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ONS CHIEF & COUNCIL TO SEEK SOLUTIONS  
TO STRENGTHEN FUTURE OF COMMUNITY

*Plan to Address Concerns Directed by Court; Embraced by Chief*

In a move to seek solutions leading to resolution of concerns being expressed about leadership by some members of the Ojibway Nation of Saugeen, Chief Edward Machimity today announced he fully supports and will fully cooperate with the collaborative approach directed by the federal court.

The move to take steps to bring the parties together to discuss the resolution of matters was directed by Madam Prothonotary Molgat of the federal court with a deadline of July 24, 2019.

"As Chief, I have always been committed to bettering our community to ensure a strong future for ourselves, our children and grandchildren," he said. "Today's direction from the court will allow both parties to discuss possible solutions."

As also directed by the court, the parties must submit, no later than July 24, 2019:

- A jointly-proposed timetable for furthering steps in the proceeding;
- If unresolved, a timetable for any motion to impose an injunction;
- A further case management conference.

"I would encourage our members with concerns to fully engage in this collaborative process, as the best way forward for our community," the Chief added.

*Sent on behalf of Chief Edward Machimity*

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