

COMMUNITY NOTICE

<u>For Immediate Release</u>: Onerahtohkó:wa/May 13, 2025

CALL OUT FOR ELDERS COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES

The Mohawk Council of Akwesasne would like to appoint three (3) elder's council representatives to represent the community of Akwesasne.

Eligibility:

The Akwesasne Elders Council membership shall consist of representatives, with a goal of equal gender composition, and staggered terms of two to three years. In order to be eligible to represent the Mohawks of Akwesasne, applicants must:

- 1. Be enrolled or have an active application to be a Member of the Mohawk of Akwesasne, according to the Akwesasne Membership Code;
- 2. Be 60 years of age at the time of appointment;
- 3. Reside in one of the three districts of the Akwesasne: Kawehno:ke, Kana:takon, or Tsi Snaihne;
- 4. Must pass a Criminal Reference Check (CPIC) prior to appointment and not be convicted of any criminal charges during the appointment term;

Responsibilities in accordance with the terms of reference:

- 1. Share ideas and issues, recommendations, and/or solutions with MCA;
- 2. Liaise with Grand Chief and Council on an as-needed basis;
- 3. Be committed to being a positive role model and promote a positive lifestyle;
- 4. Be respectful to all;
- 5. Support and work with Akwesasne youth and elder initiatives.

Please be advised that there are additional responsibilities in accordance with the Terms of Reference. Individuals selected will be appointed as an MCA Elders Representative through a Mohawk Council Resolution for a two to three-year term.

Interested individuals are invited to submit their letter of interest and resume to Kuyra Chaussi at <u>kuyra.chaussi@akwesasne.ca</u> or by mail/in person to the Mohawk Government Offices located at 12 Akwesasne St., Akwesasne, QC HOM 1A0 (Admin #1 Building in Kana:takon), positions open until filled. For further information or if you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Mohawk Government offices at (613) 575-2250 ext. 2162.