



**Chief and Council
Community Update
September 2016**



Chief and Council Members

- Gordie Bear
- Ralph Caribou
- Shirley Castel
- Verna Colomb
- Richard Dumas
- Darrel Linklater
- Frank Dumas*
- Thelma Nice*
- Chief Arlen Dumas



Building on a solid foundation...

- **Previous third party management hurt our community.**
- **Being a stable and reliable community for the last 8 years have afforded us a dependable reputation allowing us greater opportunity to improve our community and overall lifestyle.**
- **Government of Canada often asks for MCCN Chief and Council input not only on programs directly related to MCCN but for the broader North as our combined wisdom and track record give great comfort.**



What's been accomplished...

- 5 new homes approved by CMHC directly additional 400 thousand in funds available for renovations of existing properties due to good fiscal management
- New development with 25 new homes and appropriate hook ups are on their way as we were able to get a Ministerial Loan guarantee (5.9 million) which has never been done in Manitoba before us and is directly related to Chief an Council advocacy
- Invitation to participate in a further discussion in Thompson for funds for an additional 10 units with new program this meeting and participation is by invite only



What's been accomplished...

- Waste water treatment plant upgrade approved for 8.5 million over 3 years
- Funding for multi-plex soft costs of \$143,000 approved
- Infrastructure Planning and Training (approved amount \$268,000)
- Road Construction (approved amount \$2,000,000)
- Indoor Arena Renovation (approved amount \$750,000)
- Outdoor Arena Lighting (approved amount \$10,000)
- Outdoor Arena (approved amount \$41 5,113)



What's been accomplished...

- Completed request for funding for a multi-unit seniors home and insurance by government funds for this project will come available in the New Year
- Youth Employment Strategy Program (Skills Link) \$116,000 approved
- Family Violence Prevention (Emergency Shelter Top Up) \$77,212.59 approved
- Funds for new elementary school totally accessible for handicapped children feasibility study funds were approved and study has commenced



What's been accomplished...

- Once feasibility study is completed early 2017 full funding submission will be sent for approval
- Funding for athletes participating in North American Indigenous games was provided
- Funding for Summer games was provided
- Funding for Winter Games was provided
- Funding for Graduation was provided
- Bereavement Funding was provided
- Funding for Missinippi Challenge was provided
- Full funding for Christmas celebration was provided



What's does all of this mean...

- Employment opportunities will be realized as all of these projects are based on community members first right on jobs
- Training and development will happen in conjunction of these projects which will build skilled positions
- More housing will mean less stress and pressures on families
- Ability for elders to stay in the community and have appropriate care
- Support for our youth so they can pursue their passions and dreams
- More economic spinoff with 21 million (over the past few years) in new monies flowing through community
- We are on the right track and need to continue the momentum



Attendance...

Chief and or Council Member	Number of meeting attended out of the 13 most recent
Councillor Frank Dumas	0
Councillor Thelma Nice	0
Councillor Shirley Castel	5
Councillor Verna Colomb	7
Councillor Ralph Caribou	9
Councillor Darrel Linklater	11
Councillor Gordie Bear	11
Councillor Richard Dumas	11
Chief Arlen Dumas	11



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