

# MUSHKEGOWUK COUNCIL

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## Mushkegowuk Council 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Assembly

### Resolution No. 2008-11-10

Attawapiskat  
First Nation

#### Moved by:

Kashechewan  
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Chief Norm Hardisty  
Moose Cree First Nation

Fort Albany  
First Nation

#### Seconded by:

Chief Theresa Hall  
Attawapiskat First Nation

Moose Cree  
First Nation

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First Nation

Chapleau Cree  
First Nation

#### Carried

Missanabie Cree  
First Nation

Certified copy of a resolution  
passed on November 13, 2008

#### Partnership to Document Contamination and Human Health

WHEREAS the abandoned Mid-Canada Line Radar Stations in the Mushkegowuk Region are significant sources of contamination; and

WHEREAS there are widespread concerns among the members of the Mushkegowuk First Nations that their health and well being are being seriously affected by environmental contamination such as mercury and PCBs; and

WHEREAS the Mushkegowuk Environmental Research Centre has confirmed contamination of country foods resulting from the abandoned stations; and

WHEREAS the Mushkegowuk First Nations are interested in the possibilities of Body Mapping to document health issues;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the First Nations of Mushkegowuk Council support a collaborative effort between the Mushkegowuk Environmental Research Centre and Turtle Island Environmental Resources (TIERS) to document contamination and associated human health impacts.



Stan Louffit, Grand Chief

November 13, 2008  
Chapleau, Ontario