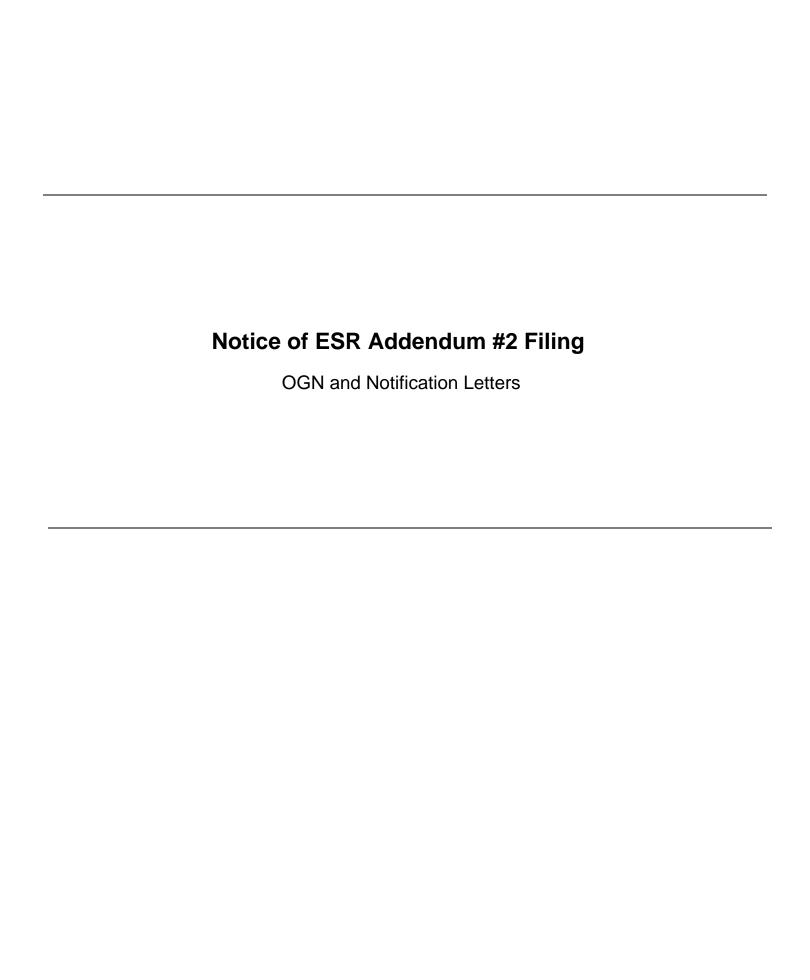
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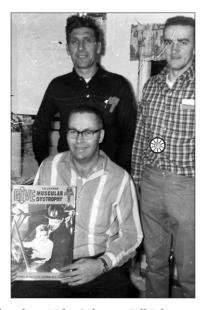
50 Years Ago





Above: Present day Grey Rocks was built and opened by Carl Hertz To the left: Here the restaurant opens - but I have no idea of the name To the right: The Nipigon Fire Department have supported the Muscular Dystrophy charity for over 5 decades - Mike Ochitwa, Bill Johnston and Ray Huntus.

Glena Clearwater - Photos



GREENWICH WIND FARM

WIND TURBINE ICE SAFETY NOTICE

Stay Safe Around **Wind Turbines**

As with any tall structures, please use caution when approaching wind turbines when potential icing conditions exist. Potential icing conditions can occur at any time during the colder months. Caution should be exercised from October to April,

The 43 turbine Greenwich Wind Farm is located west of the Township of Dorion. accessed from highway 11-17, 90 km east of Thunder Bay.

Please stay well back from each turbine in winter months to minimize the potential safety risk due to falling ice

Contact the Greenwich Wind Farm office at 870 Greenwich Lake Road in Dorion, or at 807-857-1776 with any questions



Canyon

Country Co-op

Update Just a very brief update on the Canyon Country Co-op. We are still moving forward raising funds so that we can open April 30. There is a Valentine's Tea coming on February 10, 1-3 PM at the store site. Cost for this event is just \$10 and with that you may be lucky

enough to win one of several door prizes. Some of the prizes are one face cord of cut, split birch firewood, a homemade table runner with matching place mats, a valentine goody basket and a movie night basket. Come out and enjoy a fine time with friends and neighbors. You can purchase tickets (as well as sell them) by calling Bonnie at 887-7117. You can also purchase them online by going to the following link: www.eventbrite.com/e/valen-

We can always use some more volunteers, especially on the Board of Directors. If you think you might be interested, please feel free to come to our regular Board Meeting.

