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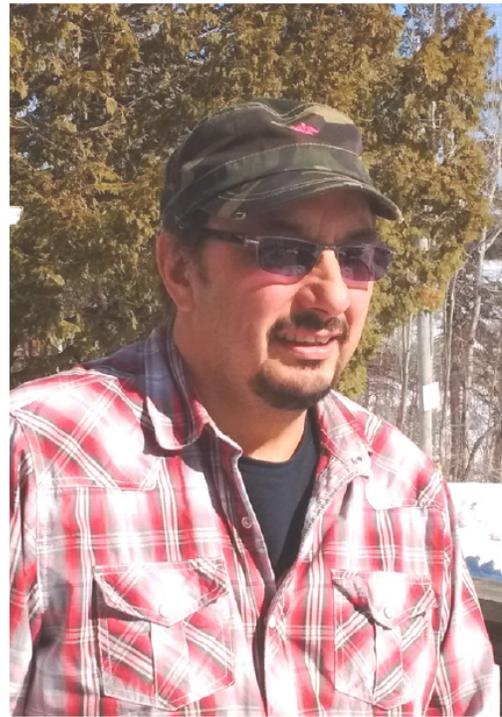
~ March 2018 ~

WELCOME TFN Lands & Resources, Resource Development Advisor, DAVID LARONDE

TFN Lands & Resources

Please welcome David Laronde to the Temagami First Nation Lands and Resources team in the position of Resource Development Advisor. David looks forward to putting his education in mining exploration and over 30 years of experience in the business to work ensuring Temagami First Nation participation in the resource industry. While in the mining industry he has worked extensively on nDaki Menan and throughout Northern Ontario and he is excited and humbled by the opportunity to work within our homeland nDaki Menan.

David Laronde
Resource Development Advisor
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POWERTEL

PowerTel Utilities Contractors Limited ("PowerTel") has been contracted by Hydro One to complete the "D2L Transmission Line Refurbishment Project". In mid January, PowerTel met with us at the Lands and Resource office on Bear Island to provide an update of their plans and construction activities occurring

between this Spring and Winter on Daki Menan. The nature of work is to refurbish approximately 60 km of the existing 115 kV transmission line on the D2L circuit, reinforcing steel structures, mounding/cleaning/coating grillage type foundation, replacing U-bolts, updating conductor, and optical ground wire which is mostly occurring within the boundaries of the municipality of Temagami and neighboring townships.

As you may have seen in some TFN notices over the last couple of months, Jamie Koistinen, Robin Potts and Tyler Paul have been working with Reg Canard of Gezhtoojig to provide workshops and training as part of the "job readiness initiative". We were pleased to learn from PowerTel that the training that's been organized by that group will also be of benefit when applying for positions within PowerTel's organization.

PowerTel will be working with TFN to fill any vacancies or staffing shortage needed for this project.

TFN's Economic Development Officer, John Shymko, is the lead contact and will be posting job ads on the TFN website to assist candidates for possible employment opportunities. John can be reached at ecdev@temagamifirstnation.ca or by calling 705-237-8600.

Earn Co-op credits while on the job and/or earn your compulsory credits through the SAL (Supervised Alternative Learning) Program being offered in collaboration with the Near North District School Board in our community starting January 2018.

Adult & Cooperative Education

Robin Potts, BIEA & Tyler Kidd, Near North Co-op teacher, will work with all interested adult learners who need highschool credits to graduate. Registration and educational assessment must be complete starting now.

When did you first start Grade 9?

Before September 1, 1999

To get your OSSD you may need only:

- four senior credits, including Grade 12 English

OSSD requirements if you started Grade 9 before September 1, 1999

After September 1, 1999

To get your OSSD you need:

- 18 compulsory credits (courses you must take)
- 12 optional credits (courses you get to choose)
- 40 hours of community involvement activities
- the provincial secondary school literacy requirement



Contact Robin Potts for more information

Work: 705-237-8943, Cell: 705-499-0093

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Birth Announcement!!!

