MÉTIS NATION OF ONTARIO CHARTERED COMMUNITY COUNCIL OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS

Mattawa Métis Council - Update from Electoral Officer

May 28, 2025

Through a council motion, I was appointed Electoral Officer to supervise the Mattawa Métis Council's election scheduled for June 16-18, 2025. I was responsible for conducting, overseeing, and being accountable for all matters concerning the community council's election, ensuring an impartial election process, and taking any steps necessary to provide a fair election consistent with implementing the Mattawa Métis Council Electoral Code.

There are nine (9) positions on the council. Following the close of nominations on May 21, 2025, and consultation with the Chief Electoral Officer on May 27, 2025 (see update below), nine (9) nominations were submitted. Eight (8) nominees were verified as candidates. One (1) nominee was not verified. One (1) position remains vacant. The Council has met quorum, and as there are no contested positions, **there will be no election voting.**

Update: On May 27, 2025, after consultation with the Chief Electoral Officer, it has been determined that one (1) additional nominee who submitted their nomination form for the uncontested Chair position, before the close of nominations directly to the Chief Electoral Officer, should be accepted. The MNO has verified the nominee as eligible, and the candidate has been acclaimed.

As per Article B33.1 of the Mattawa Métis Council Electoral Code, it is my duty to announce the election results and declare the following candidates have been elected by acclamation to a four (4) year term:

Mattawa Métis Council:

President Nelson Montreuil
Chair Roger Rose
Secretary-Treasurer Tammy Larocque
Senator Lionel Tremblay

Women's Representative
Youth Representative
Councillor-at-Large
Councillor-at-Large
VACANT
Jersey Breen
Eddie Doucette
Ron Dupuis

Councillor-at-Large Laurence Robitaille

I want to take this opportunity to congratulate the newly elected Mattawa Métis Council and thank all the nominees who put their names forward. To the council members who previously served, thank you for your time and dedication. Thank you to the Mattawa Métis Council citizens for participating and the MNO as a whole.

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