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Hope to see you there. Marvin Broughton

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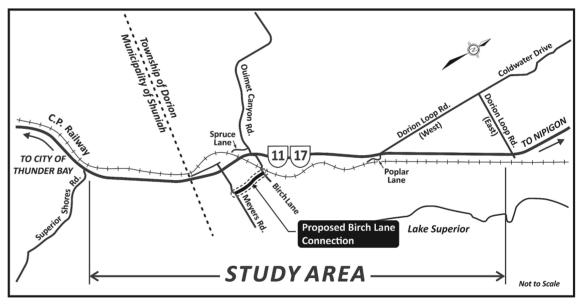
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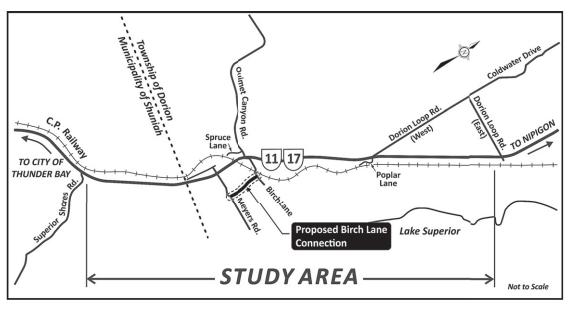
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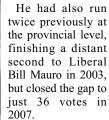
IN BRIEF

Rafferty pulls out

drawn as the NDP candidate in Thunder Bay-Atikokan, citing treatment for a recently diagnosed serious medical condition.

Rafferty, 64, served as the NDP representative in the House of Commons between 2008 and 2015, when he was defeated by

Liberal Don Rusnak.



JOHN RAFFERTY

In a statement released by the provincial NDP,

Rafferty thanked the people of Thunder Bay for their support and understanding.

A new nomination process will take place, with details expected to be released at a later date.

Fraudster arrested

Al-year-old Thunder Bay man with a lengthy history of fraud convictions is facing a number of additional fraud-related charges.

Thunder Bay Police say they have completed an investigation into 11 complaints received since 2016 from individuals who said they hired a handyman and prepaid him for home renovations or items that were never delivered.

Police say more than \$55,000 was paid to Richard William Nestor Belbas by the complainants.

Belbas, who in 2015 was sentenced to five months in jail related to a pair of fraud cases, faces eight counts of fraud over \$5,000, three counts of fraud under \$5,000 and nine counts of breach of probation.

The father-of-three, whose list of convictions for fraud dates to 2001, was released from custody and will appear in court on Feb. 13.

Chief charged

Aprominent First Nations leader in northwestern Ontario is facing criminal charges.

Grassy Narrows First Nation Chief Simon Fobister was arrested twice this month by Treaty Three Police.

Court records show that the 62-year-old man was charged with assault and with breach of an undertaking to abstain from alcohol after an alleged incident on Sunday, Jan. 21 at Grassy Narrows.

He had been charged with impaired driving on Jan. 5.



MONEY COACH

Canada energy under pressure

BY SCOTT HENDERSON

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While we acknowledge that due to
size and liquidity. Enbridge and
Trans-Canada may be easier stocks
sell to lighten up exposure to the
sector based on interest rate or tax
reform fears, we note that other
stocks exposed to these themes have
feared much better.

Specifically, regulated utility
stocks have performed well over the
past two trading sessions (exposed to
oth valuation sensitivity to rates
and U.S. tax reform).

Further, fears about U.S. tax reform hurting pipeline tolls/cash
flow does not seem to be hurting the
performance of U.S. c-corps and
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Time to step in for long-term ori-ented investors. While it is difficult to try to catch the falling knife, we think that the sell-off is overdone and that investors are being present-ed with what will ultimately provide in time to be attractive entry points for Enbridge, Pembina, and Tran-scanada.

sCanada.
All three stocks are trading at roughly 10.5x 2019E ACFFO/DCF, which compares to an average for U.S. peers of roughly 12x (range of roughly 9-15x).

Our thoughts on key sector themes

Interest rates: Historically, the Canadian valuations have moved in an inverse manner to the 10-year Government of Canada (GOC) bond

eiu. Based on current valuations, our linear estimate is that a 100 basis point increase in the 10-year GOC bond yield equates to a roughly 10 per cent valuation multiple compres-

U.S. tax reform: Unfortunately, U.S. tax reform: Unfortunately, there remains a great deal of uncertainty with respect to what scenarios will play out in addition to a lack of disclosure making it difficult to estimate the cash flow impact. We expect this to be a key topic on the Q4 conference calls in roughly a month's time.

