

NOTICE



General Election Scheduled – March 31, 2023

As per the *Montreal Lake Cree Nation Election Act, 2016*, section 7.1 states:

“The Chief and Council *shall* call for a General Election one hundred and twenty (120) days before the General Election with a Band Council Resolution. Only one General Election shall be called by the Chief and Council within each four-year election cycle.”

Further, as per the *Montreal Lake Cree Nation Election Act, 2016*:

The General Election 2023 shall be held on March 31, 2023, and that the Chief Electoral Officer shall be OneFeather (Lawrence Lewis, CEO & Founder) and the four (4) Deputy Electoral Officers shall be Talia Bird, Helen Burgess, Ron Beatty and Debbie Bird.

Three (3) Nomination Meetings will be held as follows:

- **March 13, 2023**, in Montreal Lake 106 - specific location and start time TBD
- **March 14, 2023**, in Little Red Reserve - specific location and start time TBD
- **March 15, 2023**, in Prince Albert - specific location and start time TBD

Four (4) Regular Polls will be held on March 31, 2023 - specific locations and start time will be posted in a subsequent Notice:

- **Little Red Reserve 106B**
- **Montreal Lake Reserve 106**
- **Prince Albert**
- **Saskatoon**

The Swearing in Ceremony will be held on Saturday, April 1, 2023, at 11:00 am at Montreal Lake Cree Nation 106 – location TBD.

The Appeals Tribunal Members are:

- Leonard Bird;
- Reagan Ballantyne;

- Patsy Naytowhow;
- Daniel Bird;
- Gloria Naytowhow; and
- Samantha Bird (Alternate).

Eligible Electors anticipating seeking elected Office should review the Election Act in detail, and fully understand their responsibilities and required actions to be completed as prescribed in order to be successfully considered a Candidate to be placed on the Ballot. It is the responsibility of the potential Candidate to satisfy all their documentation and submission requirements of the Election Act, along with any other requests to the Chief Electoral Officer.

Additional information will follow in subsequent notices from the Chief Electoral Officer.

If you require any assistance, please contact the Chief Electoral Officer or visit the website – this contact information is provided at the bottom of this Notice.

*Updated and Dated for reference – January 10, 2023
Lawrence Lewis, Electoral Officer*

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