

Six Nations "Iroquois" Confederacy GRAND RIVER COUNTRY

Ohsweken, Onterio

October 9, 2021

Sgeno/Greetings,

In a duly convened Council of the the Haudenosaunee Confederacy Chiefs Council October 9th, I have been directed to send greetings and encouragement to your Leaders and People. The Chiefs, Clanmothers and People of the Haudenosaunee (also known as the Six Nations Confederacy), would like to reiterate our unwavering support for our Brothers and Sisters on the West coast, the Wet'suwet'en. We acknowledge all the work you've done to find peaceful solutions that uphold your laws, responsibilities, and sovereignty. The right of Onkwehonwe-Original People to protect Creation is a sacred responsibility that no foreign government can interfere with.

We stand with the Wet'suwet'en and their decision to say no to the further degradation of their lands. We walk with our Brothers and Sisters across Turtle Island who are seeking justice for long-standing land dispute issues and an end to the colonial genocide perpetuated against our Nations by Canada and its' provinces. We offer our thoughts, prayers and support, for there to be peace and strength for your People. We also urge the foreign government representatives to take the responsible path and seek peaceful resolution. This can only be achieved by sincere dialogue and mutual respect, followed by joint cooperation to resolve the issues at hand.

In Peace and Friendship,

Hohahes, Leroy Hill

Council Secretary,

Haudenosaunee Confederacy Chiefs Council

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