

**Candidate Profile for Chief
Randy Joe, Mayuk
Sechelt, BC**

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Education and Work Experience

High School education, Elphinstone High School.

Logging industry, 12 years. Deep sea fishing, 6 years. Mining industry, 17 years. Councillor for Sechelt Nation from 2013-2016. Involved in the Constitution Committee from 2018-2019, the Reconciliation Committee and in the Day Scholars Class Action. I was in the Lehigh negotiations in 2016. I was involved in the Foundational Agreement.

Community Experience

I have been involved with all events that the nation puts up, from community meetings, general meetings, constitution meetings, and reconciliation events. I have been a spokesperson on my residential school experience at the Sechelt elementary and Pender Harbour High school. I have met with the last three Mayors and numerous council members for the Sechelt district and the SCR. I am very active in the community with the Sechelt nation and settler community.

I am running for Chief of the Sechelt nation because through out my lifetime I have seen the struggles of my people and how the government has held us back, by taking our land away from us. I have seen numerous leaders in the past trying to right the wrongs. In my family my grand father Clarence Joe Sr. fought for the rights of our nation for 47 years. Today we are still on that path with the government and we are getting close to solving those issues with our title case. It is time to solve that issue; it is going to take all of us to put up a good fight to get our land back.

Other goals are:

Community wellness
Economic Development
Education and Culture
Housing for all
Elders monthly raise

Collaborating with surrounding nations:

New agreements in the aquaculture, fish farms, and oyster farms.
New agreements in the mining industry for all our territory.
Communications with BC Hydro.

I will bring strong leadership for our new council, employees, business's and our self governance and most importantly our nation members. The ones who live on nation land and the ones who live off.

Thank you for this opportunity to run for Hiwus of the swiya.

Randy Joe Mayuk Grizzly Bear Clan