

Program: *Indigenous Educational Council*

Minutes

*December 12, 2018
1:00-3:00 pm
V-Desk Room 2425-Cornwall
V-Desk Room 201 – Brockville
V-Desk Room 12190 - Kingston*

In Attendance:

Marg Hogan – SLC

Elaine Jeffrey – Metis Nation of Ontario

Sheila Lafrance – SLC

Mary Ann Lyons – SLC

Deb Stava – SLC

Nicola Thomas – SLC

Laura Maracle – Queens University

*Sandy Maracle – Mohawks of the Bay of
Quinte*

Shirley Chaisson - SLC

Regrets:

Lou Anne Hamilton – SLC

Adam Hopkins – FNTI

Kim Lockwood – SLC Alumnus

Norma Sunday - Akwesasne

1. **Call to Order, Welcome, and Introductions**

Deb Stava, Chair, welcomed the group and asked members to introduce themselves.

2. **Opening Words**

Laura Maracle, member from Queens University provided opening words.

3. **Motion to Approve Minutes of 4/12/2018**

Approved as presented

4. **Review Agenda/New Business**

Approved as presented

5. **Indigenous Services Updates**

- *Brockville/Cornwall – Shirley Chaisson*

- *Brockville – Shirley Chaisson continues to travel between the 2 campuses and states that there is a consistent but small group of students coming to the ELC. Cornwall-The Eagle Learning Café is open and available to SLC students. The ELC hosted a soup day during the fall semester, and was fairly well attended.*
- *Kingston – Mary Ann Lyons – continues to share responsibilities in Brockville; name of the tri-campus Indigenous Centres have been changed by student vote to “Eagle’s Nest Indigenous Centre” – all marketing information is being changed to include the new name. Crafting sessions are held twice a week in Kingston, and once a month a free lunch is provided to any who wish to attend. Indigenous Student Bursaries will be posted for application in January, to be given out to 19 students (\$1500 each) as soon as the application and selection process is complete (target date is mid-February).*

6. **Truth & Reconciliation**

- *Service Updates*
- *Academic Division Updates*

7. **Strategic Plan/Strategic Initiatives – Janet Greer**

8. **Formal Committee Name Change – Deb Stava**

*A motion to change the committee’s name was presented to the council for consideration and was approved. Going forward the council will be named **Indigenous Educational Council**.
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9. **Provincial /IPEC Update – Deb Stava**

Indigenous Partners in Education Committee –

- *Terms of Reference – Review and Discussion*
- *Formal Letter of approval – Action*
- *CCVPA/CCVPS Update*

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10. **Annual Confirmation of Membership**

Suggestions for new council membership are welcome and may include Alumni, Students, and local school districts.

11. **Partner Updates**

Iohahi:io-

Sheila LaFrance reported that Iohaha:io has a total of 80 students enrolled in the following programs: Mental Wellness, Personal Support Worker (PSW) Energy Tech and the Leadership Development Certificate. They have recently updated the student resource room with new

furniture and computers. There will also be the addition of a new Student Support Officer and a Clinical Counselor.

12. **Next Meeting:** *To be determined*

Meeting adjourned at 3pm

Meeting Scribe:

Deborah Stone