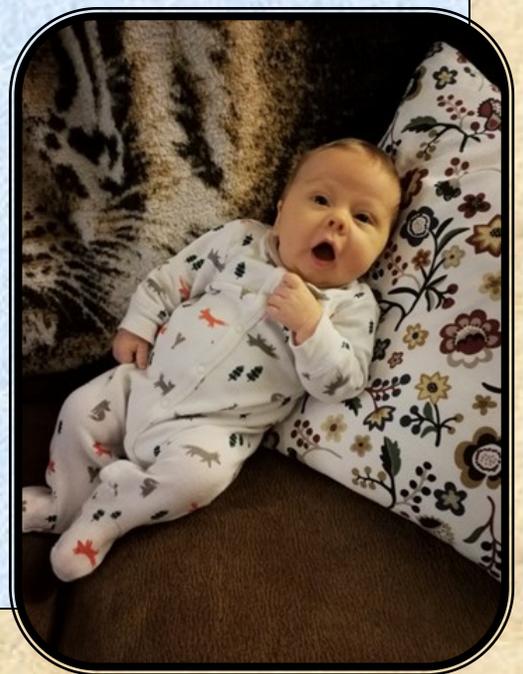
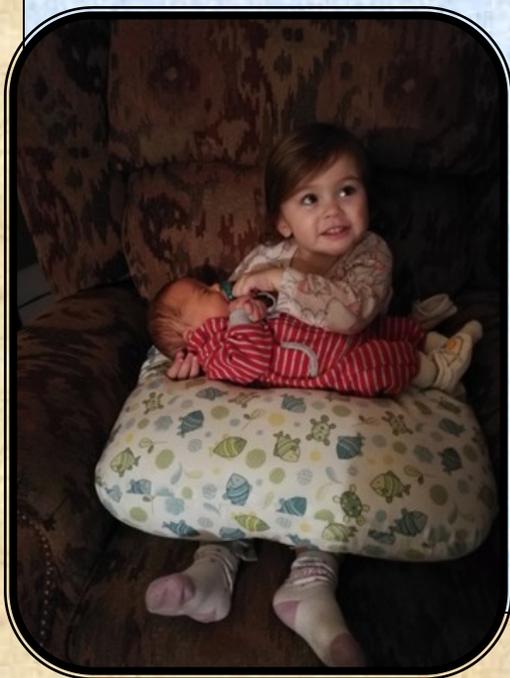
Jasper David Timony



Jasper was born December 12, 2017. Only 4 days before sister Violets 2nd birthday.

Congratulations to parents

Sarah and Dan Timony



News from our little friends at TMFC



TILLIE MISSABIE FAMILY CENTRE UPDATE

Hello Everyone!

It has been a busy few months here at the daycare with the children and families. We sent in a proposal in the fall for funding through the Truth and Reconciliation, Journey Together, Early Years division. Prior to Christmas, we received word that we were successful in obtaining funding. Through the funding we were able to purchase 2 snowmobiles, sleighs, and a boat to take children and families (ages 0-6), for outings on the land.

We have been taking the children out on the snowmobiles a couple of times a week. We have been ice fishing, setting snares, sliding, and just taking the children out to explore N'Daki Menan.

Since the new year our main focus in the preschool room has been working together with the LMLC to prepare the children entering JK in the fall, to make the transition as smooth as possible and work on the needs of the children.

The TMFC hosted a family trip to the Canadore Pow Wow on February 10th. Thank you to all the families who participated. We will be attending more Pow Wows as Pow Wow season rolls around. 😊

The TMFC also purchased hand drums for all the daycare children. The Family Cultural Worker is going to be teaching the children hand drum songs, as well as incorporating our culture, tradition, and language into our daily routine as much as possible.

The TMFC parent committee is up and running. We had our first meeting before Christmas and will be having another meeting in March (meetings are quarterly).

On February 13th the TMFC also hosted a parent dinner/meeting. The purpose of the meeting was to inform the parents of the changes made to the TMFC policies and procedures.

Dance classes started on February 15th. The dance instructor's name is Shannon Falconi and her business name is Global Groove. I have worked with Shannon in the past and found her to be very energetic and great with the children. The dance classes will continue every Thursday until the end of March.

I have also included a flyer for family programming the TMFC will be offering. Should you have any questions, concerns, ideas, or would just like to stop in for a visit, please feel free to stop by the daycare.

