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SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT  
EXECUTION BY ONTARIO**

**TO: MEMBERS  
FROM: CHIEF AND COUNCIL  
RE: EXECUTION OF THE WILLIAMS TREATIES  
SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT BY ONTARIO**

Congratulations! The Williams Treaties Settlement Agreement has been executed by Ontario Minister of Indigenous Affairs Greg Rickford and Minister of Natural Resources and Forestry Jeff Yurek on August 9, 2018! This is an important milestone in the process.

The next step is for the Settlement Agreement to be executed by the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development Carolyn Bennett on behalf of Canada.

The Settlement Agreement must remain confidential, as per the terms of the Settlement Agreement, until it is executed by all the parties. The Settlement Agreement will become effective following the signing of the Settlement Agreement by Canada. We will update you again as soon as the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development Carolyn Bennett executes it.

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