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MUSHKEGOWUK COUNCIL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION

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ADOPTED BY CONSENSUS

Certified copy of a Resolution passed on August 8, 1996

Ernie T. Sutherland Interim Chairperson

August 8, 1996 Chapleau, Ontario **RESOLUTION NO. 1996-08-21**

SUBJECT: <u>AFFILIATION OF</u> MISSINAIBI RIVER CREES AT MATTICE

WHEREAS the people of the Missinaibi River Crees at Mattice have been working toward consolidating their First Nation membership and organization, and toward seeking a land base;

WHEREAS the members of the Mushkegowuk Council recognize the importance of assisting fellow members of the Cree Nation in organizing and strengthening their communities;

WHEREAS more information is required and a number of matters require further development before full membership in Mushkegowuk Council can be considered for the Missinaibi River Crees;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Mushkegowuk Council express its support for the efforts of the Missinaibi River Crees to build their First Nation community;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Missinaibi River Crees at Mattice be granted affiliated observer status with the Mushkegowuk Council, and be considered for full membership at the next Assembly.