



Cree School Board
Commission scolaire crie

COUNCIL OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

October 27, 2021 | Meeting via Teams

The meeting on Wednesday, October 27, 2021 was attended by the following commissioners:

Daisy Shecapio

Vice-Chairperson, School Commissioner, Oujé-Bougoumou

Robin Pachanos

School Commissioner, Chisasibi

Sammy Blackned

School Commissioner, Wemindji

Jasmine Namagoose

School Commissioner, Eastmain

Anthony Moses

School Commissioner, Waskaganish

Gertie Jolly

School Commissioner, Nemaska

Minnie Loon Petawabano

School Commissioner, Mistissini

Maïté Saganash

School Commissioner, Waswanipi

Adam Enosse

MoCreebec Eeyoud, Observer

Council Members Absent on October 27th 2021:

Dr. Sarah Pash

Chairperson

Rebecca Masty-Kawapit

School Commissioner, Whapmagoostui

Adrianna Trapper

Washaw-Sibi – Observer

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

The next scheduled council meeting is December 1 & 2, 2021. Please note that all meetings are open to public, and minutes of past meetings can be accessed through contacting the Office of the Secretary General at secretarygeneral@cscree.qc.ca.

REQUIRED APPROVALS:

- The Cree School Board's audited financial statements for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021.
- Budget changes were made for the construction of the second elementary school in Chisasibi, as well as a change order for the roof rehabilitation of the elementary school in Mistissini, and budget transfers to the allocated projects for Whapmagoostui, Chisasibi, Mistissini, and Waskaganish in 2017-2018 and 2018-2019 to financially close the finalized projects.
- The 2018-2019 Cree School Board Annual Report is now accessible at eeyoueducation.ca. Physical copies of the document will be accessible in schools and CSB administration offices as well.

DIRECTOR GENERAL REPORTING:

To update Council on progress, the Director General presented the 2021-2026 Strategic Action Plan. The rollout is to begin in Mistissini in the new year, and other communities to follow.

INFORMATION:

A presentation was given to the Cree School Board about the Eenou-Eeyou Community Foundation requesting a donation to carry out their charitable activities.

DIRECTIVE GIVEN:

A directive was given to the Director General to review the donation request from Eenou-Eeyou Community Foundation and will provide recommendation on the next Council meeting.

GOVERNANCE:

Governance items included: School Committee Elections in Nemaska, Waskaganish, Mistissini, and Wemindji.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT:

Roundtable discussions were held between the Commissioners and the Vice-Chairperson about the needs of their schools in terms of classroom space, office space, specialized classrooms, improved mental health resources in schools, additional school activities, special needs services, disciplined workshops, surveillance cameras on school property, overnight security, access to Elders, and other issues.