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Assembly of First Nations – Yukon Region and Regional Chief Kluane Adamek offer condolences following tragedy in Faro, Yukon

Whitehorse, Yukon – The Assembly of First Nations – Yukon Region would like to offer heartfelt condolences to all those affected by the unexpected and devastating tragedy that took place in the community of Faro on Tuesday, October 26th.

To the families of the victims, and to the entire community of Faro; know that you are not alone. We stand in solidarity and mourning with you during this painful and shocking time.

Acknowledging this is a time of grieving for many, we encourage community members to reach out to one another and to ask for support if needed. There are several mental health supports and resources available to anyone affected by the tragedy, including:

Yukon Government Mental Wellness

<https://yukon.ca/en/mental-wellness>

867-667-5811 or 867-667-5812 or toll free in the Yukon 1-800-661-0408

Canadian Mental Health Association Yukon Division

<https://yukon.cmha.ca/programs-services/counselling-services/>

(867) 668-6429

Kids Help Phone Line

1-800-668-6868 or text 686868

Canada Suicide and Crisis Line

1-800-448-3000

We are sending love, prayers, respect, and healing thoughts to the community of Faro during this time of grief and heaviness.

Däk'à nųtà jè (take care of yourself).