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STOCKBRIDGE-MUNSEE COMMUNITY REQUEST FOR BIDS SECOND POSTING 50th ANNUAL MOHICAN POWWOW ROYALTY CROWN/SASH, CLOTHING ARTWORK DESIGN, POSTER ARTWORK DESIGN

The Stockbridge-Munsee Community Cultural Affairs Committee (CAC) is seeking Artists to submit an artwork design that will be used in relation to the 50th Annual Mohican POWWOW Poster promotion.

Sealed proposals for the artwork designs requested in the RFP will be received until **March 20, 2026, at 4:00 PM**, Central Daylight Time. Proposals shall be marked "2026 (Item you want to bid on) Design" on the outside of the envelope. Proposals shall be delivered to the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Secretary, N8476 Moh He Con Nuck Road, P.O. Box 70, Bowler, WI 54416.

The Request for Bids have been included on pages: 6,7,10,11

Official RFP/Bids can be viewed on Mohican-nsn.gov towards the bottom of the page under the RFP/Bids tab

Mohican News to Launch 50th Annual Mohican Powwow Series

Beginning with the March 15, 2026 issue, The Mohican News will launch a special article series leading up to the 50th Annual Mohican Powwow. The series will run through the August 1, 2026 issue — the final edition before this milestone celebration. We are seeking to connect with community members who have knowledge of the Powwow dating back as far as possible. As we prepare to honor 50 years of the Mohican Powwow, we hope to explore and share:

- The history of our Powwow
- Who organized the first Powwow
- The history of our Powwow grounds
- Personal stories and memories
- What it means to individuals and families to attend and witness the Powwow. If you have historic photographs, documents, memorabilia, or stories you would be willing to share, we warmly invite you to help us build this commemorative series and celebrate 50 years of the Mohican Powwow.

Please contact our office at 715-793-4389 if you would like to contribute or be interviewed.

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UWGB Intertribal Student Council Round Dance

On Saturday, February 21, the first-ever Round Dance was held in the University Union at the University of Wisconsin–Green Bay. Coordinated by Co-Presidents Darby Rockman and Laila King of the UWGB Intertribal Student Council, the event marked a historic and meaningful moment for Indigenous representation on campus. A Round Dance is a communal gathering centered on unity, healing, and celebration—and through months of dedication, these two young leaders brought that spirit to life for the UWGB community.

Darby Lynne Rockman is the daughter of Dusty Welch (Menominee/Stockbridge) and Dana Rockman (Menominee/Ho Chunk), and the granddaughter of Lynne Welch (Stockbridge), Bert Davids (Stockbridge), Bud Miller (Stockbridge), Calvin Barnes (Menominee), and Leola Rockman (Ho Chunk/Ojibwe) of the Ho-Chunk

Nation. She is an enrolled member of the Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin, with descendance from the Stockbridge-Munsee Band of Mohican Indians, the Ho-Chunk Nation, and the Bad River Band of the Lake Superior Tribe of Chippewa Indians.

Darby grew up on the Stockbridge-Munsee Indian Reservation before moving with her immediate family to Howard, Wisconsin in 2018. Her surname comes from her Ho-Chunk lineage and translates to "Man who prays on a Rock." Her Indian name, Ptukwusoxkweew, means "Full Moon Woman." She is currently in her final semester at UWGB, completing a Bachelor's degree in Political Science with a minor in Global Studies in an accelerated timeframe of two years and eight months. Recently admitted into an intensive Arabic language program for the summer,

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SAVE THE DATE!
50TH ANNUAL MOHICAN POW WOW
AUGUST 7-9 2026

MANY TRAILS CAMPGROUND
N9125 MOHHECONNUCK RD,
BOWLER, WI 54416
(N9125 RESV HWY 21 BOWLER,
WI 54416)

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT CULTURAL AFFAIRS
COMMITTEE: CULTURALAFFAIRS@MOHICAN-NSN.GOV OR AT
(715)793-4270

Mohican Family Center

Grand Opening

MARCH 6, 2026
 N8605 Oak Street Bowler WI 54416

Come tour the new Mohican Family Center
 Enjoy snacks and a chance to win door prizes and
 our new logo items.
 Membership forms, locker agreement and key
 cards will be available .

We will be open from 8am to 7pm
 Festivities start at 11am to 7pm

We have a right to modify or cancel the event at
 anytime

Logo designed by
 Kayla Pecore and
 was picked by our
 community

Express your thoughts and opinions. Let your voice be heard.
 We welcome your letters to the Editor and the Community.

Community Voices

Letters of opinion can be dropped off at Mohican News in the Tribal
 Offices or can be mailed to:

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 PO Box 70
 Bowler, WI 54416
 e-mail: mohican.news@mohican.com

Please type your letters or print clearly and include your signature,
 address, and daytime phone number. Letters must be 500 words or
 less. All letters are subject to editing and may require confirmation.
 Some may be rejected due to inappropriate content as deemed by
 our editorial board. The views of our readers are not necessarily the
 views of the Mohican News, its staff, or the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribe.

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Voices



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Tribal Veterans Service
Officer
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gregg.duffek@mohican-nsn.gov
nsn.gov



715-793-4036

A huge congratulations going out to Treyvon Granquist and Chase Stevens on Bowlers win over Wausaukee 97-57.

Treyvon and Chase scored a combined 76 points for the Panthers. Treyvon scoring 31 and Chase scoring 45.

Congratulations to the boys and good luck the rest of the season!

COLLEGE PREVIEW DAY for
Stockbridge-Munsee Community Senior
and Junior High School Students

Leaving April 1st at 12:00pm - Return April 3rd at 4:30pm
Staying at Edgewater Hotel and Waterpark,
2400 London Rd, Duluth, MN 55812



2101 14th Street | Cloquet, MN 55720
Website: <https://fdltcc.edu/>



The mission of Fond du Lac Tribal and Community College is to provide higher education opportunity for its communities in a welcoming, culturally diverse environment.

