



Wasoqopa'q First Nation

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Dear Band Members,

It has come to our attention that a Wasoqopa'q (Acadia) Band member is purporting to open a cannabis store on one of our reserves.

Chief and Council of the Wasoqopa'q First Nation has not authorized the operation of any cannabis store on our reserves.

Any such stores that do open unilaterally will be illegal and will be closed down.

There will be no operation of cannabis stores on our reserves without:

- community sessions being held to determine how members feel about them,
- guidelines being set on where any such establishments could be located, and
- determining what licencing and other conditions for health and safety should apply.

Chief Deborah Robinson