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WCSB outlook: We think that the negative sentiment is largely being driven by the optics of wide heavy oil differentials and weak AECO gas prices. For oil, we expect heavy oil differentials to be structurally wide, but narrow from current levels. For gas, we expect AECO basis may also be structurally wide, but point to potential announcements in 2018 that could improve the outlook for Canadian gas including a potential sanctioning of the LNG canada export project in Kitinat, B.C., as well as a possible expansion of export capacity to the east (e.g., Alliance and/or Mainline).

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we do not expect a material impact on our sector.

Specifically, we have received questions on the pipelines and it is our understanding that any tariffs would be incurred by the shippers or buyers (and not by the pipeline com-

panies).

Even if costs were to rise for the pipelines, there should be an ability to pass that along as part of the cost-of-service.

of-service.
Further, it appears that any tariff at WTO levels should be immaterial to shippers (not enough to impact future production).

This article is supplied by Scott Henderson, an investment advisor with RBC Dominion Securities Inc. This article is for information pur-poses only. Please consult with a pro-fessional advisor before taking any action based on information in this article.

Oldest nuke plant in U.S. closing a year earlier

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LACEY TOWNSHIP N.J.—The oldest nuclear power plant in the United States will shut down in October, more than a year cales and schedulin says the Oyster Creek plant in Lacey Township, New Jersey, will close this fall. It had a deadline of Dec. 31, 2015, under an agreement with state authorities.

The company says it is becoming too costly to operate the plant amid low power prices. In a release amouncing the early shutdown, Exelon said the new timetable will help it "better manage resources as fuel and maintenance costs continue to rise amid historically low power prices."

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Bryan Hanson, Exelon's president and chief nuclear officer, said the company will offer jobs to all 500 Oyster Creek workers elsewhere in the company.
"I want to thank the thousands of men and women who helped operate Oyster Creek Generating Station safely for the past half-century, providing generations of New Jersey families and businesses with clean, reliable electricity." he said. "We thank our neighbours for the privilege of allowing us to serve New Jersey for almost 50 years."

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Oyster Creek went online Dec. 1, 1969, the same day as the Nine Mile Point Nuclear Generating Station near Oswego, New York.

But Oyster Creek's original license was granted first, making it the didest of the nation's commercial nuclear reactors that are still operating.

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Spain extradites spam kingpin

MADRID — Spain has extradited to the United States a Russian citizen who is suspected of being one of the world's most notorious spammers.

Pyotr Levashov, a 37-year-old from St. Pe-tersburg, was arrested in April while vaca-tioning with his family in Barcelona. U.S. authorities had asked for him to be de-tained on charges of fraud and unauthorized interception of electronic communications.



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RE: Highway 11/17 Four-Laning from Ouimet to Dorion
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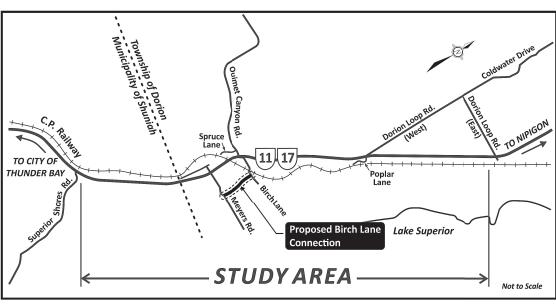
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January 26, 2018

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Preliminary Design, Detail Design and Class Environmental Assessment Study

Notice of Filing: Addendum #2 to the 1997 Environmental Study Report (GWP 135-90-00)

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. A representative from MTO's Property

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Yours truly, WSP

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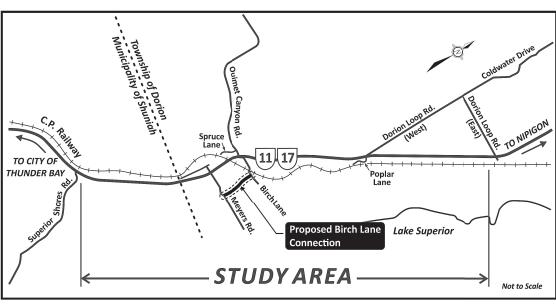
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I am also available to meet with you at your convenience to review the details of the project and discuss any concerns or considerations you may have. Please do not hesitate to contact me at 1-800-465-5034 or (807) 473-2049 if you have any questions or comments, or would like to schedule a meeting.

