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Tsi Nahóten Karihwanákere No'nenk - News Release

Chief in Washington, D.C.

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(9, Tsothórho/December 2004) Chief Mike Bush will be in Washington, D.C. on Thursday, 10 Tsothórha/December to as part his work on the border-crossing file.

Chief Bush will visit with officials of the Antheon Corporation and tour their facilities. Antheon is a company that has the capability to provide high tech, secure identification cards. As the community is aware, the Mohawk Council of Kahnawá:ke (MCK) has been exploring methods that could facilitate border crossing for members of this community.

“The key word here is *exploring*,” said Chief Bush. “We have met with Homeland security in the United States, who are agreeable to recognizing an identification card issued by Kahnawá:ke – and only Kahnawá:ke. There have been many meetings and progress has been made but we have to remind people that there is still a lot of work that needs to be done.”

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