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TRIBAL GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

IN LIGHT OF the current health condition of our Chairman, Jamie Azure, the Turtle Mountain Tribal Government will now enact **Article VI, Section 1** of the **Turtle Mountain Tribal Constitution** –

“The Vice-Chairman shall be elected from within the Tribal Council and his only duty shall be to serve as presiding officer of the Council in the absence of the Chairman.”

Vice-Chairman, Elmer Davis, Jr. will be assuming the roles and responsibilities of the Chairmanship until further notice.

All Government activities, projects, and events shall continue as normal. The internal governmental processes have been established to ensure that all official business is handled, dealt with, and continues as well. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Acting Chairman Davis or the Legal Department.

The Tribal Government would like to extend their prayers to Chairman Azure, for a successful recovery. Thoughts and Prayers go out to his family as well.