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## MUSHKEGOWUK COUNCIL 17TH ANNUAL ASSEMBLY

### RESOLUTION NO. 2002-09-04

Attawapiskat  
First Nation

Kashechewan  
First Nation

Fort Albany  
First Nation

Moose Cree  
First Nation

New Post  
First Nation

Chapleau Cree  
First Nation

Missanabie Cree  
First Nation

#### MOVED BY:

Andrew Linklater, Deputy Chief  
Fort Albany First Nation

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Missanabie Cree First Nation

#### ADOPTED BY CONSENSUS

Certified copy of a Resolution  
passed on September 10, 2002

#### HIGH COST OF LIVING AND TRANSPORTATION IN NORTHERN COMMUNITIES


WHEREAS the cost of transportation in the northern communities has continued to escalate at the same time as the cost of living is increasing, and;

WHEREAS people living in the northern communities cannot afford to pay the high cost of airfares to travel out of their communities, and;

WHEREAS the study which looked into the feasibility of Wasaya Air providing service in the Mushkegowuk Territory did not adequately address services such as patient transportation which are provided by the current carrier, and;

WHEREAS there is a need to re-examine how airline services and transportation costs could be improved.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the feasibility be revisited to allow both airlines to address these concerns.

  
Mike Carpenter, A/Grand Chief

September 10, 2002  
Missanabie, Ontario