

Letter of Support From Rematriation Magazine for the Indigenous Peoples March 1.18.19

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Rematriation Magazine stands with the Indigenous Peoples March on 1.18.19 and the collective of activists, organizers, tribal leaders, social entrepreneurs, artists, educators, innovators and change makers, who are working to build the collective power of indigenous peoples, communities and Nations. We are honored to be a part the Indigenous Peoples March, which will be the first international march of its kind to unite Indigenous Peoples.

Rematriation is a powerful word Indigenous women of Turtle Island use to describe how they are restoring balance to the world. To some Haudenosaunee women, it means “Returning the Sacred to the Mother”. At Rematriation Magazine, we are guided by our traditional teachings which acknowledge our connection to water, our Grandmother Moon and Mother Earth. We are empowered through our matrilineal culture. In the summer of 2017, Onkwehonwe (Indigenous) women came together under a monumental solar eclipse. During this 4-day gathering of healing at Ganondagan State Historic Site (Seneca), our Haudenosaunee Sisterhood was rekindled in a reunion of our women from the six nations of our Confederacy. Here at Rematriation Magazine, we support events, gatherings and provide various mediums for storytelling across all our communities—through the Indigenous woman’s perspective.

Rematriation Magazine is a platform where Indigenous women gather for collective healing from historical trauma as well as current traumas—and for empowerment through rewriting our own narratives and the telling of new narratives. We deliver kitchen table conversations through an online platform, allowing women to participate from anywhere at any time. Our official launch party takes place in the homelands of the Onondaga (Onondaga) Nation, on January 20, 2019. Indigenous women and supportive Indigenous men are invited to this event.

On January 19, 2019, Rematriation Magazine is holding a Welcome Social for our Indigenous Sisters and Brothers who marched down the streets of Washington DC during the Indigenous Peoples March. Advocating for the visibility, rights, and humanity of Indigenous Peoples simultaneously raises a loud, collective voice that asks for people to restore respect for our sacred Mother Earth and Indigenous women. This is one of the many reasons we support #IPMDC19!

It’s time to tell HerStory, in our own voices, and that is what Rematriation Magazine is doing. Follow our work online with the hashtags #OurStoriesMatter #Rematriation and visit us at rematriation.com.

With Support,

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