

*Resolution of
Council
Calling a
referendum
Vote*

RESOLUTION OF COUNCIL

Made at a duly convened Council meeting of

The Council of the	THUNDERCHILD FIRST NATION
Date of the duly convened meeting	1 9 0 9 20 19 Day Month year

Call for a Referendum

to Vote on Passing or Rejecting the Following New Legislation and also the Amendments Contained in this *Thunderchild First Nation Election Act 2019*:

1. *Thunderchild First Nation Matrimonial Real Property Act 2019*;
2. *Thunderchild First Nation Dangerous and Stray Dogs Act 2019*
3. *Thunderchild First Nation Election Act 2019* amendments.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. Thunderchild First Nation calls a for a referendum vote to pass or reject the above referred to legislation.
2. The referendum questions shall be as follows: (1) Do you approve and consent to passing the *Thunderchild First Nation Matrimonial Real Property Act 2019* as presented and initialed on the bottom right hand corner of each page? (2) Do you approve and consent to passing the *Thunderchild First Nation Dangerous and Stray Dogs Act 2019* as presented and initialed on the bottom right hand corner of each page? And, (3) Do you approve and consent to passing the amendments made to the *Thunderchild First Nation Election Act* of August 12, 2004, where such amendments to become part of the *Thunderchild First Nation Election Act 2019* as presented and initialed on the bottom right hand corner of each page?
3. Notice is hereby given that a meeting of Electors, as required in section 8 of the *Thunderchild First Nation Constitution*, is set for **October 25th, 2019**, at the **Chief James Okanee Memorial Centre** commencing at 1:00 pm and polls close at 8:00 pm. Advance poll in **Edmonton, Alberta**, will take place on **October 23, 2019**, at the **Chateau Nova Kingsway hotel, 159 Airport Road**, commencing at 10:00 am and the polls close at 4:00 pm. Advance polls in **Saskatoon, Saskatchewan**, will take place on **October 24, 2019**, at the **Travelodge Hotel, 106 Circle Drive**, commencing at 1:00 pm and the polls close at 8:00 pm.
4. This Chief and Council hereby appoint Joseph Albert Angus as the Referendum Officer, and further, this Council appoints Jackie Starr as the Deputy Referendum Officer in this Call for Referendum.

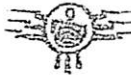
Please Note: The three questions referred to above will be printed in one ballot

paper.

Quorum 5

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	(Councillor)	



THUNDERCHILD
FIRST NATION
ADMINISTRATION

Treaty Six

September 22, 2019

TO: The Electorate of the Thunderchild First Nation
FROM: J. Albert Angus, LL.B, Chief Referendum Returning Officer
RE: Referendum to Pass or Reject: *Thunderchild First Nation Matrimonial Real Property Act 2019; Thunderchild First Nation Dangerous and Stray Dogs Act 2019; and Thunderchild First Nation Election Act 2019 Amendments; Voting Day October 25, 2019*

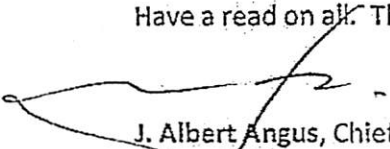
Greetings my fellow band members. In this mail-in package, enclosed you will find three true copies of Thunderchild First Nation proposed legislation for your review. Also please read the enclosed Band Council Resolution titled "Call for a Referendum" where it describes the proposed legislation to be voted on and the dates times and locations for the advance voting in Saskatoon and Edmonton.

TCFN Matrimonial Real Property Act 2019: This is new. The federal government passed legislation outside of the *Indian Act* a few years ago. In this federal Act, it says that a First Nation can opt out of this federal law if they pass their own law by way of a referendum. After our information meetings in Saskatoon, Edmonton and on the reserve and with the Elders, TCFN opted to develop and pass our own law because the new federal law is too harsh, too complicated, and is not culturally sensitive to TCFN customs and traditions.

TCFN Dangerous and Stray Dogs Act 2019: This law was developed after a pit bull seriously mauled one of our band members. This law is also intended to protect our children from stray dogs especially those that hang around the school.

TCFN Election Act 2019: the federal court last year struck down a band law that had residency restrictions when a band member is elected into the Council. Our existing 2012 elections Act has those kind of residency restrictions, so we are forced to amend our elections Act. The enclosed copy contains more amendments for your consideration.

Have a read on all. Thank you.


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