Sincerely,

Rick Inman Senior Project Manager

cc: Real Bouchard, MTO Steven Wall, MTO Domenica D'Amico, WSP Greg Moore, WSP

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G.W.P. 135-90-00 Highway 11/17 Four-Laning from Ouimet to Dorion

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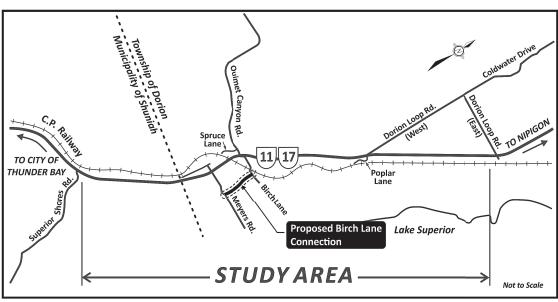
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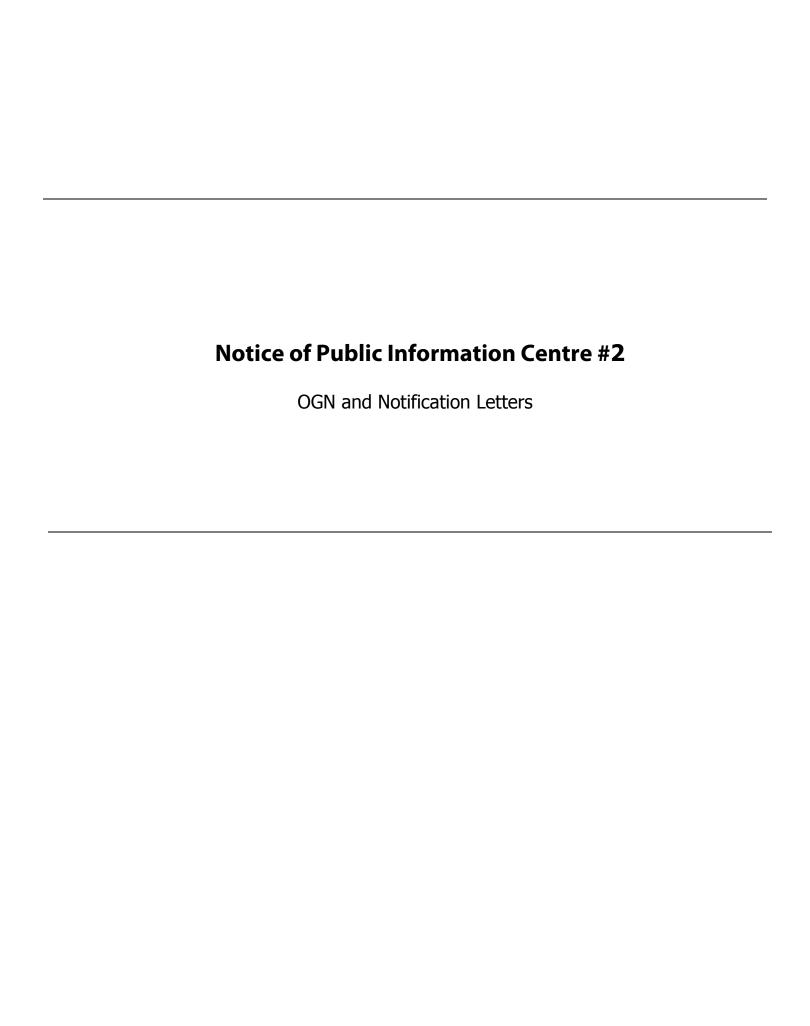
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Local

OPP Wraps Up Festive RIDE Campaign, Charges 587 Impaired Drivers

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An additional 366 drivers were issued a Warn Range Suspension and had their driver's licence suspended for having a blood alcohol concentration between .05 and .08.

By comparison, the OPP charged 623 impaired drivers and issued 407 Warn Range Suspensions during the 2016-2017 Festive RIDE campaign.

The OPP remained highly focused on keeping roads safe over the holidays, reflecting on the 44 lives lost in alcohol/drugrelated collisions on OPP-patrolled roads in 2017. Officers conducted more than 9,830 RIDE events throughout the province, surpassing the 7,343 RIDE events conducted over the previous season's campaign.

