About MUSKEG LAKE CREE NATION

“Muskeg Lake Cree Nation (MLCN) is a Plains Cree band that owns and manages a total of 35,123 acres in urban and rural lands. These lands are used for community living, agriculture, recreation and business. Muskeg Lake’s affairs are managed by the Chief and Council and informed by Cree Law. As a community, people of MLCN are proud of their Cree language, culture and heritage. During the year they have many events, as well as a cultural camp, to celebrate their culture and roots.”

(www.muskeglake.com)

Veterans from MLCN have played a significant role in how the community has developed and are honoured for their contributions.

HIGHLIGHTS AND OPPORTUNITIES

- Muskeg Lake Cree Nation signed Treaty 6 on August 23, 1876, under Chief Keetoowahaw.
- “Through business development and corporations, the MLCN aims to become economically self-sufficient and to provide resources for community development that will enhance the well-being and lives of their members.” (www.muskeglake.com)
- MLCN was first to create a commercial urban reserve in Canada in 1988.
- Business Grant Program – Member entrepreneurs can access funding assistance to set up and run their own businesses.
- Currently, there are approximately 35 businesses operating on MLCN urban reserve lands in Saskatoon.
- Fifteen acres of undeveloped urban reserve land exists in Saskatoon. To discuss leasing opportunities, contact MLCN.

DEMographics

Total Population: 2,157 persons
On Reserve: 361 persons/Off Reserve: 1,796 persons
Total Reserves/Settlements/Villages: 26,532 acres

TRIBAL COUNCIL AFFILIATION

Saskatoon Tribal Council (STC) Member

ECONOMICS

IN SASKATOON REGION

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<th>Land Holdings (Total)</th>
<th>48 acres</th>
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<td>Urban Reserves (Sutherland)</td>
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Employment (On Reserve)

| Full Time, Part-Time, Seasonal Employee | 637 persons |

Business Developments - Current

- McKnight Commercial Centre, Cattail 1 & Cattail 2 Commercial Centres (Sutherland)
- Muskeg Property Management
- CreeWay Gas Ltd. (Sutherland)
- Cree Way Gas West Ltd. (22nd Street)
- Creek Investments/Aspen Developments
- Jackpine Holdings Ltd.
- Dakota Dunes Casino
- Dakota Dunes Golf Ltd.
- STC Inc.

Business Developments - Proposed

- Aspen Place – in progress, Phase II
- Joseph Okemasis – pending, Phase III

OUTSIDE SASKATOON REGION

- Pithkawakew Lake

Source: Muskeg Lake Cree Nation, www.muskeglake.com
HOME RESERVE INFORMATION

Location
The home reserve is located in Central Saskatchewan, 93 kilometres north of Saskatoon, and is bordered by the towns of Marcelin, Leask, and Blaine Lake. It is accessible via Highways 40, 12, and 3.

Services
The Muskeg Lake Cree Nation (MLCN) offers many programs and services to band members, and delivers them in a way that reflects a desire for a healthy community that follows Cree laws. Services offered include: housing, finance, health and wellness, social development, community justice, recreation, and economic development.

Education
Kihiw Waciston School is a First Nations elementary school that serves pre-school to grade 5 students from the community of Muskeg Lake. Cree and cultural teaching is offered to the students with the guidance of community Elders. Students then complete their education in the neighbouring community of Leask and Blaine Lake. Post-secondary support opportunities are available to eligible members.

GOVERNANCE
Chief: Kelly Wolfe
Councillors: Tina Arcand, Terran Keewatin, Darrin Lafond, Harry Lafond, Paul Ledoux, Clifford Tawpisin Sr
Election Term: February 13, 2018 to February 12, 2021

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