

**MISSISSAUGAS OF THE CREDIT FIRST NATION
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
PUBLIC MINUTES
Tuesday, Aug. 11, 2026**

Start 9:00 am

Finish 3:14 pm

**Chief Councillor-Chair
Councillor-
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Councillor
Recorder**

**Margaret Sault
Larry Sault
Leslie Maracle
Fawn Sault
Ashley Sault
Jesse Herkimer - Vacation
Erma Ferrell
Jai King-Green
Marlene Morton**

Guests:

**Danielle Boissoneau-Principal Investigator for
Grand River First Nation
Rod LeClair- OPP
Megan DeVries, Adam LaForme, Delanie King,
Nadine LaForme, Katherine Brown**

AGENDA ITEM NO. 1 – OPEN MEETING

Chair Chief Margaret Sault opened the meeting at 9:00 a.m.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 2 - REVIEW & ACCEPT AGENDA & DECLARE ANY
CONFLICT OF INTEREST**

The agenda was accepted with no changes are additions.

MOTION NO. 1

MOVED BY FAWN SAULT

SECONDED BY ASHLEY SAULT

That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council accepts the agenda as of August 11, 2026.

Carried

Second Reading Waived

AGENDA ITEM NO 3- OPP MONTHLY REPORT

Constable Rod LeClair of the OPP Division gave the monthly report for the Haldimand OPP Detachment Board.

54 – issues- nothing worthy to report.

3 – Motor collisions- 1 medical

Prosecution Process has been extended. Rob will send the Councillor Coordinator the information to share with Council.

Chief Margaret Sault asked about the reimbursement of fines to the Community. In the past those would be sent to the Band in Ottawa, and then MCFN received reports. Councillor Larry suggested that Councillor Leslie Maracle ask about it at the next OPP board meeting.

MOTION NO. 2

MOVED BY JAI KING-GREEN

SECONDED BY ASHLEY SAULT

That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council accepts the report from Haldimand OPP Detachment Board.

Carried

Second Reading Waived

AGENDA ITEM NO 4 1)-REVIEW MINUTES OF REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING-DATED JULY 28, 2026

Council reviewed the minutes of July 28, 2026, and accepted them with a few changes.

MOTION NO. 3

MOVED BY JAI KING-GREEN

SECONDED BY LARRY SAULT

That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council accepts the Council Minutes dated July 28, 2026, with changes.

Carried

Second Reading Waived

AGENDA ITEM NO 4 2)-REVIEW MINUTES OF REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING-DATED AUGUST 4, 2026

Council reviewed the minutes from August 4, 2026, and accepted with a few changes.

MOTION NO. 3

MOVED BY ASHLEY SAULT SECONDED BY JAI KING-GREEN

That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council accepts the Council Minutes dated August 4, 2026, with changes.

Carried

Second Reading Waived

AGENDA ITEM NO. 5 -CARING TOGETHER UPDATE

The Council Coordinator brought to the table on behalf of the Caring Together Committee an update of how the Caring Together Week will be.

Council Coordinator also brought ideas for the Friday Night August 25, 2026, which is the Chief and Council night. The Council agreed it was a good plan.

Council accepted the update as FYI.

AGENDA ITEM NO 6- E-SCRIBE UPDATE

The Council Coordinator was asked by Council to go and visit the Norfolk County Deputy Clerk and get her viewpoint on using the E-Scribe program. The Deputy Clerk suggested that this would be a very good tool for the Organization to have and use.

The Council would like to continue with getting this program. The Council asked the Council Coordinator to get a Quote from the company and bring it back to the table next meeting August 18, 2026.

DIRECTIONS NO. 1

That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council asked the Council Coordinator to bring back to the table August 18, 2026, the quote for this program.

AGENDA ITEM NO 7- HARVARD BUSINESS SCHOOL LEADERSHIP

The Senior Director of Operations Veronica King-Jameison asked the council to sponsor her to take a course at the Harvard Business School Leadership.

The Council discussed it and came to an agreement that they would not sponsor Veronica for this course and if she wanted to go, she would have to pay for all associated costs, and that she would use her vacation time to take off work.

MOTION NO. 4

MOVED BY JAI KING-GREEN SECONDED BY FAWN SAULT

That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council directs that should the Senior Director of Operations, Veronica King-Jamieson, choose to attend the Harvard Business School Leadership Program, all associated costs, including tuition, travel, accommodations, and any other related expenses, shall be the sole responsibility of the Senior Director of Operations.

Further, any time required to attend the program shall be taken as approved, vacation time, and shall not be considered paid work time by MCFN.

Carried

Second Reading Waived

AGENDA ITEM NO 8- ESTABLISHMENT OF AN MCFN ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP DEPARTMENT

Councillor Ashley Sault brought this item to the table. She asked the council for permission to pursue establishing an MCFN Environment Stewardship Department.

Councillor Ashley stated that there is a DOCA environmental department, but their mandate is very different.

With much discussion the Council decided to support establishing the Environmental Stewardship Department. Two of the Councillors were opposed to the item but did allow Second Read Waived.

The Council asked Councillor Ashley to bring back to the table the job descriptions for the new hires that are needed to run this department and that Councillor Ashley bring back monthly reports on the progress of this department.

MOTION NO. 5

MOVED BY FAWN SAULT SECONDED BY JAI KING-GREEN

That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council approve to:

1. Support the establishment of a phased MCFN Environmental Stewardship Department.
2. Support the creation of the Phase 1 positions of Director of Environment and Environmental Policy/Stewardship Analyst, subject to approved budget.
3. Maintain the existing environmental positions within DOCA and establish clear roles and coordination protocols between DOCA and the new department.
- 4, Approve a preliminary first-year budget of up to \$500,000, with external funding opportunities pursued where eligible. Dollars to come from one of the recommended pots. (See attached options from Finance)
- 5, Direct Administration to review the department's workload, funding, activities, and results following the initial implementation period to determine whether additional staffing or programming is warranted.

Councillor Leslie Maracle and Councillor Larry Sault opposed but passed Second Reading Waive

Carried

Second Reading Waived

DIRECTIONS NO. 2

That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council asked the Council Ashley Sault to bring back to the table the job descriptions and where the money will come from for the establishment of an MCFN Environmental Stewardship Department.

DIRECTIONS NO. 3

That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council asked the Council Ashley Sault to bring back to the table monthly updated reports on the MCFN Environmental Stewardship Department.

Council took 10 min. break at 10:30 a.m.

MOTION NO. 6

MOVED BY ASHLEY SAULT

SECONDED BY JAI KING-GREEN

That the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Regular Council approve to move in-camera.

Carried

Second Reading Waived