Deadline to reserve your space, March 11, 2026

For details contact: Diane Burr 715-793-4353 or diane.burr@mohican-nsn.gov

Stockbridge-Munsee Education and Career Services



GED/HSED at Konkapot NTC

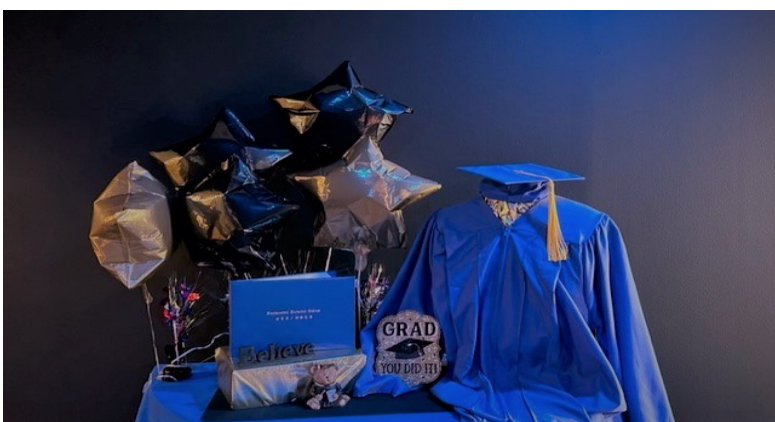
Students that are 18 1/2 years old or whose 9th grade class has graduated are eligible to complete their GED/HSED through the services provided at Northcentral Technical College (NTC). The first step is to attend an orientation session.

- Learn about the GED/HSED options which include:
 - Online and in person
 - Use your high school transcript to meet the HSED competencies
 - Foreign Diploma? Use your diploma and transcripts to help you earn your HSED
- Assess your current skills
- Develop a plan to prepare for and complete the GED/HSED requirements

Call your nearest NTC Campus to register for an orientation session.



Stockbridge-Munsee Education
KONKAPOT RESOURCE CENTER
W12635 County Road A
Bowler, WI 54416
Office 715-793-4353



GET STARTED ON THE PATH TO A BRIGHTER FUTURE TODAY!

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Gresham Scholarship Fund

22nd Annual Banquet
Saturday March 28th, 2026
The Woodland Restaurant
Gresham, Wisconsin

Time: 4:30 P.M. Reception and Raffle Ticket Sales
6:00 P.M. Dinner
Program: Barb (Welk) Mendoza - Gresham HS Graduate - class of 1978

Please check one of the following:

- _____ Banquet Sponsorship - (\$700 total includes \$350 for table of eight and \$350 for sponsorship). Sponsorships received by March 22nd will be listed in the program.
- _____ \$350 Table of eight
- _____ \$80 per Couple
- _____ \$40 Single
- _____ \$30 I would like to sponsor a graduate's Banquet meal.
- _____ I am unable to attend but would like to make a donation of \$_____

Name: _____

Company: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Address (cont.): _____ Telephone: _____

Reservations are on a first come, first served basis.
Seating is limited, order your tickets today!
Reservations received by March 15th will be mailed, those received after that date will be held at the door.
Credit cards will be accepted at the event, for a service fee.

Tickets for the event WILL NOT be available at the door; you must have a paid reservation by March 24th.

Make checks payable to Gresham Scholarship Fund and mail to:

Gresham Scholarship Fund Banquet
P.O. Box 102
Gresham WI, 54128

Any questions - please contact: Bob Klopke (715) 787-3386



On the Trail Home

ATTENTION!

All patients will now be required to pick up, sign, and hand carry their referrals for each appointment. This will be done in the PRC department located off of the Medical Waiting Room in the Clinic.

REMINDER!

- Please stop at the PRC department to ensure eligibility before assuming that a referral will be covered, they can help you.
- Make sure **ALL** appointments are called in to the **Referral Department** 3 days **PRIOR** to the appointment to make sure that there is a referral for you in place.

Please call the PRC department with any question or concerns.
PRC LINE – 715-793-5013

Ronni James – 715-793-5010 PRC Manager

Joan Olson, Referral Department Case Manager – 715-793-4102

Sara Miller, Referral Specialist – 715-793-5077



On behalf of the Stockbridge–Munsee Community, Band of Mohican Indians, the Mohican Nation, we extend our deepest condolences to the family, loved ones, and extended community of Reverend Jesse Louis Jackson, Sr.

Reverend Jackson's life was one of profound service and moral courage. He was a fierce and unwavering advocate for justice for all communities of color, standing alongside those who were marginalized, oppressed, or denied dignity. His voice consistently called the nation to account, reminding us of our shared responsibility to one another.

We especially honor Reverend Jackson's solidarity with Native American Nations, recognizing Indigenous peoples as the original inhabitants of this land and affirming our inherent

rights, sovereignty, and humanity. His willingness to stand with Native communities reflected a deep understanding that justice is indivisible, and that true equity must include the First Peoples of this country.

As Indigenous people, we recognize and honor his lifelong commitment to human rights, self determination, and the moral obligation to uplift those whose voices have too often gone unheard. His legacy will continue to inspire generations to speak truth, build bridges, and work toward a more just and inclusive future.

We offer our prayers and heartfelt sympathies during this time of mourning. May the strength of Reverend Jackson's legacy, his faith, and the countless lives he touched bring comfort to all who grieve his passing. With respect and solidarity, The Stockbridge Munsee Band of Mohican Indians

March is National Nutrition Month

Community Luncheon Taste Test Event

Join us to sample new and fun ways to prepare fruits and vegetables! During this event you will taste various recipes and learn about nutrition tips and tricks!

MARCH 19TH, 2026 12-1PM SMHWC CONFERENCE ROOM

PLEASE RSVP BY MARCH 12TH TO VI AZZOLINA AT 715.793.3018 OR VIOLET.AZZOLINA@MOHICAN.COM. SPONSORED BY THE S-M COMMUNITY HEALTH DEPARTMENT/DIABETES PROGRAM

ATTN: PATIENTS OF STOCKBRIDGE-MUNSEE HEALTH & WELLNESS CENTER

EVERY APPOINTMENT WITH AN OUTSIDE PROVIDER AND ER VISITS NEED TO BE CALLED IN TO THE REFERRAL DEPARTMENT PRIOR TO ALL VISITS, OR TO THE ER LINE TO ENSURE ANY MEDICATIONS WILL BE FILLED AT THE STOCKBRIDGE MUNSEE HEALTH & WELLNESS CENTER.

