



May 4th, 2021

A message from the new Qalipu Mi'kmaq Youth Council!

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We are so excited to share that the Qalipu Mi'kmaq Youth Council is *officially* up and running!

After a lot of learning and growth for our small-but-mighty Elections Team - and just a few hiccups - we were able to host the election online over the weekend of April 24-25th using SimplyVoting.com. We had 39 Mi'kmaw youth registered to vote and achieved a 66.7% voter turnout! We announced the results to our Qalipu Mi'kmaq Youth Network on April 26th and now that we've had a bit of time to rest and catch up after the election, we are ready to share the results with all of you!!

- ✓ Co-Representative: Sabrina Muise (elected in November 2020)
- ✓ Co-Representative: Salome Barker
- ✓ Governance Representative: Avery Velez
- ✓ Finance & Admin Representative: Nora Barker
- ✓ Communications & Social Media Representative: Lindsey Swift
- ✓ Western Regional Representative: Ashlee Willette
- ✓ Central Regional Representative: Victoria Stacey
- ✓ Diaspora Regional Representatives: Ashley Cornect-Benoit & Ky Pearce

Congratulations to our new council members and a big wela'lioq / thank you to our Elections Team - Isaiah Hagerman, Robert Leamon and Sabrina Muise.

Meet our youth council :

https://www.canva.com/design/DAEdhpXhIWw/khDBJP40SC47m0grbpZJ_w/view?utm_content=DAEdhpXhIWw&utm_campaign=designshare&utm_medium=link&utm_source=sharebutton

Join the Qalipu Mi'kmaq Youth Network here (for all Mi'kmaq youth 14-30!!) :

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/qfnmikmaqyouth>

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<https://qalipu.us6.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=d232fc06b39ac60f756f6a579&id=e12e34c7b4>