

**Mushkegowuk Council  
22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Assembly**

**Resolution No. 2007-09-18**

**Moved by:**

Chief Andrew Solomon  
Fort Albany First Nation

**Seconded by:**

Chief Patricia Faries-Akiwenzie  
Moose Cree First Nation

**Carried**

Certified copy of a resolution  
passed on September 13, 2007

**Decentralization of Payukotayno Child  
and Family Services**

WHEREAS it is recognized that Payukotayno: James & Hudson Bay Family Services has provided child and family services to the Mushkegowuk communities over the past twenty years;

WHEREAS it is becoming increasingly apparent that only limited success can be achieved through the current regional service delivery process;

WHEREAS it has been determined that a need exists for individual First Nation communities to begin assuming greater responsibility for the lives of their own children and families and for the delivery of related social programs and services;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Mushkegowuk Chiefs and Delegates in Assembly fully supports the discussions and negotiations for the decentralization of services between Payukotayno: James & Hudson Bay Family Services and the individual First Nations.

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Stan Louttit, Grand Chief

September 13, 2007  
Attawapiskat, Ontario