Referral Department Phone Numbers:

Sara- (715) 793-5077

Joan- (715) 793-4102

ER LINE (715) 793-5025

UWGB From page One:

Darby plans to pursue graduate studies and a career in foreign/global affairs and security within government service.

Laila King comes from the Lakota, Ojibwe, & Oneida peoples. She is double majoring in First Nations studies and Education with goals to teach Oneida Language.

The UWGB Intertribal Student Council is an Indigenous-led student organization at the University of Wisconsin–Green Bay. Its mission is to provide culturally responsive support to members and the broader student body while educating the campus community about Indigenous cultures and issues affecting Indigenous nations. The organization highlights Native excellence through events, hosts weekly meetings open to students, faculty, and community members, and incorporates Indigenous crafts, songs, films, and other cultural teachings into its programming.

The idea for the Round Dance began in the summer of 2025 when Darby Rockman and Laila King were selected as Co-Presidents of the organization. After attending several Round

Dances across Wisconsin, the previous winter, Darby was inspired to create a similar space for unity and cultural celebration at UWGB. Initially met with uncertainty, the two leaders took the initiative to independently evaluate a budget, coordinate logistics, and reach out to potential invitees.

With the guidance of faculty advisor Bailey Tlachac, they continued refining their plans. Darby and Laila organized fundraisers and spent late nights beading and sewing items for giveaways at the event. As planning progressed, they connected with various campus departments for additional financial support. A significant contribution came from Walking Women Healing Institute, led by Kristen Welch, Katie Welch, and Waylon Welch (Stockbridge-Munsee), whose generous donation helped bring the event to fruition.

Through resilience, cultural pride, and community collaboration, Darby Rockman and Laila King successfully established a new tradition at UWGB—one rooted in healing, celebration, and Indigenous excellence. This event brought in over 350 people.



Pictured Left to right: (Bailey Tlachac, Darby Rockman and Laila King
Photo was taken by Matayah Escalante

STOCKBRIDGE-MUNSEE COMMUNITY
REQUEST FOR BID

50th ANNUAL MOHICAN POWWOW
LIL MISS MAHIKANIW ROYALTY CROWN/SASH
BOWLER, WISCONSIN
2nd Posting
February 11, 2026

I. INTRODUCTION

The Stockbridge-Munsee Community Cultural Affairs Committee (CAC) is seeking bids for a royalty crown and sash that will be used in relation to the 50th Annual Mohican POWWOW royalty.

II. SCHEDULE FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for the crown and sash designs requested in the RFB **will be received until March 20th, 2026, at 4:00 PM**, Central Daylight Time. Bids shall be marked "2026 POWWOW Lil Miss Mahiikaniw Royalty Crown and Sash Bid" on the outside of the envelope. Bids shall be delivered to the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Secretary, N8476 Moh He Con Nuck Road, P.O. Box 70, Bowler, WI 54416. Bids may be mailed but must be received by the office by the March 20th, 2026 deadline.

III. PROJECT

A. Description of Project. The CAC intends to give the Crown and Sash to the designated royalty winners as part of their activities for the 50th Annual POWWOW.

B. Project Schedule. The Owner's goal is to have all necessary paperwork, legal agreements signed by March 27th, 2026.

C. Have the completed Crown and Sash delivered by June 30th, 2026.

IV. SCOPE OF SERVICES

A. Artist Objectives.

1. Design and create a completed crown and sash for: Lil Miss Mahiikaniw – 4-8 years old.
2. The crown design must include the royalty title and year 2026.
3. The sash must include the royalty title and year.
4. Completed crown and sash must be delivered to the Cultural Affairs Staff by June 30th, 2026.

V. BID REQUIREMENTS

- A. The artwork design should be submitted with a graphic design of the intended completed work.
- B. A description of the crown and sash that includes material used, final production, such as fully beaded, partially beaded, cloth material, and all other descriptions necessary to appropriately describe the finished product. A drawing or graphic image that shows a likeness of what the Bidder intends the finished articles will resemble must be included.
- C. Price for the work to be completed.
- D. Bids that do not include all the requested information shall be deemed non-responsive and subject to rejection.
- E. Any **questions** concerning this RFB shall be forwarded, in writing, by e-mail, fax or mail, as follows:
Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council Secretary
N8476 Moh He Con Nuck Road
P.O. Box 70
Bowler, WI 54416
Telephone: 715-793-4387 Fax: 715-793-1307
- F. Any responses issued will be provided to all bidders who have submitted a notice of intent to bid.

VI. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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STOCKBRIDGE-MUNSEE COMMUNITY
REQUEST FOR BID

50th ANNUAL MOHICAN POWWOW
MehMaskaniiteeheet ROYALTY CROWN/SASH
BOWLER, WISCONSIN
2nd Posting
February 11, 2026

I. INTRODUCTION

The Stockbridge-Munsee Community Cultural Affairs Committee (CAC) is seeking royalty Medallion and sash that will be used in relation to the 50th Annual Mohican POWWOW royalty.

II. SCHEDULE FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for the artwork designs requested in the RFB **will be received until March 20th 2026, at 4:00 PM**, Central Daylight Time. Bids shall be marked "2026 POWWOW MehMaskaniiteeheet Royalty Medallion and Sash Bid" on the outside of the envelope. Bids shall be delivered to the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Secretary, N8476 Moh He Con Nuck Road, P.O. Box 70, Bowler, WI 54416. Bids may be mailed but must be received by the office by the March 20th, 2026 deadline.

III. PROJECT

A. Description of Project. The CAC intends to give the Medallion and Sash to the designated royalty winner as part of their activities for the 50th Annual POWWOW.

B. Project Schedule. The Owner's goal is to have all necessary paperwork, legal agreements signed by March 27th, 2026.

C. Have the completed Medallion and Sash delivered by June 30th, 2026.

IV. SCOPE OF SERVICES

A. Artist Objectives.

1. Design and create a completed sash and medallion for: (Male) MehMaskaniiteeheet – still in high school 12 - 18 years old.
2. The medallion design must include the royalty title and year 2026.
3. The sash must include the royalty title and year.
4. Completed medallion and sash must be delivered to the Cultural Affairs Staff by June 30th, 2026.

