



COMMUNITY NOTICE: **59TH ELECTED COUNCIL UPDATES – MAY 5, 2025**

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OHSWEKEN, ON – The Six Nations of the Grand River 59th Elected Council (SNGREC) would like to share the following updates from their May 5, 2025, meeting.

Six Nations Police Services

- The Six Nations Police Chief provided SNGREC with a proposal to continue the working relationship between Six Nations of the Grand River (SNGR) and Six Nations Police Services.
- A key takeaway from the information shared is the 1105% increase in drug-related charges on the territory from 2017 to 2024. We must remember to stay vigilant to keep our community safe and drug-free.

Greener Neighbourhood Pilot Program

- SNGR and Natural Resources Canada have entered into a Contribution Agreement in the amount of \$1,159,390 for the Greener Neighbourhood Pilot Program. The intention of this pilot program is to assist with improvements that will reduce energy consumption and greenhouse gas emissions in SNGRs housing rental units.

Indian Day School Settlement

- In 2022, SNGR legally challenged the notification process to class members of Indian Day Schools Settlement and sought an extension for applicants.
- On March 28, 2025, the Federal Court of Appeal denied the extension request,
- SNGREC will not seek leave to appeal the Federal Court of Appeal ruling.

Transfer Station Waste Disposal Contract Extension

- SNGR has extended its contract with Walker Environmental Group Inc. for the disposal of waste from the Six Nations transfer station. This new contract supports community waste removal until July 21, 2029.

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