



Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe

ELECTION BOARD

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SAFETY PROTOCOLS

In an effort to have an election and referendum during the COVID-19 pandemic, the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe Election Board in consultation with the Tribe's EOC has developed the following protocols to promote the safety of voters, Election Board Members and staff.

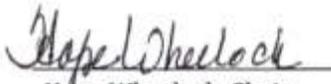
- **In order to minimize direct contact with other people and reduce crowd size during caucus:**
 - No observers shall be allowed. It is being livestreamed via Facebook so Tribal Members can view it.
 - Nominations shall be staggered. Traffic Court Judge at 10:00; Tribal Sub-Chief at 10:30; and Tribal Chief at 11:00.
 - Only nominators, seconders, and nominees for each position shall be allowed in the building during each position's designated time.
 - Social distancing shall be practiced and where it cannot be maintained masks shall be required.
- **In order to minimize direct contact with other people and reduce crowd size during voting, please consider the following:**
 - Contact the Tribal Clerk's Office **prior to Ohiarikho:wa/July 7th at noon** to obtain an Absentee Ballot Application.
 - Contact the Tribal Clerk's Office **prior to Ohiarikho:wa/July 7th at noon** to arrange in-home voting if you are physically unable to vote in-person and reside on the Territory.
 - Early voting. You can vote Tuesday, Ohiarikho:wa/July 7th from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. and again Wednesday, Ohiarikho:wa/July 8th from 6:00 pm until 9:00 p.m. This minimizes the number of individuals you may encounter while voting.
 - During voting Tribal Police Officers will be on site.
 - Cars are not to park under the canopy, but in the parking lot. There will be designated parking for elders.
 - Once voters have parked, they can line up outside of the building. Voters are reminded to maintain a distance of 6 feet between voters.
 - Arrive during off-peak times.
 - Wear a mask.
 - Only eligible voters should enter to vote.

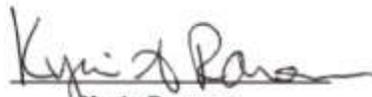
Election Board Members and Staff shall do the following:

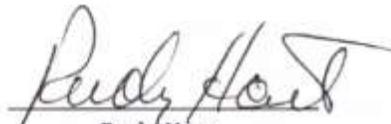
- **Stay home if they have fever, respiratory symptoms, or believe they are sick.**
- **Practice hand hygiene frequently:** wash hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. If soap and water are not available, will use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer.
- **Practice routine cleaning of frequently touched surfaces:** including tables, doorknobs, light switches, handles, desks, toilets, faucets, sinks, etc.
- **Clean and disinfect voting machines/ballot boxes after each vote.**
- **Wear PPE, as appropriate.**
- **Ensure bathrooms are supplied adequately with soap, water, and drying materials so visitors and staff can wash their hands.**
- **Provide an alcohol-based hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol** for use before or after voting or the final step in the voting process.
- **Will place alcohol-based hand sanitizer in visible, frequently used locations such as registration desks and exits.**
- **Incorporate social distancing strategies, as feasible.**
 - Increase distance between voting booths.
 - Limit nonessential visitors.
 - Discourage voters and workers from greeting others with physical contact (e.g., handshakes).

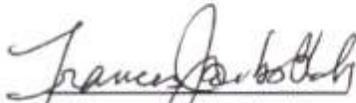
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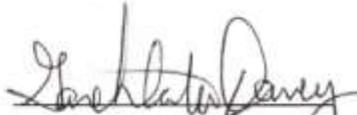
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