

NIPISSING FIRST NATION

Land Law No. 2020-05-01

Being a Land Law to Amend the Cannabis Law originally enacted on July 2, 2019

Whereas the Nipissing First Nation Land Code, Section 6.1(a) permits Chief and Council to make Land Laws respecting the development, conservation, protection, management, use and possession of Nipissing First Nation Land;

And Whereas a community survey was completed and Notice of the Public Meeting in the matter of the proposed Amendment to Cannabis Law was given by way of an advertisement on March 6, 2020 on the Nipissing First Nation website, social media and on the Community Electronic Billboards;

And Whereas a Public Meetings regarding the proposed Amendment to the Cannabis Law for Nipissing First Nation was held on March 11, 2020 at Garden Village and on March 12, 2020 at Duchesnay Village, Nipissing First Nation;

WHEREAS Nipissing First Nation Chief and Council believe it is in the best interests of the membership to reduce the sale of unregulated cannabis and enable the sale of inspected and regulated cannabis;

Now, Therefore, the Council of the Nipissing First Nation Hereby Enacts as Follows:

1. That the age requirement of Twenty-one (21) years of age set out in Paragraphs 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, 24(b), 25 and 33 is hereby deleted and the following inserted in lieu thereof: "nineteen (19) years of age".
2. That Paragraph 24(f) related to the restriction on the sale of edibles be deleted in its entirety.
3. This law shall come into force and effect on the 19th day of May, 2020.

This Law is hereby enacted at a duly convened meeting of the Council of Nipissing First Nation this 19th day of May, 2020.

Voting in favour of this law are the following members of Council:

Chief Scott McLeod

Deputy Chief Muriel Sawyer

June Commanda

Rick Stevens

Brian Couchie

Corey Goulais

Jane Commanda

Michael Sawyer

Being a majority of those of the Council being present at the aforesaid meeting of Council.

The quorum of Council is five members. Number of Council present at the meeting ____.