



# KAHNAWÀ:KE LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION

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## Community Hearing Scheduled for *Kahnawà:ke Tobacco Law*

For immediate release

**(Kahnawake – 18 Ohiari:ha/June 2026)** The Kahnawà:ke Legislative Commission (KLC) wishes to inform the community that a Community Hearing for the *Kahnawà:ke Tobacco Law* is scheduled for **Thursday, June 25, 2026**, at the **Knights of Columbus Hall** from **5pm to 8pm**. If the review of the proposed changes is not completed, a follow-up session will be scheduled.

The draft *Kahnawà:ke Tobacco Law* went through the Community Decision Making and Review Process (CDMRP). Following that, a legal review highlighted certain sections which required changes which were communicated recently to the community via kiosks, radio talk-shows, and stakeholder consultations to re-acquaint the community with the Law and draft revisions.

The next step in the process is a CDMRP hearing to review these changes with the community, and to obtain consensus on these changes. Once complete, the Law will be read into the record and then proceed to enactment.

The version of the Law with ‘track changes’ is available for viewing at:

<http://kahnawakemakingdecisions.com/pages/tobacco/>

Interested community members on the Kanien’kehá:ka of Kahnawà:ke Registry should pre-register their attendance **before the end of the day on Tuesday, June 23**, by contacting **Tonia Jacobs, Strategist**, at **450-632-7500 ext. 50297**, or by email at [tonia.jacobs@mck.ca](mailto:tonia.jacobs@mck.ca). **If there are not at least 10 pre-registrants, the hearing will be rescheduled.** Walk-ins are welcome.

Food and refreshments will be available.

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For information on the Law, please contact:

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