



CHIEFS COUNCIL

RESOLUTION of the Matawa Chiefs passed at the 27th Annual Matawa Chiefs Assembly in Aroland First Nation to be effective from and after 1:00pm Eastern Standard time on July 30, 2015

RESOLUTION #26-30-07-15

OPTIONS TO ENHANCE SUPPORTS FOR BOARDING HOME PROGRAMS

WHEREAS most students from isolated Matawa First Nations attend secondary school in Thunder Bay and reside in boarding homes during the school year; and

WHEREAS secondary school students receive insufficient funding to purchase required school supplies and to pay for after-school school activities in the community; and

WHEREAS secondary school students in Thunder Bay have experienced racism in various forms and situations with different groups;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Matawa Chiefs in Assembly direct the Matawa Education Department to explore alternative options to provide supplementary funding for Matawa students residing with boarding home parents; and

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED that the Matawa Chiefs in Assembly direct the Matawa Education Department to explore alternative options address issues of racism in Thunder Bay that affect Matawa students; and

FINALLY BE IT RESOLVED that the Matawa Chiefs in Assembly direct the Matawa Education Department to present these options to the Matawa Chiefs at their December 2015 Meeting.

MOVED BY: Chief Wayne Moonias, Neskantaga First Nation

SECONDED BY: Chief Johnny Yellowhead, Nibinamik First Nation

ABSTENTIONS:

CARRIED:

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