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COUNCIL OF COMMISSIONERS SPECIAL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

November 4, 2022 | Meeting held on TEAMS

The meeting on Friday, November 4th, 2022 was attended by the following Commissioners:

Dr. Sarah Pash
Chairperson

Daisy Shecapio
Vice-Chairperson, School
Commissioner, Oujé-Bougoumou

Rebecca Masty-Kawapit
School Commissioner, Whapmagoostui

Sammy Blackned
School Commissioner, Wemindji

Anthony Moses
School Commissioner, Waskaganish

Noreen Moar
School Commissioner, Nemaska

Maïté Saganash
School Commissioner, Waswanipi

Minnie Loon Petawabano
School Commissioner, Mistissini

Adam Enosse
MoCreebec Eeyoud, Observer

**Council Members Absent on
November 4th, 2022:**

Robin Pachanos
School Commissioner, Chisasibi

Jasmine Namagoose
School Commissioner, Eastmain

Adrianna Trapper
Observer, Washaw-Sibi

REQUIRED APPROVALS:

- Post-Secondary Symposium Budget was approved.
- Personnel Plan 2022-2023 was adjusted to change the location for the Coordinator of Post-Secondary Services position from Montreal to Gatineau.

Director General Reporting:

- Cree History Award will be awarded to the top student in Cree Language and Culture amongst Secondary 3 and 4 class.
- Special Education Symposium projects, linguistics, presentations, and planning session update.
- Update on the youth sector attendance and online learning success to reflect and understand student’s skill and areas of improvement.
- Youth Sector Recovery Plan update includes Response to Intervention, Empower to Reading, Individual Education Plans (IEPs) and Attendance Rates.
- CSB recognizes a need to collaborate with the Cree Board of Health and Social Services of James Bay for services such as health care and social services workers.

Governance:

Executive Committee:

- Leadership Training will be provided by Concordia University for managers such as CEAs and MRS department.
- Leadership Training Facilitation will be provided by Management Savvy Inc for managers such as CEAs and MRS department.

GOVERNANCE Committee:

- CSB’s Research Policy was updated and reviewed by the Research Adhoc Committee to reflect current context.
- Dr. Abel Bosum as Cree Negotiator and Caroline Mark as Director General sit on the negotiation team on behalf of the CSB for the Education Act for Cree, Inuit and NaskapiPersons.



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Community Engagement:

The Council of Commissioners discussed how to better support student, teacher, staff, parents and other community members concerning mental health and social issues. Some of the focuses of the discussion were continued collaboration with local school committees, Miyupimaatisiin Committee, Chief and Council, Youth Council to help strengthen youth outreach to promote wellbeing in all aspects of life. There were other topics that were mentioned which included extracurricular activities, RGA feedback, Post-Secondary Student Engagement event update, etc.

For further information on the subjects discussed at this meeting, please contact your local School Commissioner.

The next scheduled council meeting is Dec 6-7, 2022. Please note that all meetings are open to the public, and minutes of past meetings can be accessed through contacting the Office of the Secretary General at

secretarygeneral@cscree.qc.ca.