

Norway House Cree Nation Chief & Council

Norway House Community Council
Mayor & Council



Norway House Cree Nation and Norway House Community Council Protocol Agreement During a Pandemic

This protocol agreement signed the 20th day of April 2020 Between:

Norway House Cree Nation

And

Norway House Community Council

In the spirit of mutual respect and continued cooperation on behalf of our citizens we agree to the following:

1.0 Purpose of the Protocol Agreement is to:

- A) Formalize a cooperative working relationship between our communities to ensure the health and wellbeing of our citizens during a Pandemic.
- B) Identify common interest areas during the Pandemic where both communities would benefit by working together.
- Develop a communication plan to ensure regular communication on matter of common interest.

2.0 Mutual Understanding:

- A) Leadership of both communities agree that each community leader will recognize and respect each other's mandates and authority.
- B) Leadership of both communities recognize the need for the health and safety of their citizens is paramount.
- Leadership from each community will work cooperatively to ensure the effects of the Pandemic is lessened by their joint efforts.

3.0 Coronavirus World Pandemic:

- A) The World Health Organization declared the Coronavirus a World Pandemic on March 11, 2020.
- B) The Province of Manitoba declared a State of Emergency on March 14, 2020.
- C) The Norway House Cree Nation is a sovereign nation and is responsible for the health and wellbeing of its membership and has developed an Emergency Plan that includes a Pandemic Plan which is being implemented during the COVID 19 Pandemic
- D) The Norway House Community Council is responsible for the health and well-being of its citizens and has an Emergency Plan and a Pandemic Plan to protect their citizens
- E) Norway House Cree Nation and the Norway House Community Council shall respect the Emergency and Pandemic Plans of each other and will work in cooperation on those areas of common interest that will protect and benefit each community.

This agreement shall take effect upon ratification by the leadership of each of the communities

Signed on behalf of Norway House Cree Nation:

Signed on behalf of Norway House Community Council:

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Chief Larson Anderson

Witness:

Mayor Leonard Budd

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