Take care! 😊





TMFC MARCH FAMILY EVENTS

Parents & Tots
Dance Class

Thursday, March 8
Thursday, March 15
Thursday, March 22
5:30—6:00 PM



Photo credit: Mita Gibson

Family Fishing

Tuesday, March 6
Tuesday, March 20
4:30—6:30 PM
Supper provided
Transportation
provided if needed

Family Dinner & Drum Social

Wednesday, March 14
5:00—8:00 PM



Dance Classes

@ LMLC

February 15th and
22nd

March 15th, 22nd,
29th

Parents and Tots 5:30-6:00

Dance for Youth 6:00-7:00

Strength and Flexibility for Adults and
Youth 7:00-8:00

Call Deva for more info 705-237-8900

SAVE THE DATE!

THE TEMAGAMI FIRST NATION COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE INVITES YOU TO A WORKSHOP ON THE CLAN SYSTEM AND TRADITIONAL GOVERNANCE WITH **NMISHOMIS GORDON WAINDUBENCE** Anishinabek Nation head Getzit

THE ANISHINAABE GRANDFATHER TEACHINGS AND CLAN TEACHINGS ARE THE FOUNDATION FOR TAKING SHARED RESPONSIBILITY TO PRACTICE GOOD GOVERNANCE.

FOLLOWING THE ANISHINAABE TEACHINGS, WE WILL BE LOOKING FOR YOUR INPUT ON HOW TO SHARE INFORMATION, COMMUNICATE WITH TFN MEMBERS BETTER, AND HOW WE SHOULD CONSULT WITH YOU ON MAJOR DECISIONS THAT REQUIRE A COMMUNITY VOTE OR A REFERENDUM. PRESENTER: MARY LARONDE

SUNDAY, MARCH 18TH, 2018 – NORTH BAY INDIAN FRIENDSHIP CENTRE

MONDAY, MARCH 19TH, 2018 – BEAR ISLAND (LMLC)



MORE DETAILED INFORMATION TO FOLLOW!

WORKSHOP COORDINATOR: JAMIE FRIDAY, TEMAGAMI FIRST NATION
jamie.friday@temagamifirstnation.ca (705) 237-8943/ 1 888 737 9884

Christine Friday, preformed her dance “Maggie and Me” at Nipissing University on Tuesday March 6th, 2018. Taken from the North Bay Nugget, Christine says “Contemporary dance is a reflection of ourselves.

Christine was chosen to present the Dance and Artist Talk as part of the Indigenous Week activities at Nipissing University

- Photo and article courtesy of the North Bay Nugget

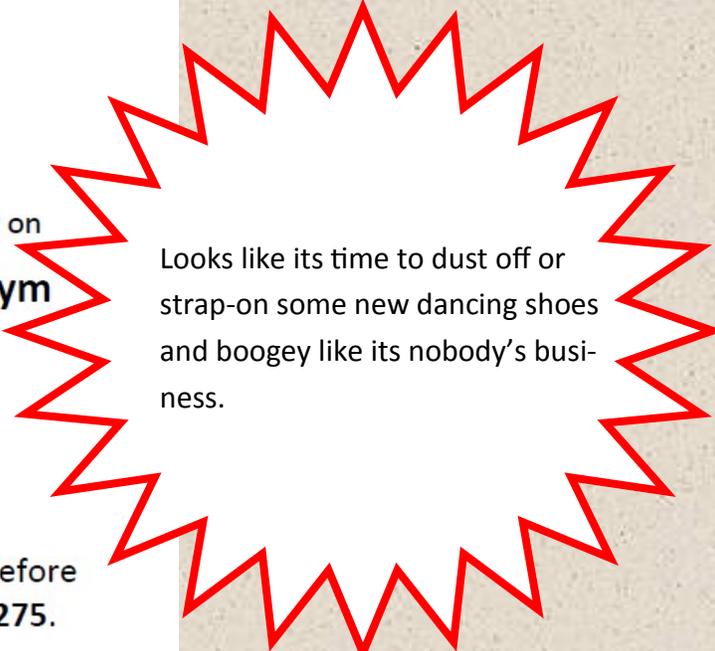


The Northern Square Dancers will be in the community on **Saturday March 10, 2018 at the School Gym**

Dinner at 5:00 p.m.

Square Dancing at 6:30 p.m.

Please call the Community Support Services Office before March 6th if you are attending the dinner 705-237-8275.



Looks like its time to dust off or strap-on some new dancing shoes and boogie like its nobody's business.



Temagami First Nation

Economic Development Report

Canoe House

Calling All Artisans

As the completion of the Canoe House draws near, our community is presented with some unique economic opportunities.

This is a call out for vendors of handcrafted and harvested items.

