

# Listuguj Mi'gmaq Government Order-In-Council



<b>Chronological no.:</b> 2703	<b>Subject:</b> Listuguj Mi'gmaq Language & Cultural Community Center	<b>Originated by:</b> Erika Marchand
<b>The Council of the</b> Listuguj Mi'gmaq Government		<b>District</b> Gespe'gewa'gi
<b>Date of duly convened meeting</b>	<b>D</b> 1   <b>M</b> 6   <b>Y</b> 0   3   2   2	<b>Province</b> Gepeg

**WHEREAS:** We, the Listuguj Mi'gmaq Government (LMG), strongly believe in our culture, language, tradition, our aboriginal and treaty rights, and most of all, our People;

**WHEREAS:** We stand by our Vision “Getlamite'teg enmina'qeg ugjit wejgwapegsultijig. Ta'n telteapu'mimajulti'gw gennmu'g, ango'tmu''g aq nujo'tmu'g 'ms't gm'tginaq ta'n Teli'sulti'gw, telangita'sulti'gw aq telinnulti'gw – Our vision for generations to come. Living our rights and responsibilities as Listugujewa'q by speaking, thinking and being Mi'gmaq.”;

**WHEREAS:** In 2018, the Listugujewei Land Use Plan was created by the community of Listuguj, and they identified the need for a space dedicated to language, culture, and ceremony;

**WHEREAS:** In 2020, land was allocated for healing, language, and culture by the Chief and Council;

**WHEREAS:** In 2021, Mi'gmaq Language & Culture Revitalization Coordinator/ Proposal Writer identified and secured \$1,150,000 (One Million, and One Hundred and Fifty Thousand) from Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada for the Cultural Spaces in Indigenous Communities Program (CSICP);

**WHEREAS:** LMG must provide a 10% contribution to the project, a total amount of \$150,000 (One Hundred and Fifty Thousand) from OSR must go towards the construction of the Listuguj Mi'gmaq Language & Cultural Center;

**Moved:** Ali Barnaby

**Seconded:** Wendell Metallic

**Abstain:** -

**Opposed:** -

**Status:**  Passed  Defeated  Tabled

**Quorum** 7

Councillor Ali Barnaby	Chief Darcy Gray	Councillor Wendell Metallic
Councillor Annette Barnaby	Councillor Gordon Jr. Isaac	Councillor Kevin Methot
Councillor Brian Jr. Caplin	Councillor Dr. Cathy Martin	Councillor Alexander Morrison
Councillor Chad Gedeon	Councillor George Martin	Councillor Sheila Swasson
	Councillor Sky Metallic	

**Mi'gmaq Nation**

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## **BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED:**

**THAT:** Chief and Council approve the financial contribution agreement between the Listuguj Mi'gmaq Government and the Crown-indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada, of \$1,150,000 (One Million and One Hundred and Fifty Thousand);

**THAT:** As per agreement, LMG agrees to contribute 10% from OSR, a total amount of \$150,000 (One Hundred and Fifty Thousand) to go towards the construction of the Listuguj Mi'gmaq Language & Cultural Center;

**THAT:** Chief and Council mandate Jeff Basque, Interim CEO, Jody Mitchell, Director of Capital and Infrastructure, and Bassem Abdrabou, LMG Project Manager to do all steps necessary to oversee the completion of the project and to sign any documents pertaining to the agreement;