

Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe Environment Division

Anthony David,
Director

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Ernest Cree SRMT Home Improvement Program 71 Margaret Terrance Memorial Way Akwesasne, NY

Re: Transitional Housing- EA Review Team Comments

She:kon/ Greetings Ernest,

The Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe Environment Division has completed a review of the proposed activities associated with the SRMT Home Improvement Program's *Transitional Housing* project, file number 2022-02. The project has completed a 15-day public comment period, and has been reviewed by the SRMT Environment Division, the Tribal Historic Preservation Officer, and has been assessed for impacts to traditional medicinal plants. While this project will occur within the known habitat range of a U.S. threatened species, the Norther Long-eared bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*), there is no evidence that suggests that this project will have any adverse impacts on this projected species.

This project has been approved and granted a Finding of No Significant Impact. You are free to move ahead with the prosed actions.

The status of this project can change if the project is altered. Please notify the SRMT Environment Division in writing of any changes within the scope of the project that could potentially change the outcome of this review.

Thank you for your patience and cooperation. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at 518-358-5937.

Nia:wen/ Thank you,

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