



Resolution Duly Approved by the
Métis Nation-Saskatchewan
Provincial Métis Council on June 2, 2026
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Île-à-la-Crosse School Settlement Support

WHEREAS the Métis Nation – Saskatchewan (MN-S) recognizes the distinctiveness of Métis identity, culture, values and language, inclusive of Knowledge Keepers, Kihitêyak, Lii Vyeu Moond (“the Old Ones” or Elders), Youth, Women and distinctive resources, which are incorporated into proposals and decisions of the Provincial Métis Council (PMC);

WHEREAS former students of the Île-à-la-Crosse School may now apply for settlement compensation from the Government of Canada in recognition of the impacts of the school on survivors, their families, and communities;

WHEREAS four coordinators are needed to provide dedicated support to assist survivors with the timely completion and submission of claims following the launch of the intake process on June 1, 2026; and

WHEREAS two coordinators will be based out of the NR3 Regional Office and two coordinators will be based out of the NR2 Regional Office, and will require additional resources to travel to surrounding communities in order to effectively deliver outreach and support services associated with the Île-à-la-Crosse School settlement;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the PMC approves the allocation of MN-S funds for four coordinator positions to assist survivors with the timely completion and submission of claims in relation to the Île-à-la-Crosse School settlement, with two coordinators based out of the NR2 Regional Office and two based out of the NR3 Regional Office; and

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the PMC approves funding for four coordinator positions for the months of July and August 2026, including all associated wages, benefits, and necessary travel expenditures; and

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the PMC directs that coordinator positions may be extended, if required, pending PMC approval.

Dated this 2nd day of June, 2026

Moved by: Brennan Merasty, Northern Region 3

Seconded by: Rachael Heiser, President, Provincial Métis Youth Council