ANNUAL GENERAL ASSEMBLY
JULY 12, 13 & 14, 2011, MONCTON, NB

Resolution no. 16/2011

TITLE:	Support for Kiashke Zaaging Anishinaabek (Gull Bay First Nation)
SUBJECT:	Land Claims
MOVED BY:	Chief Miles Nowegejick, Gull Bay First Nation, ON
SECONDED BY:	Councillor Patricia Magiskan, Proxy, Aroland First Nation, ON
DECISION:	Carried by Consensus – 1 abstention

WHEREAS:

A. The Chief and Council of the Gull Bay First Nation are seeking the support of the Chiefs-in-Assembly and the Assembly of First Nations (AFN) in expediting their land-related negotiations.

B. The Federal and Provincial governments have been aware of Gull Bay's boundary claim for over a decade, but neither government has acted on its section 35 Constitution Act duties to consult and accommodate the Treaty and Aboriginal Rights of Gull Bay.

C. It is the priority of Gull Bay to have its real reserve boundaries recognized and confirmed through the boundary claim process that has been filed with Canada and Ontario.

D. The Chief and Council of the Gull Bay First Nation have requested that all third-party activity in the vicinity of Gull Bay must cease until the time that the boundaries of the Gull River have been recognized and confirmed.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Chiefs-in-Assembly:

1. Support the Gull Bay First Nation in their land claim and encourage both the Province of Ontario and the Federal Government of Canada to work towards reaching a resolution of this claim with the Gull Bay First Nation.

2. Support the Gull Bay First Nation's call to cease all third-party activity in its territory until the boundaries of the Gull River have been confirmed.

Certified copy of a resolution adopted on the 13th day of July, 2011 in Moncton, New Brunswick

SHAWN A-IN-CHUT ATLEO, NATIONAL CHIEF