V. BID REQUIREMENTS

- A. The artwork design should be submitted with a graphic design for the intended completed work.
- B. A description of the final product listing the materials that will be used and all other descriptions necessary to appropriately describe the finished product. A drawing or graphic image showing the likeness of what the Bidder intends the finished articles will resemble must be included.
- C. Price for the work to be completed.
- D. Bids that do not include all the requested information shall be deemed non-responsive and subject to rejection.
- E. Any questions concerning this RFB shall be forwarded, in writing, by e-mail, fax or mail, as follows:
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VI. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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STOCKBRIDGE-MUNSEE COMMUNITY
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

50th ANNUAL MOHICAN POWWOW
POSTER ARTWORK DESIGN
BOWLER, WISCONSIN
2nd Posting
February 11, 2026

I. INTRODUCTION

The Stockbridge-Munsee Community Cultural Affairs Committee (CAC) is seeking Artists to submit an artwork design that will be used in relation to the 50th Annual Mohican POWWOW Poster promotion. The theme of the 2026 POWWOW is celebrating 50 years of the POWWOW, highlighting the origin of the annual event.

II. SCHEDULE FOR PROPOSALS

Sealed proposals for the artwork designs requested in the RFP **will be received until March 20th, 2026, at 4:00 PM**, Central Daylight Time. Proposals shall be marked "2026 POWWOW Poster Design" on the outside of the envelope. Proposals shall be delivered to the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Secretary, N8476 Moh He Con Nuck Road, P.O. Box 70, Bowler, WI 54416. The Bids may be mailed but must be received by the office by the March 20th, 2026 deadline.

III. PROJECT

A. Description of Project. The CAC intends to use the artwork design as part of their promotional activities for the 50th Annual POWWOW.

Print and reproduce the artwork design on variety on media forms to be determined. Promotional articles may include posters, postcards, magnets, etc.

The CAC intends to sell promotional items displaying artwork design to promote and recognize the 50th Annual Mohican POWWOW.

The Stockbridge-Munsee Community will retain ownership and copyright of the final artwork design.

B. Project Schedule. The Owner's goal is to have all necessary paperwork, legal agreements signed by March 27th, 2026.

IV. SCOPE OF SERVICES

A. Artist Objectives.

1. Create an artwork design that promotes the 50th Annual Mohican POWWOW, appropriate for printing on promotional items including but not limited to posters, postcards, magnets.

V. PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS

A. The artwork design should be submitted in a print-ready file, such as AI, EPS, TIFF, or PDF.

B. All costs included in the proposal.

C. Proposals that do not include all the requested information shall be deemed non-responsive and subject to rejection.

D. Any questions concerning this RFP shall be forwarded, in writing, by e-mail, fax or mail, as follows:

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E. Any responses issued will be provided to all proposers who have submitted a notice of intent to propose.

VI. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

A. The successful bidder will be required to enter into a written agreement with the Tribe warranting that the final work product is original and unpublished and confirming that the artwork is considered a work for hire for the Stockbridge-Munsee Community, with all rights and interests belonging to the Tribe.

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STOCKBRIDGE-MUNSEE COMMUNITY
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

50th ANNUAL MOHICAN POWWOW
CLOTHING ARTWORK DESIGN
BOWLER, WISCONSIN
2nd Posting

February 11, 2026

I. INTRODUCTION

The Stockbridge-Munsee Community Cultural Affairs Committee (CAC) is seeking Artist to submit an artwork design that will be used in relation to the 50th Annual Mohican POWWOW clothing promotion. The theme of the 2026 POWWOW is celebration of 50 years of the POWWOW, highlighting the origin of the annual event.

II. SCHEDULE FOR PROPOSALS

Sealed proposals for the artwork designs requested in the RFP **will be received until March 20th, 2026, at 4:00 PM**, Central Daylight Time. Proposals shall be marked "2026 POWWOW T-Shirt Design" on the outside of the envelope. Proposals shall be delivered to the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Secretary, N8476 Moh He Con Nuck Road, P.O. Box 70, Bowler, WI 54416. Bids may be mailed but must be received by the office by the March 20th, 2026 deadline.

III. PROJECT

A. Description of Project. The CAC intends to use the artwork design as part of their promotional activities for the 50th Annual POWWOW.

Print the artwork design on variety of clothing articles; to be determined. Promotional articles may include T-shirts, hats, hoodies, and jackets.

The CAC intends to sell articles of clothing with the artwork design to promote and recognize the 50th Annual Mohican POWWOW.

The Stockbridge-Munsee Community will retain ownership and copyright of the final artwork design.

B. Project Schedule. The Owner's goal is to have all necessary paperwork, legal agreements signed by March 27th, 2026.

IV. SCOPE OF SERVICES

A. Artist Objectives.

1. Create an artwork design that promotes and recognizes the 50th Annual Mohican POWWOW, appropriate for screen printing on articles of clothing.

V. PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS

A. The artwork design should be submitted in a format suitable for screen printing, such as AI, EPS, or PDF.

B. The artwork design is limited to three colors.

C. All costs included in the proposal.

D. Proposals that do not include all the requested information shall be deemed non-responsive and subject to rejection.

E. Any questions concerning this RFP shall be forwarded, in writing, by e-mail, fax or mail, as follows:

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Stockbridge-Munsee Community Health Department

BINGOize®



A fun 10-week health promotion program that combines the game of bingo with inclusive exercises for everyone!

EVERY WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY STARTING

APRIL 8TH, 2026
10:30-11:30AM

EUNICE STICK GATHERING PLACE
N8651 MAPLEWOOD ST
BOWLER

Space is limited!

SIGN UP NOW!

Contact Cami Miller at
cami.miller@mohican.com or
715-793-5064 to sign up!



STOCKBRIDGE-MUNSEE COMMUNITY EVENT

EASTER EGG HUNT

The hunt starts at 9:00am!

Meet at the Ella Besaw entrance to register

STOCKBRIDGE MUNSEE HEALTH & WELLNESS CENTER
W12802 CO RD A, BOWLER

THE EVENT WILL TAKE PLACE OUTSIDE, DRESS ACCORDINGLY

Saturday,
March 28th,
2026

Baskets will be provided while
supplies last
All ages are welcome to attend



Contact Vi Azzolina with any questions at
715.793.3018 or email violet.azzolina@mohican.com



CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP MEETING!!!

