**Indigenous Education Council Minutes**

Thursday December 9, 2020

ZOOM Meeting

1:00pm- 3:00pm



Attendees: External Members: Elder Shirley Williams, Chair- Karrie MacMurray, Deanna Jacobs, Andy Dufrane, Trish Schneider, Mary-Anne Hoggarth

Internal Members: Ashley Safar, Sandra Dupret, Elizabeth Stone, Linda Poirier, Rachel Rochon, Christopher Tam

Recorder: Cindy English

Regrets: Sheryl Mattson, Brittney Moffatt, Patti Brinklow

Guests**:** Galen Plett

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| **Agenda Ref.** | **Description** | **Action Items** |
| **1.0**  **2.0** | Acknowledging the Territory / Welcome – Karrie MacMurray  Opening Prayer, Virtual Smudge– Elder Shirley Williams |  |
| **3.0** | Call to Order 1:13pm   * Chair’s Remarks-Karrie MacMurray * Use our IEC influence to best serve education and make it painless for students * Need to be more efficient and effective in our work * Elder’s Remark’s- Shirley Williams * Stay healthy and positive for students * Conflict of Interest Items * No conflicts * New Members * Patti Brinklow will replace Lacey King as ? | IEC-think of ways for IEC to engage positively to help students i.e., survey monkey etc. |
| **4.0** | IEC Meeting Minutes- [September 24, 2020](Minutes%20September%202020.docx)  Motioned to approve by Andy Dufrane  Seconded by Deanna Jacobs  IEC Meeting Agenda –[December 9, 2020](../Agendas/Agenda%20December%209%202020.docx)  Motioned to approve by Andy Dufrane  Seconded by Deanna Jacobs |  |
| **5.0** | ISS/IPD Updates-Questions -Ashley Safar & Liz Stone   * Document was provided in advance of meeting | Reminder to IEC to respond to Liz on Pre-Apprenticeship feedback email request  Liz to send a written update |
| **6.0** | Terms of Reference – ad hoc committee- Karrie MacMurray  * Need to decide if Kawartha Anishinaabe have a seat at the table * Look a TOR to identify whose missing and other changes | Liz to connect with volunteers for the committee.  Volunteers: Liz Stone, Trish Schneider, Galen Plett, Karrie MacMurray |
| **7.0** | Moving Forward- Karrie MacMurray   * Need to give more feedback when requests from the college are put forward to IEC e.g., Library Database * Pass requests along to others in your agency for feedback as well |  |
| **8.0** | External Members Update- Karrie MacMurray   * See above Patti Brinklow replacing Lacey King |  |
| **9.0** | Community Roundtable-All  -Mental Health is a big concern in all communities we need to keep focused on this and continue offering support services  Health & Wellness Metis Nation Ontario- Mental Health -24/7 Help Line  1-877-767-7572  -Linda Poirier VP Academic- last minute request allowed by Karrie but reminded agenda items must be brought forward in advance.  -IPEC (Indigenous Peoples Education Council) Representation request to include Fleming Academic Chair, Indigenous Perspectives as the Academic Representative for Fleming college, this would be in addition to the IEC Chair and Manager of Fleming Indigenous Student Services.  IEC is in support of this representation. | IEC-bring a best practices list on Mental Health supports  IEC- let Fleming know what is and is not working in terms of Mental Health supports that could benefit the college  Endorsement letter needs to come from IEC- VPA office to send letter to Karrie MacMurray for signature and to send along to IPEC. |
| **10.0** | Action Items   1. Ad Hoc- committee meeting - Liz Stone to send request to Trish, Karrie and Galen 2. IPEC Letter- VPA to send to Chair via Cindy English 3. Liz to follow up on request from Scugog on Wastewater 4. Mental Health support ideas/list emailed to Ashley Safar [Ashley.safar@flemingcollege.ca](mailto:Ashley.safar@flemingcollege.ca) |  |
| **11.0** | Closing Prayer – Elder Shirley Williams  Meeting Adjourned at 2:44pm |  |