

FINAL RECORD OF CONCLUSION
KAHNAWA'KE LEGISLATIVE COORDINATING COMMISSION
June 7, 2018
Large Conference Room
1:30 pm - 4:00 pm

MEETING TYPE:	KLCC Regular
CHAIRPERSON:	Leslie Skye
NOTETAKER:	Katsistohkwí:io Jacco
ATTENDEES:	Leslie Skye, Kevin Fleischer, Vernon Goodleaf, Ratsénhaienhs Bobby Patton and Ron Skye
REGRETS:	Ietsénhaienhs Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer, Jean Pomainville, Joe Delaronde and Winona Polson-Lahache
ITEM:	DESCRIPTION

1. Administrative – Review/Decision

• **Record of Conclusion 04/05/2018**

The previous ROC from 04/05/2018 was approved by Vernon Goodleaf and seconded by Kevin Fleischer.

• **KLCC Community Representative**

A letter of resignation was received by Dale Dione-Dell on April 24, 2018. On April 26, 2018, the KLCC put out a press release inviting interested community members to apply for the Community Representative position, and two letters of intent were received.

A discussion ensued on the potential candidates. A question was raised on whether or not it was required for KLCC to have a youth representative. Another question that was asked was if MCK employees are permitted to be Community Representatives. In response, KLCC is not required to have a youth representative on the commission, and MCK employees are permitted to sit on KLCC. It was agreed that further discussion should take place on the criteria of the KLCC Community Representative, as it should perhaps be more in line with the criteria of the CDMP Community Representative.

DECISION: KLCC came to consensus and appointed Keisha Goodleaf as the new Community Representative. The signing of the Resolution to appoint a new Community Representative was deferred until Keisha Goodleaf formally accepts the position.

2. Regulations and Repeal Processes

• **Regulations Process - All**

The working group had previously approved the Regulations Policy and the CDMP Regulations Flowchart, which consists of Jean, Kevin, Ronald and Leslie.

The first document that KLCC discussed was the Regulations Policy. It was agreed to keep the multiple submission process in the document, and work out the details for handling multiple submission of laws at a later date. All other proposed changes and previous deletions to the document by the working group were approved.

DECISION: The Regulations Policy document was accepted and approved by KLCC.

The next item that was reviewed and discussed was the CDMP Regulations Flowchart, and minor clerical changes were made.

DECISION: The Regulations Process Flowchart was accepted and approved by KLCC.

The application form that was previously approved by all of KLCC was reviewed once again in order to further condense it and eliminate any unnecessary questions in the form. Some minor clerical changes were made, and the document was accepted.

DECISION: The application form was approved and accepted by KLCC.

• **Repeal Process - All**

The Repeal Process and Flowchart were reviewed.

A question was raised as to who the ultimate authority is when deciding to repeal a Law; the community or Chief and Council. It was suggested that the Repeal Process should mirror the Law-making process. For instance, the community should

be the driving force to repeal a Type I Law, and Chief and Council should have more of the authority for repealing a Type II Law. An example was given that if someone submitted a request to repeal the Membership Law, it should not just be Chief and Council making this decision; it should be the community who decides because it is a Type I Law.

It was suggested that the Coordinator contact Ken Bourque to revise the flowchart. It was suggested that the Repeal Process flowchart address both Type I and II Laws, as they follow different processes and repealing laws should follow the same process based on its "Type".

ACTION: Leslie to contact Ken Bourque to revise the Repeal Process Flowchart.

3. Laws Update – Review/Decision

- **Draft Kahnawà:ke Membership Law – Leslie Skye**

The next Membership Law Hearing is scheduled for Tuesday, June 12, 2018 at Karonhianónhna. Confirmation was recently received to have another Hearing or possibly the Formal Reading of the Law into the Record on June 19, 2018.

MCK Legal Services and the TDC will be presenting new options to the community for Sections 15 and 16 of the Membership Law on "Suspension of Entitlements" and "Revocation of Entitlements". Ample discussion and debate on these sections are anticipated.

- **Proposed Draft Kahnawà:ke Residency Law – Leslie Skye**

There was a focus group with the community held on May 24, 2018.

- **Proposed Draft Kahnawà:ke Cannabis Control Law – Leslie Skye**

The technician on this Law informed that the feedback report is complete. The TDC received over 200 comments during the community feedback period, and the feedback report is 32 pages. The TDC met last week in order to decide how they will address and respond to all of the comments they received.

It was decided by the TDC that there will not be an open community information session until after the MCK Elections.

Federally, the Senate is voting on Bill C-45 tonight, and it is possible that many of the regulatory provisions will be changed, and that may affect the Draft Kahnawà:ke Cannabis Control Law.

- **Draft Kahnawà:ke Tobacco Law – Leslie Skye**

Some members from the TDC met with the Kahnawà:ke Tobacco Association. The technician stated that they informed the KTA that if the appropriate changes to the Law are not going to be made and agreed upon, then the Draft Law will be withdrawn from the CDMP. The KTA agreed to have some of the wording in the Law changed after this meeting. MCK Legal services are currently reviewing the Draft Law.

4. Next Meetings and Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 3:45 pm

Upcoming Meetings:

Kanien'kehá:ka of Kahnawà:ke Law – Second Hearing, Meeting #5

Tuesday, June 12, 2018

Karonhianónhna School Gymnasium 6:00 pm – 8:30 pm

KLCC Monthly Meeting

Thursday, July 5, 2018 **may be rescheduled due to KLCC's availability*

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