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FROM CHIEF and COUNCIL

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Chief and Council want to ensure the community that we are constantly monitoring the Covid-19 situation and are implementing the following steps to ensure the safety of our community and our members.

Covid-19 Task Team

A Covid-19 Emergency Task Team has been established and is working hard towards creating a community emergency plan. This team works collaboratively with the Chief and Council.

Band Buildings

We are implementing that all band buildings will be shut down and staff will be working from their homes to contain the spreading of the coronavirus. The Jane Mattinas Health Center will remain open with limited staff to carry out the duties it provides. We ask that clients refrain from going to the clinic directly and call before going.

Food and Essentials

The First Nation is taking the necessary steps to ensure that all households will be provided food and the essentials to get through these trying times in the event of an emergency lockdown.

Housing

The First Nation is also waiving 3 months of housing and internet fees to lessen the hardships we may endure.

Membership Off- Reserve

For our membership that don't reside on the First Nation, we are also looking at a strategy that will help in some way or capacity.

We hope that with some of the action plans we are implementing and continue to develop this will help our First Nation get through these unprecedented times.

Chief Allen will provide a live face book address on Wednesday, March 18, 2020 at 10:00 a.m. via the Constance Lake First Nation News face book page.

We will continue to respond to the latest developments and keep you informed.

Stay Aware
Stay Informed
Stay Safe