

MCT CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM DRAFTING COMMITTEE

Date: 3/7/23 Time: 6 PM

Facilitator: Carol J.

Present: Marcie M., Julie H-C., Rita E., Raymond B., Wally S., Michaa A.,

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Amend the Alliance document.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Short discussion about ruling in LaRose Case
2. Should Election Procedures go in Constitution (i.e. Red Lake)
3. Sovereignty vs. Illegitimate sovereignty & Sovereignty Immunity
4. Separate or one Constitution
5. Add Clan mother as a part of Enrollment Dispute Board
6. Function of different Tribal Courts
7. Think of the Alliance Document as a Treaty
 - Policy/Principles
 - Commonalities of the Citizens of the different Bands
 - Rights
 - Values, customs, and traditions
8. How to deal with MCT
9. Elections by the people
10. Need to be transparent on what the tribal government spends the money on.
11. Need some forms of local rule.
12. Employee Abuse
13. Discussed different forms of Governments (Democracy, Republic, Representative Proportion and Hybrid)

Actions: Facilitator- Carol

1. What did other tribes do after the removal of the SOI?
2. Continue researching U.S. Govt. Indian Policies.

Next meeting: 3/14/23 at 6 PM