

Questions about the by-law:

1. What is the area Wahta members have rights to?
2. What is the opinion on the OMNR role in enforcement of the by-law?
3. Should enforcement of the hunting by-law be done by a person appointed by Council from Wahta? If so what kind of training should be required?
4. What is the definition of a Wahta member?
5. Does this definition include spouses and children of members?
6. When a member is hunting with a non-member does that non-member have any rights to hunting or are they required to have a hunting permit issued by council?
7. Should there be hunting seasons created or should there be no seasons?
8. If no seasons are created how do you protect species that are in a period of producing young?
9. Will there be a stipulation on restrictions for hunting of a specific sex of a species?
10. Should there be a maximum allowable amount of a species harvested for members?
11. Should there be a maximum allowable amount of a species harvested on a permit for non-members?
12. Should there be a position created as a wildlife manager for Wahta?
13. Should a wildlife manager position be created, will that person also be issuing permits for hunting and fishing?
14. Should there be any by-laws regarding species at risk? How will this be addressed?
15. Is there any need for a field data collection sheet regarding species harvesting?
16. What are the biggest issues concerning hunting and fishing on Wahta territory?
17. What is the geographic area covered in the by-law?
18. What about hunting on CP lands?
19. Does a permit issued allow for hunting on CP lands?
20. What is the opinion of the territory in which hunting is permissible for Wahta members?
21. If permits are issued how will this be done?
22. How many permits should be issued?
23. Will there be a lottery for permits? Will it be based on a first come basis or put into a draw for permits?
24. Will there be an expiry date associated with a permit?
25. Does the elder population have access to harvested animals?
26. Is there a need for guides on Wahta?
27. Should there be a requirement for guides?
28. If a permit is to be created what information should go on the permit? Will it only be a letter stating permission to hunt or will it carry much more detail about areas permitted to be hunted, permitted species and possession limits?
29. Is there a willingness to complete a harvest and hunting log?
30. How long should a non-member hunting permit last?
31. Should a hunting permit have a set charge for issuance?

32. If permits require a payment where should that money go?
33. Is there a place on Wahta territory where hunting should not happen?
34. Is there an area that hunting is the most productive?
35. Is there an area that should be designated as an area strictly for Wahta members to hunt on?
36. Should hunting permits only be issued to other Mohawk members outside of Wahta?
37. What kinds of rules pertaining to Migratory birds should the by-law have that are not already in the proposed by-law?
38. How should reporting infractions be handled?
39. Who should be overseeing the handling of charges?
40. How do you prevent people from making false accusations regarding by-law infractions?
41. What kinds of penalties should be enacted to prevent false accusations?
42. Will there be any opportunity for self policing of the by-law where a person can address mistakes made without being charged?
43. Should there be a segment pertaining to spearing? Members? Non-Members?