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RESOLUTION NO. 1999-09-05

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Chief Mike Metatawabin Fort Albany First Nation

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Chapleau Cree First Nation

Certified copy of a Resolution passed on September 2, 1999

Missanabie Cree First Nation

Lawrence Martin
Grand Chief

September 2, 1999 Fort Albany, Ontario

ADDRESSING HOUSING SHORTAGE AND SUBSTANDARD UNITS IN FORT ALBANY

WHEREAS Fort Albany First Nation is experiencing a severe shortage of housing; and

WHEREAS many existing single family homes are currently utilized out of necessity as multi-family dwellings, contributing to hardship to parents and children, family breakdown and unhealthy living environments; and

WHEREAS substandard housing leads to higher costs of heating, hydro electricity and related utilities, thus creating further financial hardship to families on inadequate fixed incomes; and

WHEREAS temporary retrofitting of existing homes is not an effective solution for the long term;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Mushkegowuk Chiefs in Assembly support the Fort Albany First Nation in acquiring the means and resources to construct additional and adequate new homes for members of the Fort Albany First Nation.