



**Eel River Bar First Nation  
DULY CONVENED MEETING**

**June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2026**

**9:00am**

**MINUTES**

**Present**

Chief Chris George  
Councillor Daniel Caplin  
Councillor Tiffany Boyd  
Councillor Misty LaBillois\*

Councillor Karen Narvie  
Councillor Tony Miller\*  
Councillor Ron Simonson  
Councillor D LaBillois-Bjorndal

\*absent

Notetaker:

Sonja Lee

Chief Chris George called the meeting to order at 9:50 am

A Motion In Council was put forward by Councillor D. LaBillois Bjorndal to accept the agenda with additions, motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Councillor Karen Narvie, all in favour... aye, motion passed

Minutes from June 9<sup>th</sup>, 2026 were approved with amendments by a MIC by Councillor Karen Narvie, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Councillor Tiffany Boyd, all in favour... aye, motion passed

**CHIEF'S UPDATE**

- MTI will host an engagement session with ECO Rock to get feedback from the community
- JFK Law approval of workplan for Election Process Reform Vote 5/1 Aye (2 absent) will share the workplan with community at the next community meeting
- JFK Law approval of workplan for Review of Economic Development Matters Vote 6/0 Aye
- Met in Fredericton on the 16<sup>th</sup> of June regarding Jordan's Principle and Social Assistance Reform, Chiefs recommendation is for a living wage Met with Chiefs and Susan Holt on June 17<sup>th</sup>, regarding fracking. Air Fracking

has a moratorium on, the projection is hydraulic fracking. Met regarding forestry and the expansion of the footprint

- Will set up a meeting with Keith Chaisson the Minister of Indigenous Affairs and the Minister of Natural Resources

### **INTERIM BAND MANAGER'S UPDATE**

- Staff Appreciation on July 30<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at the Restigouche Golf Club, venue can hold up to 140 people, will need to RSVP. July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2026 will be a day off for staff, full time and seasonal staff
- Staff Clothing options will be provided with an allotted amount covered by the band
- Summer Games parents and coaches and volunteers can take time off using the "Conference and Meetings" in Bamboo. Students will need it ok'd by their individual directors.
- We will put out a public statement regarding the incident at Levesque Bridge in Charlo, as the individual is not a member of the Eel River Bar Community

### **GENERAL BUSINESS**

- Home Improvement Incentive Program Policy has been reviewed and amended by the housing director. MIC to accept the new policy, and application form by Councillor D. LaBillois Bjorndal 2<sup>nd</sup> by Councillor Karen Narvie, vote 6/0 aye, motion carried
- C&FS discussion around rental properties and the necessity of inspections, will reach out to North Shore
- C&FS, Housing, Social, Health and Education to meet together to brainstorm on policies regarding rental units, will meet with community once policy is in place. C&FS will take the lead, 2 week timeline to meet again

### **IN CAMERA SESSION**

- Request for financial support for hockey school, vote was 6/0 Nay
- Next duly convened meeting will take place on July 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 9:00
- Meeting adjourned at 3:25

