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Two: Ratification Phase

Background



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- Strong community support for AIP
 - Over 70% of Member participated in a vote, and 70% of those supported AIP
 - Due to extensive consultation practices

Results of vote



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- Initialled Treaty December 2006
- January 2007 – July 2007– prepped for ratification
 - Re-election in March of 2007
- Vote on July 25, 2007
- 95% of Members voted
- 69% of those who voted said yes

Print and Video



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- Print activities
 - Treaty Newsletters
 - Brochures
 - Self-government vs. Indian Act
 - Treaty myths
 - Economic Development
 - Tax
 - Constitutional status of Treaty Lands
 - Treaty Activity Calendar
- Video
 - Constitution video
 - Treaty summary video

TFN Member Interaction



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- Treaty Pro/Con Debate
- Self-governance meetings
 - Governance-themed
 - Off-reserve Constitution meetings, workshops
- Resource Chapters meeting
- Governance/General Principles/Procedural
- Fiscal/Tax/Capital Transfer
- Lands
 - CP replacement interest consultations
- Family Meetings – 12-15
- Youth meetings, pamphlets, conference, essay contest, art project, workshop, youth vote
- Workshops on non-member representation, Tax/fiscal, constitution, intergovernmental relations
- Elders lunches, genealogy workshop, land tour