DATE:

03/10/2026

TIME:

5:00pm-6:00pm

LOCATION:

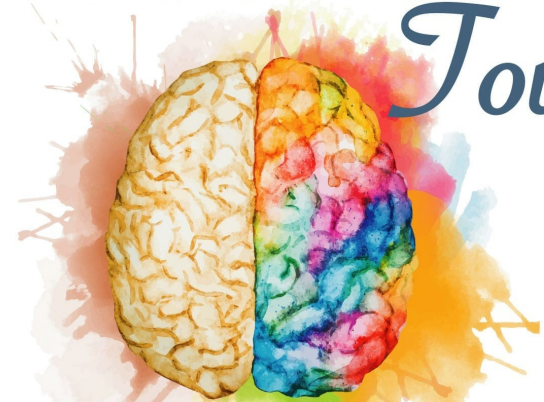
Church of the Wilderness

This meeting is for Caregiver's who are caring for someone who has been diagnosed with some form of Dementia or who has cognitive memory loss. Caregiver's who attend this meeting will be entered into a drawing for a chance to win a door prize!!!

Coffee and snacks will be provided



Virtual Dementia Tour



Experience firsthand what it is like to live with dementia.

March 25th 9:00am-3:00pm at the Konkapot Lodge
This event is open to the Stockbridge-Munsee Community and all Tribal employee's.

Limited 20 minute time slots available so please contact Briana Terrio (Tribal Dementia Care Specialist) at 715-793-3035 for more information and to reserve your time slot.

Those who attend the VDT will be entered in the door prize drawing.



March* 2026 MAKE & TAKE

COCONUT CRUSTED TILAPIA

Participants must have access to internet as the Make & Take will be done virtually, sessions will be pre-recorded and sent out via email prior to pick up. Ingredients must be picked up on Wednesday, March 11th, at the SMHWC from 11:45am -1:15pm. Sign up is February 23-27th. We will be drawing names for the virtual Make & Take. We will contact you on Monday, March 2nd if your name has been chosen.

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MARCH 2026 MAKE & TAKE

COCONUT CRUSTED TILAPIA

Prep Time 10 minutes; Cook Time 15 minutes; Total Time 25 minutes

Ingredients

- 4 (6 ounce) tilapia fillets
- 1 (14 ounce) can of coconut milk
- 1 cup shredded coconut
- 1 teaspoon kosher salt
- 2 teaspoons cumin
- 1 teaspoon paprika
- ½ teaspoon powdered garlic
- ½ teaspoon ground ginger
- ½ teaspoon turmeric
- ¼ teaspoon cayenne



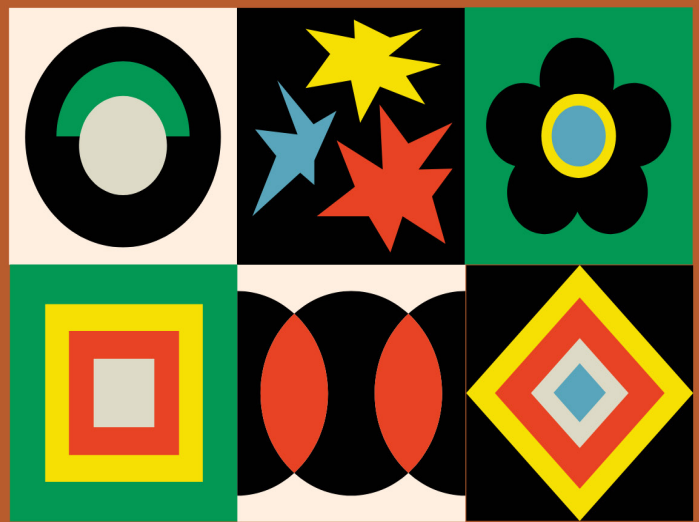
Instructions

1. Preheat the oven to 400 degrees F.
2. Cover the tilapia in the coconut milk and let it marinate in the refrigerator for at least 10 minutes (up to 24 hours).
3. Combine the coconut, cumin, paprika, garlic, ginger, turmeric, and cayenne. Spread coconut mixture across a plate.
4. Remove the tilapia from the refrigerator and sprinkle with that salt. Then coat each side with the coconut mixture.
5. Place fillets on a parchment-lined baking sheet and bake the tilapia for 15 minutes or until the fish is flaky.
6. Serve immediately.



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STOCKBRIDGE-MUNSEE COMMUNITY
REQUEST FOR BID

50th ANNUAL MOHICAN POWWOW
MISS MAHIKANIW ROYALTY CROWN/SASH
BOWLER, WISCONSIN
2nd Posting
February 11, 2026

I. INTRODUCTION

The Stockbridge-Munsee Community Cultural Affairs Committee (CAC) is seeking bids for a royalty crown and sash that will be used in relation to the 50th Annual Mohican POWWOW royalty.

II. SCHEDULE FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for the crown and sash designs requested in the RFB **will be received until March 20th, 2026, at 4:00 PM**, Central Daylight Time. Bids shall be marked "2026 POWWOW Miss Mahiikaniw Royalty Crown and Sash Bid" on the outside of the envelope. Bids shall be delivered to the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Secretary, N8476 Moh He Con Nuck Road, P.O. Box 70, Bowler, WI 54416. Bids may be mailed but must be received by the office by the March 20th, 2026 deadline.

III. PROJECT

A. Description of Project. The CAC intends to give the Crown and Sash to the designated royalty winners as part of their activities for the 50th Annual POWWOW.

B. Project Schedule. The Owner's goal is to have all necessary paperwork, legal agreements signed by March 27th, 2026.

C. Have the completed Crown and Sash delivered by June 30th, 2026.

IV. SCOPE OF SERVICES

A. Artist Objectives.

1. Design and create a completed crown and sash for: Miss Mahiikaniw – still in high school 14 - 18 years old.
2. The crown design must include the royalty title and year 2026.
3. The sash must include the royalty title and year.
4. Completed crown and sash must be delivered to the Cultural Affairs Staff by June 30th, 2026.

