



CHIEFS COUNCIL

RESOLUTION of the Matawa Chiefs passed at the 29th Annual Matawa Chiefs Assembly in Ginoogaming First Nation to be effective from and after 1:00pm Eastern Standard time on August 3, 2017

RESOLUTION #05-03-08-17

SUPPORT FOR CREATION OF A MATAWA STUDENT EDUCATION CENTRE

WHEREAS the Matawa Chiefs in Assembly, through **Resolution 13-28-07-16**, have supported the creation of a student education and care centre for Matawa First Nations' students attending high school in Thunder Bay; and

WHEREAS a feasibility study and related business and operational plans have been developed; and

WHEREAS a site for the student care and education centre, the former Grandview Lodge, has been acquired in Thunder Bay; and

WHEREAS Thunder Bay continues to be the preferred location for many Matawa First Nations' students to attend secondary school; and

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Matawa Chiefs in Assembly approve the feasibility study and related business and operational plans which have been developed for the centre, and support the creation of a Matawa First Nations' student education and care centre; and


FINALLY BE IT RESOLVED that the Matawa Education Department continue to work with the City of Thunder Bay and the governments of Canada and Ontario to secure adequate funding for the construction, operations and programming associated with the education and care centre.

MOVED BY: Chief Elizabeth Atlookan, Eabametoong First Nation

SECONDED BY: Chief Cornelius Wabasse, Webequie First Nation

ABSTENTIONS: None

CARRIED Yes



Chief Executive Officer

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