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Dear Senators, MNS Local Presidents and PMC Members

Re: MNS General Assembly, Batoche, June 26 & 27, 1997

Local #62 proposed a number of constitutional amendments at the October 1996 Metis Nation Legislative Assembly. We were pleased that most of the proposed amendments were supported by the Legislative Assembly. However, before they become part of the MNS Constitution, they must be ratified by the General Assembly.

While we would have preferred to see the General Assembly go ahead in November 1997 as decided by the Legislative Assembly, we are pleased to see that it is now to take place this month.

Due to the importance of dealing with our Constitution, we encourage all Locals and PMC members, along with the Senate to attend. We also encourage you to support the constitutional amendments adopted by the Legislative Assembly last October. For your convenience we have taken the constitutional amendments adopted by the Legislative Assembly and put them on two pages. This should make it easier to see what has to be ratified.

As well, the Legislative Assembly adopted a motion calling for the next MNS election to take place in October 1997. That resolution has also been provided at page 2 for your convenience and support.

Please give these constitutional amendments and the resolution of the election serious consideration. I look forward to seeing you at Batoche.

Yours sincerely,

Philip Chartier President, Local #62