Over the holidays, OPP Drug Recognition Evaluators (DRE) assisted with the tools and expertise to test for and detect drug impairment in drivers. Of the 587 drivers charged, 29 were charged with drug impairment.

While the OPP maintained a heightened focus on impaired drivers during the campaign, officers enforce impaired driving laws around the clock, 365 days a year. In 2017, the OPP charged 4,915 drivers with alcohol-impaired charges and 238 drivers with drug-impaired charges and issued 2,995 Warn Range Suspensions.

The OPP is again reminding the public to call 9-1-1 if you suspect that someone is driving while impaired by alcohol or drugs. In doing so, you could be saving lives.

A/Sgt Richard Cunningham

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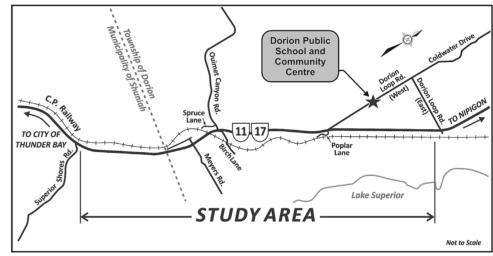
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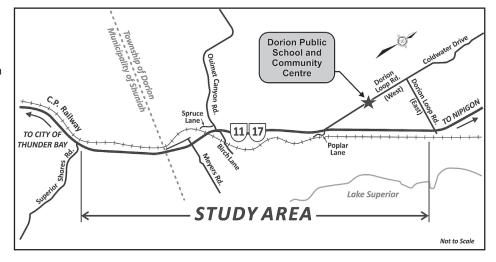
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Ontario

LOCALNEWS



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City's worst crash sites

TRAFIFIC By Gary Rinne – TB Source

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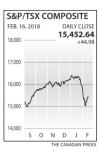
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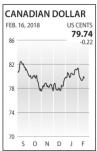
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Thunder Bay Intersections With Highest Collision Rates in 2017

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- Golf Links Road at Harbour Expressway:17
- Memorial Ave at Harbour Expressway: 15
- Arthur Street at James Street S.: 13
- Central Avenue at Memorial Avenue:12
- Central Avenue at Golf Links Rd: 12

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The Toronto Stock Exchange's S&P/TSX composite index was up 44.98 points to 15,452.64, led by the influential energy sector.

South of the border, U.S. stocks finished mostly higher after a seesawing day.

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February 9, 2018

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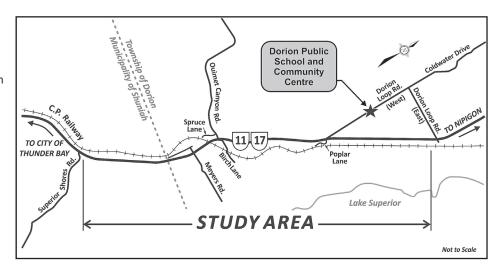
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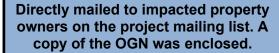
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<<ADDRESS / LEGAL DESCRIPTION>>
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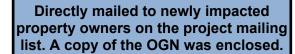
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For additional project details, you may also visit our project website at www.Hwy11-17Four-LaningfromOuimettoDorion.ca.

I am available to meet with you at your convenience to review the details of the project and discuss any concerns or considerations you may have. Please do not hesitate to contact me at 1-800-465-5034 or (807) 473-2049 if you have any questions or comments, or would like to schedule a meeting.

Sincerely,

Rick Inman Senior Project Manager

cc: Real Bouchard, MTO Steven Wall, MTO Domenica D'Amico, WSP Greg Moore, WSP

Attach: Notice of PIC #2

G.W.P. 135-90-00 Highway 11/17 Four-Laning from Ouimet to Dorion

Indigenous Communities and Organizations

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Chief	Xavier	Thompson	Pays Plat First Nation		10 Central Place		Pays Plat	ON	POT 3C0
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Sir/Madam			Métis Nation of Ontario Head Office		500 Old St. Patrick Street	Unit D	Ottawa	ON	K1N 9G4
President	Bryanna	Scott	Thunder Bay Métis Council		226 May Street South		Thunder Bay	ON	P7E 1B4
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Chief	Duncan	Michano Jr.	Ojibways of the Pic River First Nation		78 Pic River Road	P.O. Box 193	Heron Bay	ON	P0T 1R0
Chief	Pat	Tangie	Michipicoten First Nation		P.O. Box 1, Site 8	R.R. #1	Wawa	ON	P0S 1K0
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