We are calling all indigenous artisans, including leather crafters, painters, carvers, beaders, weavers, basket weavers, jewelry makers, harvesters, bakers, makers and musicians to come and share their ideas.

We will be having a meeting to discuss how the Canoe House will be utilized as a space to display, sell and teach our indigenous art forms.

We will also be discussing the possibility of a Bear Island weekly vendors' market at the waterfront.

Bring your ideas.

**7:00 pm, Wednesday,
March 28th, 2018**

**Lands and Resources
Office**



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Temagami First Nation

Economic Development Report

The Outdoor Adventure Show

Temagami First Nation

BEAR ISLAND, LAKE TEMAGAMI, ONTARIO

www.temagamifirstnation.ca



The Outdoor Adventure Show

Temagami First Nation attended the Outdoor Adventure Show in Toronto, at the International Center February 23 though February 25, 2018.

Samples of Minawaa Miidjim maple syrup were given out to visitors and the Makwa Jiimaan video was played, along with a promotional video of Bear Island, with music by David Laronde.



Free websites available to band members' businesses



TFN Economic Development, through the Lands and Resources department, is offering free webpages to Temagami First Nation members' businesses. A professional webpage will be designed for all interested members to promote their businesses and a link will be provided from the new Temagami First Nation Website, as soon as it is up and running. There is no charge for this service.

Please email John Shymko, Economic Development Officer, at ecdev@temagamifirstnation.ca, or call Lands and Resources, 705-237-8600 to book an appointment with John to discuss what photos and information is needed.

Items a business website should have.

- 1) A phone number.
- 2) An email address.
- 3) Business Hours.
- 4) Business Location
- 5) A photo of your Business, or an image related to your business.
- 6) A photo of the Business owner(s).
- 7) A description of what you do.
- 8) A logo, if you have one.
- 9) A link to a facebook page, if you have one.

John Shymko, Economic Development Officer, Temagami First Nation,
705 237 8600 ecdev@temagamifirstnation.ca

BENJAMIN CHEE CHEE

LIFE AND LEGACY

TEMISKAMING ART GALLERY

February 26 to April 20, 2018

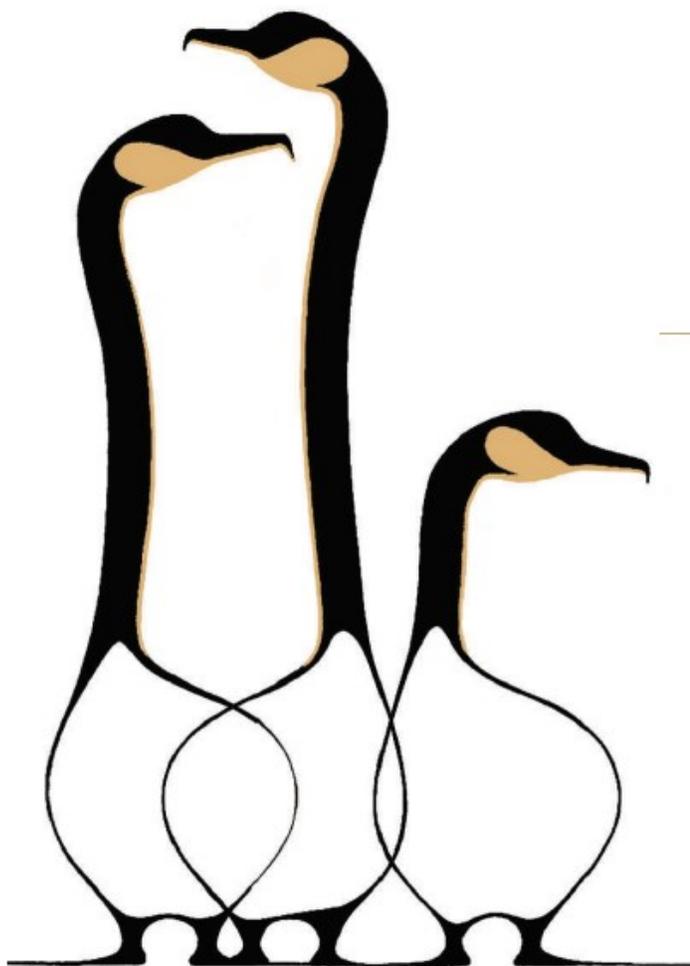
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Chee Chee, Benjamin. *Friends*. 1974. reproduced courtesy of Guy Mattar, Administrator of the Estate of Benjamin Chee Chee and loaned courtesy of Claudette Larocque / prêt de la collection de Claudette Larocque

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Economic Development Report

Benjamin Chee Chee: Life and Legacy



The Benjamin Chee Chee: Life and Legacy Opening Reception was on Sunday, March 4, from 1:00 - 4:00 pm at the Temiskaming Art Gallery in Haileybury.

