

Boozhoo!

My name is Tony HANSON and I was a proud member of the Biigtigong Nishnaabeg council for the last term hoping to return to council at the next election due on September 30th 2017. I would like to take this time to thank all of those that voted for me in the last election and hope that I can count on your support for this coming election.

I'm 61 years of age this September and have lived in Marathon since 2010 when I returned from Sault Ste Marie to work for the Anishinabek Police Service at the Pic River detachment. Prior to 2010 I worked out of our headquarters at Garden River and also worked with the OPP since September 1992 before joining APS in August 2002 at the Pic River detachment.

I have two daughters Jessica Dugas who resides with her two boys and husband in SSM and my other daughter Natalie McDonald who resides with her daughter and husband in Cambridge. Both daughters are status members of the Biigtigong Nishnaabeg. My mother Catherine Hanson passed away last year in December and my father Steve Hanson still resides in Thunder Bay along with my brother David Hanson and two sister's Heather Hurcombe and Cheryl Bailey.

I learned a lot being on council for the past two years and look forward to sitting a second term on council if the voters feel I'm the right person for this position. My portfolio while on council was the trails and Gchi-Waaswaaganing visitor center on Highway 17. I look forward to continuing with those two projects as well as the land claims and new school that Biigtigong Nishnaabeg is in the process of going through.

Once again I would like to say that I look forward to being re-elected to council so that I can continue in helping our community to progress into the future with every opportunity that lies ahead.

I am asking for your continuing support in the upcoming election on Saturday September 20th 2017.

I would lastly like to extend my best wishes to all of the other candidates in the upcoming election.

Thanks for your support (Miigwetch)

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'T. Hanson', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Tony HANSON