

## **REGIONAL INDIGENOUS PEOPLES CIRCLE GATHERING**

### **Minutes of the October 21, 2025 Meeting.**

#### **Attendance:**

Chair, Kelsey Churchill – 40027  
Secretary, Rhonda Henry – 40195  
Treasurer, Steven Whiteman – 40195  
Janette Husak – 40195  
Beatrisha Cheechoo – 40195 (voting)  
Jacqeline Maurice – PSAC rep

Regrets: Prudence

Chair, Kelsey called the meeting to order at 6:08.

**Opening Remarks** – Beatrisha welcomed us all to the meeting

**Agenda** – Moved to accept the agenda as revised with the addition of a review of the Terms of Reference.  
Moved – Rhonda Second – Steven **CD**

**Previous Minutes** - Chair, Kelsey presented a review of our last meeting minutes.  
Moved to accept the minutes as presented – Rhonda Second – Steven **CD**

Chair, Kelsey shared the Grandfather Teaching with the group. Today's teaching was on Wisdom.

#### **Reports**

Chair person report – We haven't been able to follow through with our intended activities yet. Currently waiting on a response about funding from the National Indigenous Peoples Circle and the process. Nothing more to Report since our September meeting.

Secretary Report – Nothing to report

Treasurer Report – Balance in our bank account is 873.04

**PRC Rep**, Janette Report – Janette reported she attended the National Indigenous People's circle meeting in October. Among other things, five resolutions were submitted, discussed and reviewed. They also had an introduction into resolution writing; they reviewed the PSAC's statement on Indigenous Rights to amend if necessary. Education – chatted about the Indigenous Women's Leadership Course and the Introduction to Indigenous Peoples report; supporting and promoting PSAC campaigns and outreach. Purchasing the game, the Truth of Reconciliation was considered. Janette will be submitting her report to be included with these minutes

Moved that the reports be accepted as presented – Steven; Second – Beatrisha **CD**

#### **Round Table**

We're just waiting on final comments and approval for our flag. Once received, Kelsey will submit an amendment to the budget to request the purchase of the flag.

Chair, Kelsey was selected to attend the Women's Conference in Toronto in November.

Kelsey was gifted a moosehide which is available for us to use in an activity. She will have it if/when we come up with an activity.

#### **Terms of Reference**

We read and discussed the draft of our Terms of Reference and added our choice of options presented. Our revised draft will be attached to these minutes.

Janette moved we accept and adopt the attached Terms of Reference with the revisions made on October 21, 2025.

Second – Steven – **CD**

Meeting adjourned at 7:06