

NOTICE OF APPROVAL VOTE

DATE: AUGUST 29TH, 2022

TO: THE MEMBERS OF DRIFTPILE CREE NATION

TAKE NOTICE that an Approval Vote of the Voters of DCN pursuant to the Voting Guidelines of the proposed MIHTATAKAW SÎPIY AWASAK WIYASIWÊWIN (the “Voting Guidelines”) will be held on the dates and locations set out below to determine if the Voters of DCN approve the MIHTATAKAW SÎPIY AWASAK WIYASIWÊWIN (the “Act”).

The following Ballot Question will be asked of the Voters of Driftpile Cree Nation by secret ballot:

“As a Voter of Driftpile Cree Nation, do you approve the proposed MIHTATAKAW SÎPIY AWASAK WIYASIWÊWIN?”

The Approval Vote will be held in person at the following locations and dates, immediately after the Final Readings of the Act. Polls will be open from 6pm to 8pm local time:

September 13, 2022 6:00pm to 8:00pm	September 21, 2022 6:00pm to 8:00pm	September 28, 2022 6:00pm to 8:00pm
Prince George, British Columbia Ramada Plaza by Wyndham 444 George St, Prince George	Edmonton, Alberta Edmonton Inn & Conference Centre 11834 Kingsway NW, Edmonton	Driftpile Cree Nation Driftpile Community Hall
Please Note: the official count will take place on September 29, 2022 starting at 9:30am at the Driftpile Cree Nation Community Center.		

Electronic Voting is Available
If you wish to vote electronically please visit the website link below and follow the instructions provided. Electronic voting will open Sept 13, 2022 at 6:00pm and conclude at 8:00pm September 28, 2022.
https://www.onefeather.ca/nations/driftpile

There will not be mail-in ballots.

If at least 50% + 1 of the votes are in favour, the Act will be approved.

Included with this Notice of Approval Vote is a copy of the proposed Act and such other information as DCN Chief and Council determines.

If you require an electronic copy of the Act please contact:
CFS.Communications@dpcn.ca

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that a Voters List is posted with this Notice of Approval Vote. Sections 5.2 and 5.3 of the Voting Guidelines provide:

- 5.2 A Member may apply to the Approval Officer before the Voting Days to have the Voters List revised if such Member believes that:
 - 5.2.1 the name of a Voter has been omitted from the Voters List; or
 - 5.2.2 the name of a Voter is incorrectly set out or should not be included on the Voters List.
- 5.3 A Member of DCN may, before the close of the polls on the Voting Days, apply to the Approval Officer to have their name added to the Voters List if that Member provides:
 - 5.3.1 proof of eligibility to vote by completing the Declaration of Membership and Eligibility to Vote Form substantially in the form of Appendix C. This proof shall include documentation that verifies that the Voter's name is recorded on the Band List, and that the Voter is at least eighteen years old on the date of the Approval Vote and not disqualified from voting at band elections.
 - 5.3.2 Upon receipt and confirmation of the information in the Declaration of Membership and Eligibility to Vote form, the Approval Officer will revise the Voters List.
 - 5.3.3 An application for an amendment to the Voters List or a request for a copy of the Voting Guidelines or forms should be made to the Approval Officer at:

DATED at Victoria, Province of British Columbia this 29th day of August 2022.



Approval Officer

For more information or assistance please contact OneFeather:

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