

**MISSISSAUGAS OF THE CREDIT FIRST NATION
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
PUBLIC MINUTES**

Tuesday, April 28, 2026

Start 9:05 am

Finish 1:55 pm

Chief Councillor

Margaret Sault

Councillor

Larry Sault

Councillor

Leslie Maracle out on council business

Councillor

Fawn Sault

Councillor

Ashley Sault- holiday

Councillor

Jesse Herkimer

Councillor

Erma Ferrell

Councillor -Chair

Jai King-Green

Senior Director of Operations A/CAO

Veronica King-Jamieson

Recorder

Marlene Morton

Chief Financial Officer

Tabitha King

Guest

Jocelyn Evans MI, D.LLL-Patti Barber

Members

Veronica Tobicoe, Caitlin LaForme

AGENDA ITEM NO. 1 – OPEN MEETING

Chair Councillor Jai King-Green opened the meeting at 9:05am

Veronica Tobacco and Caitlin LaForme came into the meeting at 9:05 a.m.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 2 – REVIEW & ACCEPT AGENDA & DECLARE ANY

CONFLICT OF INTEREST

The Council approved the agenda with changes.

MOTION NO. 1

MOVED BY FAWN SAULT

SECOND BY CHIEF M. SAULT

That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council accepts the agenda as of April 28, 2026, with these changes:

Remove items # 5, 6, 7

Add #7 a- Verbal report from Councillor Erma

Move into camera after item #7 a

Add item # 7 b in camera- June 8th Strategy Session

Add Special Council Meeting items if time permits

Carried

Second Reading Waived

Jocelyn Evans a member of the Moccasin Identifier Board of Directors joined the meeting at 9:10 a.m.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 3 – INSTALLATION OF CATHERINE SUTTON/NAHNEEBAHWEQUA
COMMEMORATIVE ARTWORK(SR)**

Jocelyn Evans, a member of the Moccasin Identifier, presented to the Council the installation of the Catherine Sutton/Nahneebahwequa artwork. The artwork was created by David General and funded by Greenbelt. The artwork is of a prominent scale. The board was asking for permission to install it by the front right side of the MCFN Council House.

The Council agreed that it was a beautiful piece of artwork and agreed to have it installed by the Council House.

Jocelyn Evans Member of the Moccasin Identifier Board of Directors, invited the Council and asked if there was anyone else to suggest for the reveling on Wednesday May 21, 2026, from 11:00-1:00pm outside the Council House.

Caitlin Laforme stated that she could give her a list of names. Chief Margaret Sault asked if they could invite Donald Smith, Terence Hill, Amber, and the community. Jocelyn asked if it is okay to have some news reporters as well. Council agreed.

MOTION NO. 2

MOVED BY CHIEF M. SAULT

SECOND BY FAWN SAULT

That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council approves the location of the final installation, confirms council's availability and participation, and guest list. The unveiling will be on Wednesday May 20, 2026, from 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. outside the MCFN Council House.

Jocelyn Evans Member of the Moccasin Identifier left the meeting at 9:25 a.m.

Caitlin Laforme left the meeting at 9:25 a.m.

Director of Lifelong Learning Patti Barber joined the meeting at 9:25 a.m.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 5 – POST SECONDARY FUNDING

AGENDA ITEM NO. 6- – MCFN COMMUNITY TRUST-GRADUATION AWARDS PROGRAM-

Agenda items numbers 5,6 were taken off the table, and the Council asked the A/CAO Veronica King-Jamieson to have the Director of Lifelong Learning, Patti Barber to bring these items to the EMT (Executive Managers Team) and receive proper back up particularly from the CFO Tabitha King.

DIRECTIONS 1

That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council directs the A/CAO Veronica King-Jamieson to have the Director of Lifelong Learning Patti Barber to take these three agenda items back to the EMT (Executive Management Team) for further instruction and specific information.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 7 – STORIES WOVEN IN THE MURAL: DIGITAL TEACHINGS OF THE MCFN

The Council spoke on the agenda item 7, Stories Woven in the Mural Digital Teachings of the MCFN. Councillor Fawn Sault asked the Director of Lifelong Learning Patti Barber before submitting the funding application, “Did you have a plan in place of who would oversee this project.” Director of Lifelong Learning Patti Barber replied that they had put a small plan together looking at the school, asking Caitlin Laforme from the Culture Department for a meeting a few times.

Director of Lifelong Learning Patti Barber stated that they would like community members to oversee this project.

Council Jai King-Green asked if they had taken this to EMT before applying for the funding. Director of Lifelong Learning Patti Barber stated that she assumed these items are to go to the Council table for approval and that they would have already been at the EMT table.

Director of Lifelong Learning Patti Barber stated that there was a letter of support written to her by the previous Chief Claire Sault for the Digital Teaching.

Member Veronica Tobicoe suggested that there are a lot of youth in the community that have taken the Video Camp, and other camps. They do very good work, they should be invited to participate in this project, along with Jordon Jamieson and others. She also stated that we need to bring the community together by getting the next generation involved. Veronica stated that there are other historical events that have taken place that she has pictures of. Youth could work on these as well.

Councillor Erma Ferrell suggested that we accept the funds because they are due in 3 days but wait until all the planning is in order and the CFO Tabitha King has a chance to look at it.

Councillor Fawn Sault agreed that we will accept the funding, but this is the last time that this will come to the council table in this manner.

CFO Tabitha King stated that the EMT Executive Management Team is composing a new process for things coming to the Council table. They will be taking it to OMT (Operations Management Team) to get it finalized. Tabitha also stated that a new Briefing Note template will be given to the OMT and EMT to use.

The Council decided that they would accept the funding at this time and directed the A/CAO Veronica King-Jamieson to let the OMT know that all preapplications must be submitted to the EMT (Executive Management Team) before applying and have a plan in place.

The Council also directed the A/CAO Veronica King-Jamieson to find the letter of support that the former Chief Claire Sault had written for the Stories woven in The Mural-Digital Teachings of the MCFN.

MOTION NO. 3

MOVED BY CHIEF M. SAULT

SECOND BY ERMA FERRELL

That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council accept of \$250,000.00 (Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars and zero cents) from Digital Museum Canada to move forward with community-led digital storytelling of the Mississaugas of the Credit history, teachings and identity to reach a global scale of persons across the treaty territories, nationally and internationally.

Opposed by Councillor Larry Sault and Councillor Fawn Sault but allowed Second Reading Waived.

Carried

Second Reading Waived

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That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council directs the A/CAO Veronica King-Jamieson to find the letter of support that the former Chief Claire Sault had written for the Stories Woven in The Mural-Digital Teachings of the MCFN.

Member Veronica Tobacco left the meeting at 10:00 am

Director of Lifelong Learning Patti Barber left the meeting at 10:10 a.m.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 7 a) FYI ON THE DOWNIE WENJACK FOUNDATION FUNDING

Councillor Erma Ferrell brought an update to the table it is about the funding application that she just received from the Downie Wenjack Foundation. Councillor Erma Ferrell feels that this would be good to give to the Youth Program. The application was submitted last Thursday. The amount of the application is \$10,000.00 (ten thousand dollars). Councillor Erma Ferrell will bring it back to the table once they have a plan for it and receive the funds.

Councillor Jai King-Green stated that the council needs to do the same process that we are asking the staff to do when receiving funds.

Council moved to In-Camera at 10:10 a.m.