

TO COUNCILS FROM MAYOR Brown

FOR YOUR INFORMATION THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTIONS WERE
~~PASSED~~ AT THE KEEWATIN REGIONAL HEALTH BOARD MEETINGS ON
 OCTOBER 2nd.

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Be it resolved that

Whereas the KRHB believes that it is not in the interest of patient care for Keewatin patients to travel to Yellowknife and Edmonton for services

Whereas the Keewatin patients are pleased with services being provided by Physicians and hospitals in Winnipeg and have established sound patient services in Winnipeg which reflect this need

Whereas there exists a lack of similar services for Keewatin patients in Yellowknife and Edmonton including Boarding Room Interpreters, Transport, acceptable contractor, repatriation and similar size pool of physicians and specialists services who know our Keewatin patients people and,

Whereas there continues to be a lack of adequate airline service between Keewatin and the western arctic for patient travel

Therefore, be it resolved, that the KRHB,

- 1) Contact all 3 Keewatin members of the Legislative Assembly by letter to bring forth this matter in the fall session and express our strong

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support for continuing to utilize the services in Winnipeg. KRNB will also send a letter or fax directly to the Minister of Health on this issue.

- 2) Contact all Hamlet Councils, KEC, and KIA to request they add their support by asking them to also contact their MLA and insist they raise our concern in the Legislative Assembly.
- 3) And that the writing and sending of these letters be given top priority by KRNB Administration.

Resolution No. 6.