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Attention: UBCIC Members

**Re: Executive and Active Member Positions, Union of B.C. Indian Chiefs (UBCIC)**

- 1. Candidates for Vice-President**
- 2. Acclamation of Secretary Treasurer**
- 3. Extended Deadline for Active Member Positions: Women, Youth and Elders Representatives**

Nominations have now closed for the Union of B.C. Indian Chiefs Election for the Executive (Vice-President and Secretary-Treasurer) and Active Member positions (Women's Representative; Elder's Representative; Youth Representative).

**Executive Positions:**

**VICE-PRESIDENT** — THERE ARE THREE CANDIDATES FOR THE POSITION OF VICE-PRESIDENT:

**Bob Chamberlin, Kwicksutaineuk Ah-kwa-mish First Nation**

**Ryan Day, Bonaparte Indian Band Secwepemc**

**David Dennis, Huu-ay-aht**

**SECRETARY-TREASURER** — ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION

There was only one candidate nominated for the position of Secretary-Treasurer. **Chief Judy Wilson, Neskonlith Indian Band, is declared elected by acclamation as Secretary-Treasurer of the UBCIC.**

**DEADLINE EXTENSION FOR ACTIVE MEMBER NOMINATIONS:**

Active Member Positions: There were no valid nominations received for each of the Active Member positions. Accordingly, I have extended the deadline for nominations by one week, until February 8, 2017 at 4:30 pm.

**NOMINATIONS HAVE BEEN EXTENDED UNTIL FEBRUARY 8, 2017 AT 4:30 FOR THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS:**

1. **ELDER'S REPRESENTATIVE** - (at least 60 years old)
2. **WOMEN'S REPRESENTATIVE** - (a woman who is a member of one of the Indian Nations of British Columbia)
3. **YOUTH REPRESENTATIVE** - (between the ages of 19 and 30 years)

**\*\*** Active Members must be from a community which is a Full Member of the U.B.C.I.C. and knowledgeable about the Aboriginal Title, Rights and Treaty Rights Mandate of the U.B.C.I.C.

**Location:** Musqueam Community Centre, xʷməθkʷəyəm (Musqueam Territory).

**Date:** Wednesday, February 15, 2017

**Time:** First ballot 12:00 – 1:00 p.m.

**Times for any additional ballots, if required, will be set by the Chief Electoral Officer during the election and announced publicly at the AGA.**

- **Original or Faxed** Nomination forms must be submitted, **attention Chief Electoral Officer**, to one of the Union of B.C. Indian Chiefs' offices, **no later than 4:30 p.m., Wednesday, February 8, 2017.**

Union of B.C. Indian Chiefs  
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Vancouver, B.C.  
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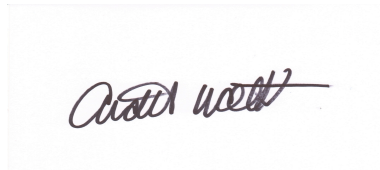
Union of B.C. Indian Chiefs  
209 - 345 Chief Alex Thomas Way  
Kamloops, B.C.  
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**FAX: (250) 828-0319**

- Registration and proxy forms are available directly from the UBCIC.
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- Please note: Several nominations were received from communities who are not Full Members in good standing for the current year. It is the responsibility of each candidate to check with the UBCIC directly to make certain that their own community, and each of their nominating communities, is a Full Member in good standing. The UBCIC can be reached at: (604)684-0231 (Vancouver office) or (250) 828-9746 (Kamloops office).

If you have any questions regarding the nomination process, please contact me at (604) 808-4077 or via email at: [ardith@walkemandassociates.com](mailto:ardith@walkemandassociates.com).

Yours truly,



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Barrister and Solicitor

Enclosure(s): Nomination forms for Women's Representative;  
Youth Representative; Elder's Representative