

Listuguj Mi'gmaq Government Order-In-Council



Chronological no.: 2381	Subject: Mandate of Developing By-Laws	Originated by:
The Council of the Listuguj Mi'gmaq Government		District Gespe'gwa'gi
Date of duly convened meeting	D M Y 1 5 0 8 1 8	Province Gepeg

- WHEREAS** the LMG Council is committed to adopt a comprehensive body of laws governing the licensing and operation of businesses, as well as the residency of members and non-members in Listuguj, its conditions, requirements, effects, duration and other matters relating thereto;
- WHEREAS** the existing *Bylaw No 16* adopted on October 15, 1968 by Resolution No 34-68/69 which applies to non-member individuals trespassing on the reserve or frequenting the reserve for prohibited purposes has been occasionally enforced, but needs to be brought up to date with the community's current conditions and realities;
- WHEREAS** the Council intends to put in place a comprehensive registry of residents and a registry of businesses operating in Listuguj to facilitate its oversight of their activities;
- WHEREAS** the conduct of business by non-members and their temporary or permanent residency in Listuguj should be subject to an open, fair and transparent licensing/permitting process by duly authorized bodies;
- WHEREAS** furthermore, it is in the LMG and its membership's interest that every effort necessary be undertaken to prevent individuals from trespassing or frequenting Listuguj lands for prohibited purposes, or engaging in prohibited businesses in Listuguj;
- WHEREAS** considering the local conditions and realities, the Council considers such laws to be necessary for the benefit, comfort, safety and well-being of its people;

Moved: Calvin Barnaby

Seconded: Chad Gedeon

Abstain:

Opposed

Status: Passed Defeated Tabled

Quorum 7

Councillor Lloyd Alcon

Councillor Chad Gedeon

Councillor Scott Martin

Councillor Wendell Metallic

Chief Darcy Gray

Councillor Calvin Barnaby

Councillor Gordon Isaac Jr.

Councillor Gary Metallic Sr.

Councillor Sheila Swasson

Councillor Dolly Barnaby

Councillor George Martin

Councillor Sky Metallic

Councillor Marsha Vicaire

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THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

- THAT** the Council hereby confirms its will and interest to regulate business licensing, as well as residency, trespassing, eviction, zoning areas (i.e. farm animals in the community) and restricted areas in Listuguj;
- THAT** the Council mandates and authorizes legal counsel, Mtre Nadir André from Bordern Ladner Gervais LLP ("BLG"), to draft the appropriate bylaws and present the said drafts at a subsequent Council meeting;
- THAT** Chief Darcy Gray is hereby authorized to do all things necessary to oversee the completion of BLG's mandate and to ensure the implementation of this Order in Council.