The event was a celebration of Benjamin Chee Chee's artwork, legacy and culture, and Temagami First Nation was very well represented. Many members of the community were in attendance.

Duane Paul provided Anishinaabemowin translations for the gallery and wrote a song, the Sunbird, to commemorate Chee Chee. Hugh Mckenzie served as a senior advisor on the project.

Also involved in the project and gala were Paula Potts, Lindsay Cote, Daisy Fannin, David Laronde, Patsy Turner, Marvyn Morrison, Temagami First Nation Chief and Council, Wayne Potts, Robin Potts and Economic Development Officer John Shymko.



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Economic Development Report

Benjamin Chee Chee: Life and Legacy



The show continues at the Temiskaming Art Gallery, 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury, until April 20th. There will also be a special showing on Bear Island in August, 2018.

Benjamin Chee Chee (March 26, 1944 - March 14, 1977), originally from Temagami First Nation, lived a rich and full, but tragically short, life. During his four years as a full time professional visual artist in Montreal and Ottawa his work was prolific and disparate, ranging from his iconic "Friends" and "Benji birds" to his less generally familiar abstracts.

Benjamin Chee Chee: Life and Legacy comprises a comprehensive selection of Chee Chee's works gathered from galleries and individuals across the province.

The exhibition presents a personal perspective, achieved through multifarious collaborations, including those with close friends of Chee Chee's.





Carson LARONDE (son of Charles LARONDE). Carson has been scouted to play on an Elite North American Hockey team. He will be playing on a team with kids from California, New Jersey, Boston, Toronto and Montreal, he was the only child from Northern Ontario that was picked in his age group. He will be participating in three tournaments; two in Toronto and one in Europe. In Europe he will

be playing against teams like Russia, Latvia, Czech, Germany, Finland, Sweden, Slovakia and Italy. He leaves for Milan Italy on April 26th, 2018 and he is there for 12 days. Hard work definitely pays off.



FIREWOOD FOR SALE

WHITE BIRCH SEASONED CUT & SPLIT – 16”

And Bagged Firewood (1 cu.ft)

TO PLACE AN ORDER:

Temagami First Nation
Lands & Resources Office
Carolyn 705-237-8600



**DAKI MENAN LANDS &
RESOURCES CORPORATION**

DELIVERED : (3 cords each load)

- TEMAGAMI = \$90/cord +HST
- LATCHFORD = \$100/cord +HST
- MARTEN RIVER = \$100/cord +HST
- MINE LANDING = \$100/cord +HST
- *** BEAR ISLAND = \$110/cord

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truck and tandem trailer.

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- Delivery prices for other locations will be calculated on a case-by-case basis.

All prices in effect until March 31, 2018.

MUST BE PREPAID ::: CASH OR CHEQUE

Payable to: Daki Menan Lands & Resources Corp.

MARCH 20, 2018

**COMMUNITY MINING
INFO SESSION & DINNER**

Location: LMLC, BEAR ISLAND

Time: **1:30 — 8:30pm**

Dinner: 5 pm ** **RSVP** 705-237-8600

Come out and see presentations by Mining Proponents about the type of Mining Explorations occurring on n'Daki Menan.



TEMAGAMI FIRST NATION

**Lands & Resources Dept.
Bear Island**

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WHAT'S NEW AT THE

TEMAGAMI FIRST NATION HOUSING DEPARTMENT

MARCH 2018



A quick update as to what's new in Housing at the Temagami First Nation. A new Housing Advisory Committee was formed after the 2017 election. Members are Jesse Paul, Joy Cooper, Paula Potts, Boshk Aguonia and Maria Sams. Doug McKenzie (Sr.) is the appointed council portfolio holder and committee chair.

Since December 2017 up until the present, the committee has been moving forward in development of policies and drafting a new Temagami First Nation Housing Policy.

