



	<p>(survey community) reported 100% food insecurity due to COVID 19. We are in process of sending fishing net to promote healthy activity and to deal with the food issue.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Indigenous Philanthropy</u> • Working with two communities- Brokenhead Ojibway Nation and Dakaota Plain Wahpeton Oyate. Brokenhead already got their qualified Donee status and we are filling forms for Dakaota Plain. • <u>Home Building and Housing:</u> • Shauna had a meeting with Alex & her team on the tiny house building project. Once completed, the house will be moved to OCN to deal with the housing shortage, • Courtney Allery, a research assistant at The National Aboriginal Circle Against Family Violence (NACAFV), works on a feasibility study on Second Stage housing in First Nation. The second stage housing is a temporary shelter for a person when they face violence by their intimate partners. • <u>Webinars:</u> • A series of webinars is occurring. We had 12 webinars in the last three months. Details and video links are available on our website at- http://ecohealthcircle.com/webinar/ • We have 3 webinars coming in March 2021. • Future Webinar Ideas- i) Panos on his findings on aerosol and airborne transmission policy regarding COVID 19, ii) Webinar with University of Manitoba RESOLVE Network, iii) Food Security (WISE results) & Kitigay, iv) Myrle’s work on developing an app for Health directors (official launch of the app Feb 18, 2021), v) Donna and Myrle on Lake St Martin on settlement and community’s current challenges. 		<p>Trea, Keshab</p> <p>Shauna, Catrina</p> <p>Rez, Shirley</p>
<p>4. Budget update</p>	<p>Spending for student’s capacity development is \$ 1,333,182 (81% of total grant) until February 16, 2021. Among them 91% or \$ 1,233,019 spent on students’ stipend. And \$100,163 spent on Student i) airfare 38%, ii) safety training and equipment’s 22%, iii) workshops registration 8%, iv) miscellaneous conference/travel cost 18%, v) Car rental 3%.</p>		<p>Rez</p>



<p>5. Anti-oppression, Reconciliation, Inclusion, Diversity and Equity (RIDE)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A draft Mino- Bimaadiziwin Partnership inclusion policy/consideration was accepted unanimously on January 21,2021 which will be revisited for wordsmithing over time. • We put the policy on our website and we are using it as project’s tag line. <p><u>Anti-oppression, Reconciliation, Inclusion, Diversity and Equity (ARIDE) Policy</u></p> <p>The Mino Bimaadiziwin Partnership stands for inclusion, justice, reconciliation and regenerative societies through critical scholarship and participatory research. The Mino Bimaadiziwin Partnership follows a zero-tolerance policy for oppression or abuse of any kind within our partnership organization. The Partnership considers the denial of racism, colonialism, sexism, gaslighting, and other systemic oppression forms to be an active form of oppression. The Partnership seeks the best available evidence to guide our organizing, education and research. In this effort, we listen openly and support victims who shed light on any form of violence, abuse or alienation practiced in our white supremacy-inspired, male-dominated culture. We pledge to be mindful of fairness and due process, recognizing how frequently victims are further victimized in sharing their stories. We work to be a safe and sincere place for dialogue. We acknowledge our privilege in society and the need to explore our own biases. The Partnership pledges to stand against any form of violence, abuse or alienation.</p>		
<p>6. Adjourn</p>	<p>1:00</p>		
<p>Previous Minutes: http://ecohealthcircle.com/executive-council-meeting-minutes/</p>			