



CHIEFS COUNCIL

RESOLUTION of the Matawa Chiefs passed at the 34th Annual General Meeting in Webequie First Nation to be effective from and after 1:00 pm Eastern Standard Time on July 26, 2022.

RESOLUTION #19-28-07-2022

SUPPORT FOR WORK TOWARDS THE DEVELOPMENT OF COMMUNITY-BASED LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES IN MATAWA FIRST NATIONS

WHEREAS the Matawa First Nations Chiefs have consistently recognized the requirement of community-based long-term care services and facilities to support our Elders, and;

WHEREAS the current health care systems and supports in place have left Elders without proper supports and supportive accommodations in their community, and;

WHEREAS the safety, as well as the physical and mental wellbeing of our Elders who have been relocated or placed into long-term care facilities, have been highlighted as a concern by the First Nations Chiefs, and;

WHEREAS There is a strong need and desire from the Matawa First Nations Chiefs for a long-term strategy for which proper continuum of care is provided for the Elderly and others in need with a strategy for both those in the community and those who have relocated, so;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED Matawa First Nations will conduct a feasibility researching the unique requirements of each of the Matawa First Nations with the goal of securing funding for the establishment and operation of community-based long-term care facilities and services, and;

FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED the Matawa First Nations Management will seek to secure funding to facilitate the creation of an advocate position within the health care team that will ensure the safety and security of Matawa members in a care facility, and;

FINALLY, BE IT RESOLVED that Matawa Chiefs-in-Assembly direct lobbying efforts towards the continued expansion of health care for those in need of a continuum of care service both on and off the Matawa First Nations.

MOVED BY: Chief Wayne Moonias, Neskantaga First Nation
SECONDED BY: Councillor Frederic Meeseetawageesic, Eabametoong First Nation (Proxy)

OPPOSITION(S): None
ABSTENTION(S): None
CARRIED: Consensus





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Chief Executive Officer

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