID protocols:

If you have any questions or to book an appointment please call the Lands, Membership & Research Department at 905-768-0100.

Employment Opportunities

Visit mncfn.ca/job-board for more information and up-to-date job postings with MCFN and other organizations!

Supervisor – Maawdoo Maajaamin Child Care

Closing Date: September 15 at 12 p.m.

Resorative Justice Worker

Closing Date: September 15 at 12 p.m.

Land Claims Coordinator

Closing Date: September 15 at 12 p.m.

Facilitator (RECE) EarlyON Child and Family Program

Closing Date: September 15 at 12 p.m.

Executive Director of Finance

Closing Date: September 15 at 12 p.m.

Contract Elementary Teacher Lloyd S. King

Closing Date: September 8 at 12 p.m.

Full Time Elementary Teacher Lloyd S. King

Closing Date: September 8 at 12 p.m.

Family Support Worker (6 month contract)

Closing Date: September 8 at 12 p.m.

Community Wellness Worker

Closing Date: September 8 at 12 p.m.

Casual Supply Teacher

Closing Date: Open Call

Supply Cook

Closing Date: Open until filled

Casual Receptionist – Updated October 2021

Closing Date: Open Call

Casual Custodian

Closing date: Open until filled

Public Works – Casual Worker

Closing Date: Open Call

After School Program Assistant

Closing Date: Open Call for Resumes

Casual Registered Early Childhood Educator – Afterschool Program

Closing Date: Open Call



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Principal Investigator Dr. Bernice Downey, Indigenous Health Lead,
Faculty of Health Sciences -McMaster University

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UPDATE: Initial activities completed with adjustments for Covid guidelines and staff changes. Entering next stage of analysis, training for healthcare practitioners and knowledge sharing.





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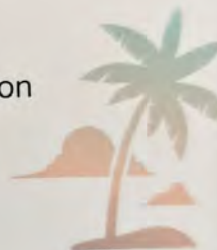
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