

# Listuguj Mi'gmaq Government Order-In-Council



Chronological no.: 2764	Subject: Additional Investment to Enhance Indigenous Language	Originated by: Chad Gedeon
The Council of the Listuguj Mi'gmaq Government		District Gespe'gewa'gi
Date of duly convened meeting	D 3 0 M 1 1 Y 2 2	Province Gepeg

**WHEREAS:** the Listuguj Mi'gmaq Government (LMG) has identified Language Revitalization as a priority;

**WHEREAS:** Additional funds are available to the Ministry of Culture and Communications (MCC) to enhance the existing Indigenous culture agreements for the year 2023, for actions related to the revitalization of the language;

**WHEREAS:** the communities of Listuguj, Gesgapegiaq and Gespeg have signed a Cultural Development Agreement with MCC, in which MCC will contribute up to a maximum of 75% of eligible expenditures;

**WHEREAS:** the MCC budget allocation could provide an additional \$29,000 for the Mi'gmaq Cultural Development Agreement, for the actions related to language revitalization;

**WHEREAS:** the enhancement for language revitalization actions will bring the total of the three-year agreement to \$229,000;

**WHEREAS:** a minimum contribution of 25% (cash and/or services) must be provided by the beneficiaries and partners of the agreement;

**WHEREAS:** the Agreement Steering Committee, consisting of 2 members from each community, will be able to identify the language revitalization actions that will be supported;

**WHEREAS:** the community of Gesgapegiaq has agreed to act as agent of the agreement, on behalf of the three communities;

**WHEREAS:** a preliminary action plan has been prepared for the initial tabling and will be reworked by the steering committee;

**Moved:** Ali Barnaby

**Seconded:** George Martin

**Abstain:** -

**Opposed:** -

**Status:**  Passed  Defeated  Tabled

**Quorum** 7

 Councillor Ali Barnaby	 Chief Scott Martin	 Councillor Wendell Metallic
 Councillor Annette Barnaby	 Councillor Dr. Cathy Martin	 Councillor Kevin Methot
 Councillor Erwin Peter Mollay	 Councillor George Martin	 Councillor Alexander Morrison
 Councillor Chad Gedeon	 Councillor Sky Metallic	 Councillor Sheila Swasson

**Mi'gmaq Nation**

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**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:**

**THAT:** the LMG accepts the \$29,000 enhancement offer for the Cultural Development Agreement for the three Mi'gmaq communities of Gespe'gewa'gi:

**THAT:** The LMG authorizes the community of Gesgapegiaq to submit the application and enhancement;

**THAT:** the LMG authorizes the community of Gesgapegiaq to sign all documents relating to this Agreement and to administer the funds on behalf of the three communities on the terms and conditions.