SOME ADDITIONAL INFORMATION RE: COURT

What is a First Appearance?

You as a victim are NOT required to attend an accused's first appearance. If you are in contact with VWAP then they will contact you and let you know when and if you're required to attend Court.

If they do not contact you a Subpoena (Legal Document that obligates you to attend court) will be served upon you from a local police officer. That document will have your trial court date on it.

Free interpretation services

If you are unable to communicate in English, you can call the court to have an interpreter attend to assist you, free of charge. Please call the court where you will be attending and leave a message with:

- your full name and contact information
- the language you speak
- the date and time you are coming to court
- the courtroom number

If you are Ojibway / Cree / Oji-Cree speaking, you have the right to have your trial heard in those languages (or possibly as a bilingual proceeding). To exercise that right you must request that your trial be held in your official language of choice. If you wish to proceed in Ojibway / Cree / Oji-Cree, you should advise the judicial officer or VWAP when they contact you.

What to bring to court

- any papers the police or anyone else gave you relating to your case.
- any papers you think might be important to your case (e.g. letters from doctors, counsellors, employers, schools, volunteer work)
- any person(s) that you wish to assist in providing comfort and support during your trial.



Nishnawbe Aski Police Services

NAPS Headquarters Survivor Assistance Support Program

309 Court Street South Thunder Bay, ON P7B 2Y1 1-800-654-6277 Ext. 6150

Northeast Regional Headquarters

1-800-549-6277 Ext. 33

Northwest Regional Headquarters

1-888-396-6277

VICTIM REFERRAL CARD

OCC#:			

Officer:_____

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TALK 4 HEALING ABORIGINAL WOMEN'S HELPLINE 1-855-554-HEAL (4325)

WOMEN'S SHELTERS

H.E.R. PLACE (TIMMINS) 705-264-7233 TOLL FREE: 1-855-827-7233

TRANQUILITY HOUSE (MATHESON) 705-273-2339 TOLL FREE: 1-866-993-2339

VILLA RENOUVELLEMENT (TIMMINS) 705-264-8452 TOLL FREE: 1-877-748-8452

FORT ALBANY 705-278-8000

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MEN'S SHELTERS

GA BEH SHOO (COCHRANE) 705-272-5216

GOOD SAMARITAN INN (SOUTH PORCUPINE) 705-235-4663

FRIENDSHIP CENTRES

ININEW FRIENDSHIP CENTRE (COCHRANE) 705-272-4497

TIMMINS NATIVE FRIENDSHIP CENTRE 705-268-6262

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MOOSONEE OFFICE 705-336-0120 TOLL FREE: 1-844-200-2686

KAPUSKASING NATIVE FRIENDSHIP CENTRE 705-337-1935

METIS NATION OF ONTARIO (COCHRANE) 705-221-2277

SEXUAL ASSAULT CENTRES

TIMMINS AND AREA WOMEN IN CRISIS

(TAWC) 705-268-8381 705-268-2330 TOLL FREE: 1-877-268-8380

ASSAULTED WOMEN'S HELPLINE TOLL FREE: 1-866-863-0511

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MOOSE CREE HEALING CENTRE

MENTAL HEALTH, COUNSELLING, ADDICTIONS 705-658-4674

MUSHKEGOWUK VICTIM SERVICES OF JAMES BAY & HUDSON BAY REGION

(ININIWAK E WICHIHITOCHIK)

705-658-2164

(after hour emergencies only 705-336-8605)

MOOSE FACTORY 705-658-2164

ATTAWAPISKAT 705-997-2325

MOOSE CREE HEALTH SERVICES

CRISIS LINE 705-336-8109 705-336-8110

WAHA COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH AND ADDICTION PROGRAM

705-997-2323 TOLL FREE: 1-877-336-2323

SOUTH COCHRANE ADDICTION SERVICES (TIMMINS)

705-264-5202

REGIONAL YOUTH CRISIS (MOOSE FACTORY)

705-658-2981

HOSPITALS

WEENEEBAYKO AREA HEALTH AUTHORITY (WAHA) 705-658-4544

TIMMINS AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL (TDH) 705-267-2131 TOLL FREE: 1-888-340-3003

ATTAWAPISKAT HOSPITAL 705-997-2150

CHILD & FAMILY SERVICES

PAYUKOTAYNO JAMES & HUDSON BAY FAMILY SERVICES 705-336-2229

AFTER HOURS 1-866-615-1681

KUNUWANIMANO CHILD & FAMILY SERVICES 705-268-9033

TOLL FREE: 1-800-461-1293

LEGAL SERVICES

NISHNAWBE-ASKI LEGAL SERVICES (TIMMINS) 705-268-1105

TOLL FREE: 1-866-859-3887

RESTORATIVE JUSTICE. COMMUNITY LEGAL WORK, VICTIM SERVICES

ATTAWAPISKAT 705-997-1285

MOOSE FACTORY 705-268-5455

KIDS HELP PHONE TOLL FREE: 1-800-668-6868

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FIRST NATIONS AND INUIT HOPE FOR WELLNESS

TOLL FREE: 1-855-242-3310

HUMAN TRAFFICKING HELPLINE TOLL FREE: 1-833-999-9211

TIMMINS RAPID ACCESS ADDICTION MEDICINE (RAAM) 705-531-RAAM (7226)

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

FIRE/POLICE/AMBULANCE 911

POLICE 1-888-310-1122 / HEARING IMPAIRED 1-888-310-1133

NAPS MOOSE FACTORY 705-658-4887

NAPS ATTAWAPISKAT 705-997-2224

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