



Greetings from the  
**PROVISIONAL COUNCIL**  
of the  
**MÉTIS NATION OF ONTARIO**

Dear MNO Citizens and friends,

On behalf of the Provisional Council of the Métis Nation of Ontario (PCMNO), it is our great privilege to welcome you to the 2023 Métis Nation of Ontario Annual General Assembly (AGA) taking place this week in Ottawa.

This year's AGA is truly a milestone moment for the MNO, as in 2023 we recognize both the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the MNO, the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the historic Powley Decision and the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Métis National Council.

These important anniversaries remind us to reflect on our roots. In 1993, a distinct group of Ontario Métis established the MNO as a Métis-specific government to advance Métis self-determination and self-government, with the aims and objectives set out in the Statement of Prime Purpose. Thirty years later, our citizens and communities continue to serve as the foundation—the very heart and soul—of the MNO. It is because of your resolve and your actions that we have achieved such success on so many levels.

As your elected representatives, we on the PCMNO are aware of the great responsibility we bear in representing your interests and in moving the MNO forward on our journey of self-government.

As we come together this week at our 30<sup>th</sup> AGA we have an opportunity to strengthen relationships between citizens, communities, leadership and staff as we celebrate our achievements and chart a course for the coming year. Our accomplishments are a direct result of a united people working together for a common cause. We encourage you to get involved and make your voice heard.

We thank our citizens, leadership and partners for contributing to the MNO and its communities this year and the past 30 years.

Merci - Thank You - Marsi,

**The Provisional Council of the Métis Nation of Ontario**

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