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Message from Chief Johanna Desmoulin

RE: COVID-19

It has come to our attention that the Corona-virus has become a worldwide concern; according to the World Health Organization it has become a Global Pandemic. With this in mind, we are taking proactive measures to deal with this at community level.

Yesterday our Band General Manager, my-self, program managers, and our frontline workers gathered together to identify concerns, high risk activities/programs, and also to put a communique out to the community members to alleviate "panic." We met in two groups to put a plan in place that is very simple and doable. They are also identifying supplies needed to keep the virus at bay. This plan will be delivered to homes and posted onto our website. Please note that Councilors Chris Bananish, Hannah Desmoulin, Clyde Jacobs, Thurston Kwissiwa and my-self are on site and in the community. We will ensure we do our utmost to keep the community safe.

We would like to thank our membership for your understanding and support. We also ask that you speak clear and concise with your family members and community members to inform them that we, as our community leadership is and with the assistance of our partnerships with NHIB and ISC are dealing with this to the best of our ability.

Sincerely,
Johanna
PMFN Chief