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It must also be a person who is willing and able to be present from 9.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. on each of the two days set for the Vancouver meetings; and who will conduct himself with the dignity expected from a delegate attending such an important meeting with high officials of the Department.

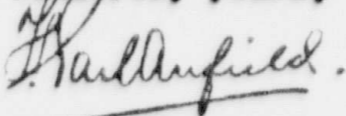
It is realized that we are giving very short notice to secure the type of delegate your Band would like to send, but it was not possible to settle the meeting dates until the past few days.

Will you call your Council together at the earliest possible date and choose the delegate to represent your people at what may be a meeting of the greatest importance to your people and indeed to all the Indians of the five Agencies involved. Please let me know your choice at once. I enclose a stamped envelope for your reply, also a letter paper on which you may write me a note telling me the name and address of your delegate.

The Department will pay travelling expenses of the delegate if from outside the Greater Vancouver area. The delegate will stay in a hotel of their own choice whilst in town and will be given a return travel warrant for fares and a cheque for his meals and room on arrival at the meeting place on Wednesday, July 20th at 9.00 a.m.

I shall look forward to hearing from you at your earliest convenience please.

Sincerely yours,



F. Earl Anfield  
Superintendent, Vancouver Agency.

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cc Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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