MATACHEWAN FIRST NATION

Chief & Council Bulletin

<u>April 2020</u>

Chief & Council of Matachewan First Nation is meeting regularly via conference call to discuss the continually evolving situation involving the Covid-19 pandemic.

With the best interests of our community in mind we are monitoring the situation and making decisions and changes as new information arises.

Matachewan First Nation has officially declared a state of emergency.

Council has put the First Nation in lockdown. Only members living on the First Nation are allowed access, in and out.

Chief & Council is working to ensure that the needs of the on reserve community are met.

The band office is closed until further notice. Most staff are working from home at this time with the exception of those working in Health.

We hope that this situation resolves soon so that we can all return to some sense of normalcy.

Chief & Council strongly encourages everyone to participate in social distancing. It is recommended to maintain a distance of 6 feet from other individuals who do not reside with you.

This bulletin was reviewed and approved by Matachewan First Nation Chief & Council.