

## OFFICIAL NOTICE

### SPECIAL MÉTIS NATION GOVERNING ASSEMBLY

**DATE:** January 23, 2026

**TO:** Members of the MNBC Métis Nation Governing Assembly

**FROM:** Office of the MNGA Clerk

**RE:** **Official Notice – Special Métis Nation Governing Assembly, January 26, 2026**

A Special meeting of the Métis Nation Governing Assembly is being called under section 32.1 of the **MNBC Constitution to consider changing the in-person meeting from the Summer 2026 MNGA (June 5-7, 2026) to the Spring 2026 MNGA (February 28-March 1, 2026)**.

The Special MNGA will convene **virtually** on January 26, 2026, at 6:00 PM PT / 7:00 PM MT.

**Community Representatives** are required to register by clicking here: [SMNGA January 2026](#).

Article 3.2 of the *MNGA Act* identifies who may attend on behalf of Communities. Please note there is a specific requirement to notify the Clerk if there is someone other than the President or Vice-President attending on behalf of the community. These notifications can be sent to [kwayask@mnbc.ca](mailto:kwayask@mnbc.ca):

- 3.2 In the event a Community President is unable to attend a Governing Assembly, the Community's Vice-President may represent that Community.
  - a) In the event that neither the President nor the Vice President can attend the MNGA, the Community Board may, by resolution, appoint an elected Board member to attend, provided that they are a MNBC Citizen and over the age of 18.
    - i. The Community shall notify the MNGA Clerk, or designate, as far in advance as possible of the meeting;
    - ii. The Board member serving as an alternate must make a declaration with the MNGA Clerk, or its designate, affirming that they are not in a Conflict of Interest as per Article 2.8 of the MNGA Act.

**Please note:** If this is a Community Representative's first MNGA, they are required to fill out and submit the attached MNGA Oath to [kwayask@mnbc.ca](mailto:kwayask@mnbc.ca), prior to accessing the meeting

**Provincial Governance Council** representatives have observer status at the MNGA and are requested to register through the link above. A meeting link will be sent if it becomes necessary to continue observing the meeting.

A livestream of the MNGA proceedings will be provided on the MNBC website for public observation.

Sincerely,



Nicole Ludwig  
Clerk of the MNGA  
Métis Nation British Columbia