

ACADIA FIRST NATION
10526, HWY 3, YARMOUTH, N.S. B5A 4A8
CHIEF & COUNCIL MEETING
PUBLIC MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 27, 2011
YARMOUTH BAND OFFICE

Chief Deborah Robinson	Councillor Charmaine Stevens
Councillor Darlene Coulton	Councillor Todd Labrador
Councillor Tom Pictou	Councillor Mike Paul
Councillor Ed Benham	Councillor Andrew Francis
Councillor Debra Wentzell	Band Manager Marsha Boudreau

The meeting was called to order at 12 noon.

Todd Labrador opened the meeting with a prayer.

The minutes were reviewed and accepted by council.

REPORTS

Housing – housing report submitted by Jim Pictou. Recommendations submitted were accepted and approved by council.

OLD BUSINESS

Council approved guidelines and direction for the new gaming commission to follow. A vote was taken; all councillors were in favour to move the machines from Medway Entertainment.

NEW BUSINESS

Request came in from a band member to meet with council. The Band member will be contacted to advise a time and date to meet with council.

Two BCR were signed and approved by council.

Council reviewed the 21 applications for the 3 positions on the gaming board. Selected were Jeff Purdy, Shon Myra, & Nick Whynot.

Band members would like to cut wood on Gold Reserves. Al Hudson from CMM will be contacted in regards to a forestry management plan.

IN CAMERA

Chief & Councillors honorariums were discussed. Starting November 1, 2011, Chief & council approved and passed reductions in their honorariums.

5 band member requests were reviewed.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 4:30 pm.