



ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA CHIEFS

TO: Manitoba First Nation Leaders, Elders, and Hunters

FROM: AMC Secretariat, Grand Chiefs Office

DATE: 27 July 2017

SUBJECT: Provincial Night Hunting Consultation/Engagement Process

Dear First Nation leaders, Elders, and hunters,

The province of Manitoba will undertake a consultation/engagement process with First Nations concerning night hunting and night lighting. The outcome of this consultation/engagement process will inform the government how to move forward on night hunting by all Indigenous rights holders and licensed hunters.

The AMC encourages all First Nation leaders and First Nations hunters to attend. The dates are:

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| 1. Brandon | 08 Aug 2017 |
| 2. Dauphin | 09 Aug 2017 |
| 3. Ashern | 15 Aug 2017 |
| 4. Brokenhead Ojibway Nation | 16 Aug 2017 |
| 5. Opaskwayak Cree Nation | 25 Aug 2017 |
| 6. Thompson | 13 Sep 2017 |
| 7. Winnipeg | 20 Sep 2017 |

The AMC has made it clear to the province of Manitoba that our participation in this process should not be taken or construed as implied consent to the curtailment of any Aboriginal and Treaty rights in any shape or form. Rather, this is an opportunity to discuss and develop shared positions and coordinated strategies for addressing night hunting and night lighting. To this end, it is my hope that a large number of you will join us, we need to hear your voice.

Kindly note that each participant is responsible to bear their own costs and expenses. To RSVP or if you have any questions about the venue or otherwise contact Jeremy McKay at jmckay@manitobachiefs.com.

Sincerely,
ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA CHIEFS

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Senior Advisor, Assembly of Manitoba Chiefs