



CHIEFS COUNCIL

RESOLUTION of the Matawa Chiefs tabled at the 29th Annual Matawa Chiefs Assembly in Ginoogaming First Nation and carried at a Matawa Chiefs meeting at Eagle's Earth Centre in Constance Lake First Nation on September 12 – 14, 2017 to be effective from and after 1:00pm Eastern Standard time on September 14, 2017

RESOLUTION #08-03-08-17

SUPPORT FOR KKETS TO MOVE FORWARD TO ESTABLISH COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS FOR MEMBERS

WHEREAS Kiikenomaga Kikenjigewen Employment and Training Services' (KKETS) mission is to provide culturally appropriate opportunities for education, training, and employment by providing professional advisory, support services, and relevant systems and programs to empower individuals to take initiatives for changes in their own lives; and

WHEREAS Kiikenomaga Kikejigewen Employment & Training Services has the Aboriginal Skills and Advancement Program based in Thunder Bay to assist adult learners in obtaining their Grade 12 Ontario School Secondary Diploma; and

WHEREAS Matawa First Nation members leave their First Nation communities to attend the Aboriginal Skills and Advanced Program in Thunder Bay, which results in many social challenges; and

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED Matawa Chiefs in Assembly support KKETS in moving forward to establish community-based programs to be implemented in each Matawa First Nations communities to prepare members for the full ASAP program.

MOVED BY: Chief Elizabeth Atlookan, Eabametoong First Nation

SECONDED BY: Chief Dorothy Towedo, Aroland First Nation

ABSTENTIONS: None

CARRIED (9) Yes (9) by Education and Training Omnibus Resolution #02-14-09-17 Eagle's Earth Centre, Constance Lake First Nation

Chief Executive Officer

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