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FORT WILLIAM INDIAN BAND

June 24, 1987

Mr. Gene A. Bannon
District Manager
Indian and Northern Affairs
905 Victoria Avenue East
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed you will find the results of the Membership Vote held on June 22, 1987.

Out of 226 eligible voters, 180 cast their votes.

Results as follows:

- (1) Are you in favour of the Fort William Band assuming control of its own membership?

For 150
Against 28

- (2) Are you in favour of adopting the membership code that has been presented to the band members by the chief and council?

For 133
Against 49

- (3) Are you in favour of adopting the by-law that has been recommended by the council of the band governing residency on the reserve by people who are not members of the band?

For 128
Against 56

A Referendum Vote was also held on June 22, 1987 results are as follows:

- (1) Are you in favour of the development of an alcohol and drug treatment centre on the reserve?

For 158
Against 20

- (2) Are you in favour of all band members living on or off the reserve to be entitled to vote?

For 128
Against 51

- (3) With the proper procedures in place, are you in favour of band members from other reserves transferring to the Fort William Band?

For 134
Against 43

- (4) Are you in favour of using \$50,000.00 out of the trust account to be used toward the Mt. McKay Scenic Lookout Development?

For 110
Against 67

- (5) Are you in favour of leasing land for economic development?

For 75
Against 101

Hope this meets to your satisfaction. You may call at the band office for any questions you may have regarding these results.

An eligible voter was a band member over 18 years of age residing on the reserve as designated by the Indian Act Election Regulations. Procedures of the Department of Indian Affairs were adhered to when this vote was taken.

Yours Truly

Howard Bannon

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Band Manager

Witness: Lyla Bannon *Lyla Bannon*.....

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