

Mino Bimaadiziwin Partnership meeting for October 31, 2023

Date: October 31, 2023, 11:30 AM Central Time (US and Canada)

Attendees: Shirley Thompson (facilitator), Tanzim Ahmed, Keshab Thapa, Ali Hasan, Craig Blacksmith, Marleny Bonnycastle, Panos Polyzois, Babajide Oni.

October Meeting Notes:

Topics	Items of Discussion & Notes	Action/ Motion	Person/People Responsible
Approve the last meeting minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approved Sept. 29th minutes 	1 st - Keshab 2 nd – Craig	Carried
1. Agenda	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approval of agenda 	Informal	Carried
2. YFFN and Wikiwin	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The YFFN students are doing well with a schedule set up and working with Deanna Hill. They participate in home-building activities on construction days, taking classes and working on assignments on other days. A stabbing of the chief has him in hospital but recovering. Our application for funding for \$8 million for York Landing moved ahead. 		Keshab & Babajide
4. Quality in architecture and One House Many Nations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Planning to attend a roundtable event in Kenora in November as a part of the project on quality in architecture with Shirley, Panos, and Maise on sustainable design, which will be filmed by Prairie Research Centre. Shauna, Marleny and Shirley are planning a Housing workshop with York Factory First Nation and Keewatin Tribal Council on February 22-23rd (Thursday and Friday) in Thompson for Quality in Architecture/Mino Bimaadiziwin SSHRC partnerships. 		Panos
5. Mapping	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keshab has submitted redacted maps with some areas needing more work. 		
6. Dakota plan for economic development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Southport near Dakota Tipi has found “heaven” for building factory homes with a housing factory, dormitory for teaching program on trades and airplane that a Dakota entrepreneurial group plan to lease. 		Craig
5. Adjourn			



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