

October 1, 2024

Council Update for Settling the Clan Name

First the Council wants to send best wishes for safety and their heartfelt support for all the people affected by Hurricane Helene. We have many Clan members and volunteer workers living near the two major Highland Games held at Grandfather Mountain (NC) and Stone Mountain (GA). The office for Grandfather Mountain was closed and the office manager said she had to drive an hour to find cell service and that there were fatalities in the area. The states most affected are North and South Carolina, Tennessee, Georgia, Florida and Virginia where we have many Clan members.

The audit is near completion as we just received the last preference input on September 30 which had been pending a clarification. The final number of responses, eligible and ineligible, stands at 187 which are under review by the Council to assure accuracy.

In the event an additional round is necessary to reach an overwhelming consensus we want to remind Clan members to be sure to have their ID Code for Settling the Clan name available. This Code will be your authorization to participate in a second round if necessary. There will be no additional participants eligible to join round two.

The Council plans to meet the week of October 7th to review round one results with the Supervisory Officer of the Court.

Sincerely,
Council of President