



Nuu-chah-nulth Tribal Council

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Nuu-chah-nulth Mourn the Loss of Qiiqiiqiy'amt Willard Gallic Sr.

It is with sad hearts that we acknowledge the sad and sudden passing of a well-known and respected Tseshaht elder Qiiqiiqiy'amt Willard Gallic Sr.

On behalf of the Nuuchahnulth Tribal Council we wish to send our deepest and most heartfelt condolences to the family, communities, and Nation's that grieve this terribly sad loss. Willard's commitment and love to his family and Nation of Tseshaht will not be forgotten and his presence will be dearly missed at the many meetings we frequently connected and crossed paths with him at. We honour Willard's life and recognize the many contributions he has made to the betterment of life for all Nuuchahnulth-aht.

President Judith Sayers states "Willard Gallic was an important figure in Nuuchahnulth communities. He dedicated his life to our rights, treaty negotiations, and language and culture. He will be sorely missed as he involved himself in so many meetings and activities and was so well-known and loved by many. Our deepest condolences to the family and Tseshaht community for this significant loss."

Vice-president Mariah Charleson goes on to say "Willard displayed our Nuuchahnulth values daily in what he did and how he treated people. The community has lost an extremely knowledgeable, caring and respectful elder. My deepest condolences go to Willard's family during this time of grieving."

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About Nuuchahnulth Tribal Council

The Nuuchahnulth Tribal Council (NTC) provides programs and services to over 10,000 registered members. The role of the NTC is to represent 14 First Nations in three regions stretching 300 kilometers of the Pacific Coast of Vancouver Island from Brooks Peninsula in the north to Point-no-Point in the south. The NTC represents Ahousaht, Ditidaht, Ehatesaht/Chinehkint, Hesquiaht, Hupacasath, Huu-ay-aht, Kyuquot/Checklesah, Mowachaht /Muchalaht, Nuchatlaht, Tla-o-qui-aht, Toquaht, Tseshah, Uchucklesaht and Ucluelet First Nations and provides a variety of programs and services to them.

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