



# Mushkegowuk Council

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## Mushkegowuk Council 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Mamowihitowin

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Missanabie Cree First Nation

**Carried**

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Alison Linklater, Grand Chief

September 13, 2022  
Moose Factory, ON.

## Resolution No. 2022-09-06

### Omushkegowuk Women's Council

**WHEREAS** we the Omushkegowuk Illiliwuk/Inniniwuk are a strong and united people bonded by language, culture, history, tradition, geography, and lifestyle; and

**WHEREAS** An Omushkegowuk Women's Council could play a significant positive role with the Mushkegowuk Council of Chiefs, Executive Office, and the Omushkegowuk First Nation communities, and could greatly contribute to advancing issues relating to First Nation women and girls, by advocating and helping with recommendations; and

**WHEREAS** the Omushkegowuk Women's Council would provide opportunities to address the women and girls issues with the teachings of our ancestral way of life and by continually engaging with women and girls in our Mushkegowuk Territory; and

**WHEREAS** establishing the Omushkegowuk Women's Council would aim to ensure that women's and family issues, and their priorities and needs, are identified, and addressed, along with their well-being, and sense of identity to both off-

reserve and on-reserve Omushkegowuk Illiliwuk/Inniniwuk, and be inclusive of two-spirited individuals as they self-identify; and

**WHEREAS** the Omushkegowuk Women's Council would implement a Terms of Reference, Mandate, Advisory roles, and other related documents, to be approved by the Council of Chiefs, with Mushkegowuk Council to assist with appropriate administration and help obtaining appropriate funding;

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Chiefs and delegates of this 36<sup>th</sup> Mamowihitowin of the Omushkegowuk strongly supports the development and implementation of a Omushkegowuk Women's Council in our Mushkegowuk Territory with representation from each of the Mushkegowuk First Nations.