V. BID REQUIREMENTS

A. The artwork design should be submitted with a graphic design of the intended completed work.

B. A description of the crown and sash that includes material used, final production, such as fully beaded, partially beaded, cloth material, and all other descriptions necessary to appropriately describe the finished product. A drawing or graphic image that shows a likeness of what the Bidder intends the finished articles will resemble must be included.

C. Price for the work to be completed.

D. Bids that do not include all the requested information shall be deemed non-responsive and subject to rejection.

E. Any **questions** concerning this RFB shall be forwarded, in writing, by e-mail, fax or mail, as follows:

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F. Any responses issued will be provided to all bidders who have submitted a notice of intent to bid.

VI. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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STOCKBRIDGE-MUNSEE COMMUNITY
REQUEST FOR BID

50th ANNUAL MOHICAN POWWOW
JR. MISS MAHIKANIW ROYALTY CROWN/SASH
BOWLER, WISCONSIN
2nd Posting
February 11, 2026

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B. Project Schedule. The Owner's goal is to have all necessary paperwork, legal agreements signed by March 27th, 2026.

C. Have the completed Crowns and Sashes delivered by June 30th, 2026.

IV. SCOPE OF SERVICES

A. Artist Objectives.

1. Design and create a completed crown and sash for: Jr. Miss Mahiikaniw – 9-13 years old.
2. The crown design must include the royalty title and year 2026.
3. The sash must include the royalty title and year.
4. Completed crown and sash must be delivered to the Cultural Affairs Staff by June 30th, 2026.

V. BID REQUIREMENTS

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STOCKBRIDGE-MUNSEE COMMUNITY
REQUESTS FOR BIDS

50th ANNUAL MOHICAN POWWOW
TRADITIONAL FEAST
BOWLER, WISCONSIN
2nd Posting
February 11, 2026

I. INTRODUCTION

The Stockbridge-Munsee Community Cultural Affairs Committee (CAC) is seeking bids to prepare, set up, serve, and clean up a traditional feast for Saturday, August 8, 2026 at 5:00 p.m. during the 50th Annual Mohican POWWOW.

II. SCHEDULE FOR BIDS

Sealed bids **will be received until March 20th, 2026, at 4:00 PM**, Central Daylight Time. Bids shall be marked "2026 POWWOW TRADITIONAL FEAST" on the outside of the envelope. Bids shall be hand-delivered to the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Secretary, N8476 Moh He Con Nuck Road, P.O. Box 70, Bowler, WI 54416. Bids may be mailed but must be received by the office by the March 20th, deadline.

III. PROJECT

A. Description of Project. Hosting a feast with traditional foods for 300 people on August 8, 2026.

B. Project Schedule. Contracts signed with contractor by March 27, 2026.

C. Meal service set-up from 4:00 – 5:00 p.m., meal service 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m., clean up completed by 7:00 p.m. on August 8, 2026 at the SMC Many Trails Park, located at: N9125 MohHeConNuck Road, Bowler, Wisconsin, 54416.

IV. SCOPE OF SERVICES

A. Vendor Objectives.

1. Prepare a meal to serve 300 people, with traditional foods of the Stockbridge-Munsee People that include a:
 - i. Meat Serving
 - ii. Side dish
 - iii. Vegetable dish
 - iv. Dessert
 - v. Beverage
 - vi. Meat-Free Protein Dish
2. Set up the meal service site to serve 300 people.
3. Clean-up, disassemble meal service site.
4. Provide cutlery, plates, napkins, and cups.

V. BID REQUIREMENTS

- A. Food Handlers' documentation needs to be presented with the seal bid, for all staff working at the venue.
- B. A description of the meal menu is to be enclosed with the bid.
- C. "Bidders are required to ensure their total price submission accounts for all materials and labor, including, but not limited to, food preparation, serving ware, and beverages containers. Pricing may be itemized; but not necessary.
- D. Bids that do not include all the requested information shall be deemed non-responsive and subject to rejection.
- E. Any questions concerning this RFB shall be forwarded, in writing via email to:

jody.hartwig@mohican-nsn.gov
Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council Secretary

F. Any responses issued will be provided to all bidders who have submitted a notice of intent to bid.



On Wednesday, February 18th, 2026, the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council held a Regular Tribal Council Meeting and at that time the following actions were taken:

Shannon Holsey;	Present
William Miller;	Present
Crystal L Malone	Present
Terrie Terrio;	Absent
Ella Kazik;	Present
Terrance Miller, Jr.	Present
Rainer Shooter;	Present

Roll Call:

APPROVAL OF AGENDA-ADD: IGA Resolution Up-

date

NCAI Resolution Update

Motion by Terrance Miller to approve the agenda for Tuesday, February 18th, 2026, with the addition of two resolutions. Seconded by Ellie Kazik. Motion carried.

MEETING MINUTES-

Motion by Rainer Shooter to approve the meeting minutes from Tuesday, February 3rd, 2026. Seconded by Crystal Malone. Motion maker amends motion: correction under Call to Order to delete Vice. Second concurs.

Roll Call: Terrance yes, Ellie abstains (*absent*), Crystal yes, Willy yes and Rainer yes. Motion carried.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (for posting)-September 30, 2025, and October 31, 2025

Motion by Rainer Shooter to post the financial statements for September 30th, 2025, and October 2025. Seconded by Willy Miller.

CREATE AND POST TEMPORARY POSITIONS-Robin Maxkii, Director of Cultural Affairs

Motion by Willy Miller to approve the creation and posting for four (4) temporary Summer Assistant positions within the Historic Preservation Office, funded by the New York Community Trust grant. Seconded by Terrance Miller. Motion carried.

IMLS 24 GRANT WITHDRAWAL-Robin Maxkii, Director of Cultural Affairs

Motion by Terrance Miller to approve the President's signature on the formal withdrawal letter to the Institute of Museum and Library Services, otherwise known as IMLS, for the 2024 awarded project. Seconded by Rainer Shooter. Motion carried.

TABLE OF EQUIVALENCY-Stacie Bowman, HR Executive Director and

Regina Williams, Director of HR Casino

Motion by Willy Miller to approve the use of Table of Equivalency as presented. Seconded by Rainer Shooter. Motion carried.

