

PROPOSED RESOLUTION #A
SUBMITTED TO THE 2019 MÉTIS NATION GOVERNING ASSEMBLY
FOR FIRST READING
March 22-24, 2019

Motion Subject: Métis Community seeking interim chartered designation

Primary Offices Affected: MNBC

Submitted by: Region 7 – North East

Submitted to: The Office of the MNGA Clerk

Date Submitted: Pre-February 5, 2019

WHEREAS:

A. Article 56.1 of the MNBC Constitution provides for a Métis Community meeting certain requirements to seek interim chartered designation if they have at least 15 members who are Métis Citizens but less than the 25 which is required for full Chartered Community status;

56.1. If a group of Métis Citizens residing in a city, town, municipality or unincorporated municipal unit in which there is no existing Chartered Community, that group of Citizens may apply to the applicable Regional Governance Council for interim Chartered Community designation (hereinafter referred to as an “Interim Chartered Community” or having “Interim Chartered Community Status” as the case may be) provided the application is signed by at least 15 Members who are Métis Citizens eighteen (18) years of age or older.

B. River of the Peace Métis Society (Hudson’s Hope) is legally registered with the Registrar of Societies, and has more than 15 members who are MNBC Citizens;

C. The Regional Governance Council in Region 7 has approved the application of River of the Peace Métis Society to gain interim chartered community designation;

D. Geographical boundaries for the River of the Peace Métis Society have been defined as that area within the boundaries of the municipality of Hudson’s Hope; and

E. Pursuant to Article 57 of the MNBC Constitution, River of the Peace Métis Society has committed to enter into a Community Governance Charter with MNBC;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

That the Métis Nation British Columbia (MNBC) Métis Nation Governing Assembly accepts the application by the **River of the Peace Métis Society** to enter into the Métis Nation British Columbia as a new Interim Chartered Métis Community.