For your information attached is the Residential Rehabilitation Assistance Program (RRAP) On-Reserve application process. For a copy of the Temagami First Nation Housing Restoration Policy (CMHC Funded), please contact the Housing Department.



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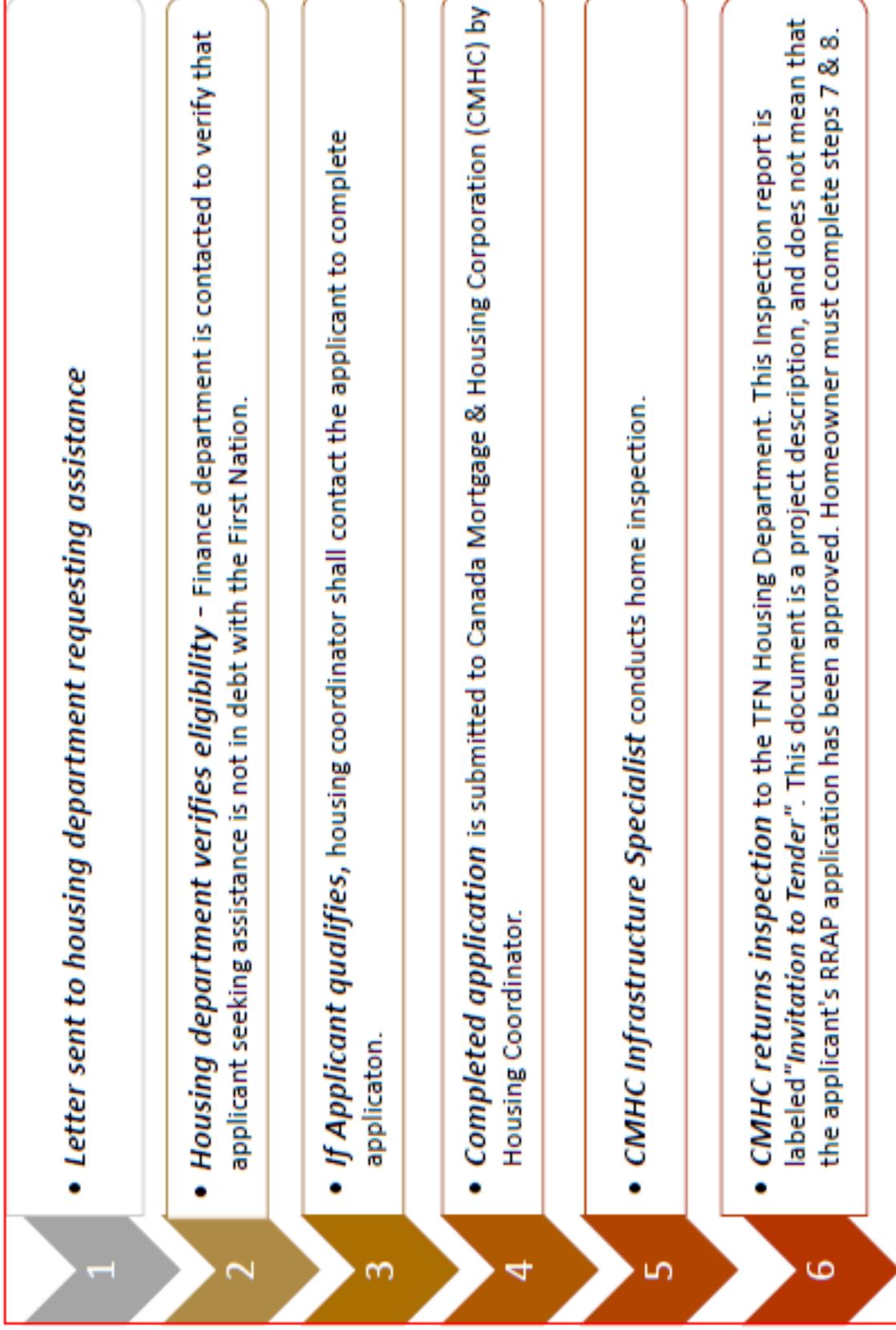
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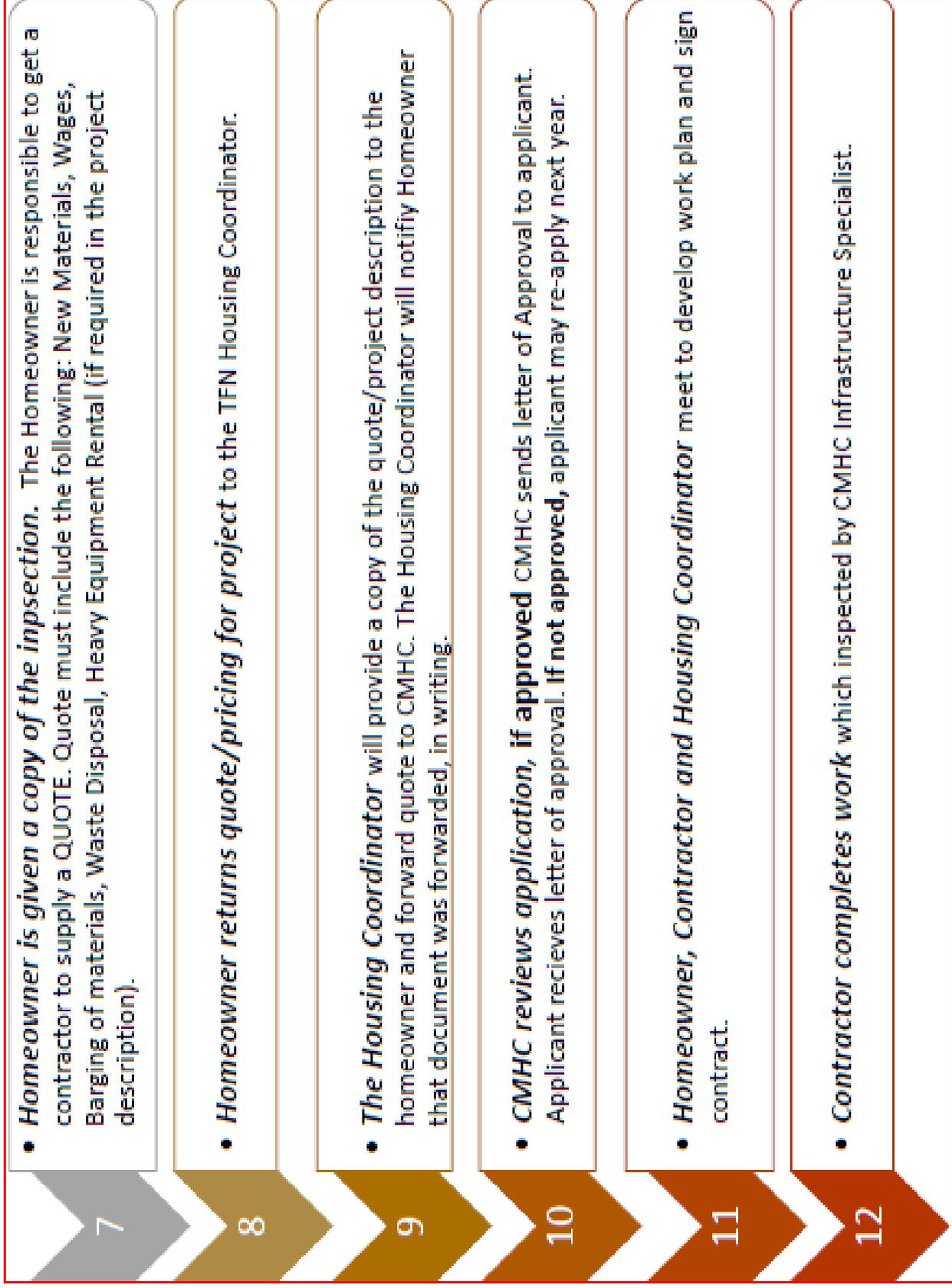
APPLICATION PROCESS RESIDENTIAL REHABILITATION APPLICATION PROGRAM (RRAP)

APPENDIX 1



APPLICATION PROCESS

RESIDENTIAL REHABILITATION APPLICATION PROGRAM (RRAP)





LANGUAGE CONFERENCE

Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan USA

The FHWC is planning a trip to this year's conference for Grade 7/8 Class, Sponsored Students, and On-Reserve Youth up to Age 30 who are working, participating in Youth Opportunities, or volunteering for Community events

Our travel day to Sault Ste. Marie is March 28th

The conference runs from March 29th-April 1st

Return Date will be April 1st or 2nd depending on Conference Schedule

For More Information Call Deva, Casey, or Tyler @ DPHC

705-237-8900