MOHICAN NEWS MANAGER JOB DESCRIPTION-Stacie Bowman, HR Executive Director

Motion by Terrance Miller to approve the revisions to the Mohican News Manager and approve for posting. Seconded by Ellie Kazik. Motion carried.

ENROLLMENT MANAGER JOB DESCRIPTION-Stacie Bowman, HR Executive Director

Motion by Rainer Shooter to approve the revision of the Enrollment Manager and approve for posting. Seconded by Willy Miller. Motion carried.

2026 SMC WILD RICE ENHANCEMENT PROJECT-Randall Wollenhaup, Ecology Manager

Motion by Willy Miller to authorize the Ecology Department to submit the 2026 SMC Wild Rice Enhancement Project from the Bureau of Indian Affairs and signature of accompanying letter of support in the amount of funds. Seconded by Terrance Miller. Motion carried.

2026 WDNR SUMMER TRIBAL YOUTH PROGRAM-Randy Wollenhaup, Ecology Manager

Motion by Rainer Shooter to approve the 2026 Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Summer Tribal Youth Program Grant proposal with accompanying signature for resolution and application. Seconded by Terrance Miller. Motion carried.

Motion by Rainer Shooter to approve resolution #020-26, Whereas, the Stockbridge-Munsee Community is a federally recognized Indian tribe governed by
Directives cont on pg 12:

Directives from pg 11: the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council pursuant to authority vested in the Council by a Constitution approved November 1937; WHEREAS, The Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council has the authority under its Constitution and its inherent rights as a sovereign nation to act on behalf of the Community in area of economic affairs and other issues of self-governance; WHEREAS, The Tribe has received grants from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources in the past; WHEREAS, The Tribe wishes to receive funding through a new Tribal Summer Youth Program Grant from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, based on the 2026 Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Summer Youth Program Grant Proposal; and WHEREAS, In order to obtain such grant funds, the Tribe has to agree to provide an in-kind match. NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Tribal Council authorizes the submittal of the 2026 Tribal Summer Youth Program to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources. The Tribal Council further authorizes that an in-kind match will be provided, which is made up of tribal staff salary and fringe benefits, tribal vehicle costs, and tribal equipment costs over the grant period. Seconded by Terrance Miller. Resolution adopted.

2026 NATIONAL FISH PASSAGE PROGRAM PROJECT-Randall Wollenhaupt, Ecology Manager
Motion by Terrance Miller to authorize the Ecology Department to submit the "Restoring Connectivity of Coldwater Habitat for Brook Trout Resiliency in

Tribal Waters" grant to the National Fish Passage Program. This grant opportunity provides funding to replace failing road/stream crossings, while improving connectivity for native aquatic organisms. The request is for grant funds to replace the road/stream crossing on Boehm's Road, the tribe will provide an in-kind match in wage and fringe. Seconded by Rainer Shooter. Motion carried.

LAND LEASE OFF OF HIGHWAY 29-Chad Miller, Land Manager
Motion by Terrance Miller to approve the lease between the Stockbridge-Munsee Community and Vinton Construction for the storage of aggregate and usage of the agricultural land comprised of approximately 9 acres of tillable acreage in the township of Herman. Vinton Construction is a contractor for the Wisconsin DOT currently working on Highway 29 project, lease will run through 2026. Seconded by Willy Miller. Motion carried

TRUST APPLICATION SUBMITTAL-Chad Miller, Land Management
Motion by Terrance Miller to approve the resolution to send the Land to Trust Application, "Bartelme Tigerton 2026" to the BIA for processing. The application consists of approximately 360 acres of timbered property located in the Township of Bartelme, reference resolution #021-26, NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council hereby requests the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Great Lakes Agency, to process its "Bartelme Tigerton 2026 Application" to have such fee simple lands taken into federal trust status for the Stockbridge-Munsee Community and be proclaimed as part of

the Stockbridge-Munsee Community Reservation; BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, this Bartelme Tigerton 2026 Application consists of approximately 320 acres of land held as 4 parcels that have the following legal descriptions and tax parcel numbers:

Parcel 1
SE ¼ NE ¼, Section 1, T. 28 N., R. 13 E., 4th P.M., Town of Bartelme, Shawano County, Wisconsin. Parcel No. 008-01140-0000

Parcel 2
NW ¼ of the fractional SW ¼, Section 7, T. 28 N., R. 13 E., 4th P.M., Town of Bartelme, Shawano County, Wisconsin. Parcel No. 008-07320-0000

SW ¼ of the fractional SW ¼, Section 7, T. 28 N., R. 13 E., 4th P.M., Town of Bartelme, Shawano County, Wisconsin. Parcel No. 008-07330-0000

Parcel 3
SE ¼ NW ¼, Section 18, T. 28 N., R. 13 E., 4th P.M., Town of Bartelme, Shawano County, Wisconsin. Parcel No. 008-18240-0000

Parcel 4
NW ¼ NE ¼, Section 27, T. 28 N., R. 13 E., 4th P.M., Town of Bartelme, Shawano County, Wisconsin. Parcel No. 008-27120-0000

NE ¼ NE ¼, Section 27, T. 28 N., R. 13 E., 4th P.M., Town of Bartelme, Shawano County, Wisconsin. Parcel No. 008-27110-0000

SE ¼ NE ¼, Section 27, T. 28 N., R. 13 E., 4th P.M., Town of Bartelme, Shawano County, Wisconsin. Parcel No. 008-27140-0000

NW ¼ NW ¼, Section 27, T. 28 N., R. 13 E., 4th P.M., Town of Bartelme, Shawano County, Wisconsin. Parcel No. 008-27220-

0000
SE ¼ SE ¼, Section 27, T. 28 N., R. 13 E., 4th P.M., Town of Bartelme, Shawano County, Wisconsin. Parcel No. 008-27440-0000 Seconded by Ellie Kazik. Resolution adopted.

STATE OPIOID RESPONSE FUNDING IDC WAIVER-Andrew Miller, SMHWC Director
Motion by Rainer Shooter to waive Indirect Cost for the State Opioid Response that was approved by the Tribal Council December 16, 2025. Seconded by Willy Miller. Motion carried.

CHANGE ORDER #1 FOR COURT REMODEL-Daniel Burr, Project Manager
Motion by Terrance Miller to approve Change Order #1 from Alliance Construction and Design and the requested funds will be coming from the Opioid Abatement/Settlement Funds as discussed with the CFO. Seconded by Willy Miller.

Roll Call: Terrance yes, Ellie yes, Crystal yes, Willy yes and Rainer abstains (*on Project Team*). Motion carried.

JUDICIAL COMMISSION VACANCIES-
Motion by Willy Miller to post the Judicial Commission vacancies, four positions. Seconded by Rainer Shooter. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION: Home Conveyance
Motion by Ellie Kazik to approve #022-26 resolution, Now Therefore Be It Resolved, that the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council supports the recommendation of the Division of Community Housing in the Conveyance of Tenant #128-01, Jody Hartwig. Seconded by Willy Miller. Resolution adopted.

NCAI RESOLUTION UPDATE-
Motion by Rainer Shooter to approve resolution #023-36, WHEREAS,

Directives cont. on pg 13:

Directives from pg 12: the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribe is a Member Indian/Native Government in good standing with the National Congress of American Indians (NCAI), and; WHEREAS, the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribe meets all requirements for the Tribal Membership pursuant to Article II, Section 1(b) of the Constitution and By-Laws of the National Congress of American Indians, and; NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council, which is the official governing body of the above-named Tribe/Nation, hereby authorizes Shannon Holsey, who is the official principal tribal official, to take the necessary action to place the Tribe/Nation in Membership with NCAI; and, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Tribal funds, based on the Tribal Membership dues schedule in the NCAI By-Laws, Article III – Members, Section C2 are authorized to be paid for NCAI membership; and, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that based on the tribal enrollment of 1,819 persons, the Tribe/Nation shall have 100 votes, in accordance with Article III – Members, Section B 1d; and BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that pursuant to Article III – Members, Section B 1(b) of the NCAI Constitution and By-Laws, the Stockbridge-Munsee Community designates the following persons as Delegates and Alternate Delegates and instructs them to become Individual Members in Good Standing with NCAI in order to fulfill their responsibilities as Official Delegates and Alternate Delegates to the National Congress of

American Indians Annual Convention, Executive Council Winter Session and Mid-Year Conference. Delegate: Shannon Holsey, President Alternates: William A. Miller, Vice President, Treasurer Crystal L. Malone, Ella Kazik, Terrie K. Terrio, Rainer Shooter and Terrance Miller Jr., Tribal Council Members Seconded by Terrance Miller. Resolution adopted. **IGA RESOLUTION UPDATE-** Motion by Terrance Miller to adopt resolution #024-26, Whereas, the Stockbridge-Munsee Community, Band of Mohican Indians, is a federally recognized Indian Tribe, governed by the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council pursuant to authority vested in the Council by the Constitution approved in 1937; and Whereas, the health, safety, welfare and education of the Indian people of the Stockbridge-Munsee Community is the responsibility of the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council; and Whereas, the Indian Gaming Association (IGA) is a voluntary association composed of member Tribes and Associate members representing federally recognized Tribal Governments, Gaming Tribes, Rancherias, Pueblos, Bands and Businesses engaged in gaming enterprises in Indian Gaming; and Whereas, the primary objectives and purposes of IGA are: 1) To promote, protect and preserve the general welfare and interest of Indian Gaming Tribes through the development of sound policies and practices with respect to conduct of gaming activities in Indian Gaming; 2) To assist in the dissemination of information to the Indian

Gaming Community, Federal Government and the general public on issues related to the conduct of gaming in Indian Country; 3) To preserve and protect integrity of gaming in Indian Country; and 4) To maintain, protect and advocate Indian Tribal Sovereignty. NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council authorizes payment of dues for the IGA Membership; and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council hereby designates President Shannon Holsey, as the Tribe's Delegate, with Vice President William A. Miller, Treasurer Crystal L. Malone, Council Members Ella Kazik, Terrie K. Terrio, Rainer Shooter and Terrance Miller Jr. as Alternates. BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the above named, delegate and alternate appointments shall remain in effect until October 2027. Seconded by Ellie Kazik. Resolution adopted. **OPEN SESSION- EXECUTIVE SESSION-** Motion by Terrance Miller to go into Executive Session. Seconded by Willy Miller. Motion carried at 6:18 PM. Motion by Willy Miller to come out of Executive Session. Seconded by Ellie Kazik. Motion carried at 7:14 PM. While is Executive Session discussion was held on Internal Audit, Gaming Waiver, Contract Matters and a Personnel Matter. Motion by Willy Miller to go along with the Forestry Committee's recommendation on a forestry contract as discussed in Executive Session. Seconded by Ellie Kazik. Motion carried. Motion by Terrance Miller to approve the contract as discussed in Executive Session. Seconded by Wil-

ly Miller. Motion carried. Motion by Ellie Kazik to approve the Internal Auditor's recommendations. Seconded by Rainer Shooter. **Roll Call:** Terrance yes, Ellie yes, Crystal abstains, Willy yes and Rainer yes. Motion carried. Motion by Rainer Shooter to approve resolution #26.04 in terms of a gaming waiver, **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Stockbridge-Munsee Council waives the restriction to employment that currently prevents **GW 26.04** from obtaining employment at the Community's Gaming Facilities specifically, the convictions of Count #4 Case # 013CF000139 Maintain a Drug Trafficking Place, Count #2 Case # 2000CF000066 Substantial Battery-Intend Bodily Harm Causing Injury and Count #1 Case # 1995CF951284 Possess w/Intent- THC. This waiver acts only to remove the above-mentioned background history as a bar to employment at the North Star Mohican Casino Resort or any other gaming facility owned and operated by the Stockbridge-Munsee Community Tribe and should not be read as a commendation for or statement of this individual's qualifications for employment. Second by Ellie Kazik. Motion maker amends: resolution #025-26. Second concurs. Resolution adopted. Motion by Terrance Miller to approve the personnel item as discussed in Executive Session. Seconded by Willy Miller. Motion carried. **ADJOURNMENT-** Motion by Willy Miller to adjourn. Seconded by Ellie Kazik. Motion carried.



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