

Ta'n Telatuet L'nu

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Ta'n kisi-wi'kik

Lisa Prosper na wettaqne'wasit Kespukwitk aq ala'sit kekknamuetl ta'n wenik teli-ktlams~tasultijik wenulti'tij. Pilui L'nu'k kekna'ma'sijik aq wkmittkiwal. I' naspis mawi espitek Kanata ICOMOS aq nike' nikana'toq Indigenous Cultural Heritage Advisory Council wjit Parks Canada. Weskwijinuis aq wejikwet Ottawa, katu nike' wikit Whitehorse, Yukon.

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Poqtaknutmaqn

U't kelo'tmimk ta'n tett wen wettaqne'wasit wejiaq ta'n teli-ktlams~tasultimk aq ta'n me' tel nennmi'tij wenik ta'n kis mawmni tla'sik aq ta'n kis-tlo'ltijik pilui-L'nu'k aq wmitkiwal. Wi'katiknn aklasie'we'l kekknua'tikekl teli-te'tmi'tij wettaqne'wasik koqoey ta'n teli-ktlamistasultijik wenik tujiw teppistekel maqmikemual aq ta'n teli-ktlams~tasij wen¹ Ajite'tmi'tij ta'n koqoey mu mimajinuk nkutey wi'kual tujiw el'otk tejk koqoey mimajijk kutey ta'n teli-ktlamistasij aq ta'n telo'ltisnik' wenki'k aq ta'n te'sik nenmi'tij koqoey mimaju'nulkwi'tis.² Katu ke's pemitaik, pojji nmitu'k mu etenuk newte''jk ta'n kisi we'wtesnuk kinua'taqtinew ta'n teli-piliui-ktlamistasit wskwijiinu, staqa nike' mu ms~t L'nu newte'' teli-ktlamistasik tlia'j L'nuit. Ms~t wenik piluo'ltijik u't wskwitqamu.

Atel pojji ankaptmi'tij ta'n tel-tetpisa'taq u't aklasiew teli ankaptik ta'n wenik teliktlamistasultijik, aq me' pojji kepmite'taqitijik koqoey wjit ta'n wenik telo'ltijik.³ Me' ne'kaw teli-ankaptmi'tij kutey nekmowk ta'n teli ankaptmi'tij koqoey. Ketu tli'ankaptmi'tij kutey L'nu ms~t newte' tele'k toqo mu kis-tla'sinu wjit kinu. Kepmite'lsulti'k aq nestmu'k ta'n teli tepisi-klamistasulti'k aq me' nekow nenmu'k ta'n teli kepmite'lmu'kik ms~t kikmanaq ms~t wskwitqamu. Ta'n wenik maw-nennmi'tij aq ta'n kisi-kinua'taqijik ta'n telo'ltijik wenik ta'n tel-sa'q kisi-pm'a'tutij sa'qowey koqoey L'nuey, na maw nutaik wuli-klo'tmn ta'n teli piluo'ti'k aq teli-nuta'q kinuateken klaman kisi siawa'sitew.⁴



Metue'k ewe'wmumk aklasie'wey ta'n tujiw ketu' kinua'tikemk ta'n tett wettaqne'wasit L'nu aq L'nuey mita pukwelkik L'nu'k u't wskwitqamu pilui ktlams~tasultijik. Katu ta'n tett kisi mawi ankaptmu'kip na ankaptmu'k ta'n te'sik ms~t koqoey ala'tu'tij aq ta'n me' ne'kaw newte' telipm'atu'tij maw nekmowk, tujiw ankaptminenew nekmowey ta'n nmitisnuk newte' telo'ti'k. Ankaptmu'k je "Etuatmumk" ta'n tel-pana'toqsip Saqmawaq Charles Labradoro'q tujiw kekknua'tiketu'tis 2004-ek, kisiku'k Albert aq wte'piteml Murdena Marshall tleyawijik Esskissoqnik, Unama'kik⁵, klaman nestitaq wenik ta'n teli nuta'q kkijijitaqnn toqolukutiktn klaman me' ap aji-kjijiteketen.⁶

Ta'n tuijw etuaptmumk koqoey, nemitu'n ta'n te'sikl etekl koqoe'l me' ne'kaw L'nu ika'toq ta'n tuijw koqoey aklasie'wiktuk ankaptik. Wiaqa'toql kitk wjjijitaqnn klaman mu newte' aji-klu'ktnuq kisna aji-espe'tenuk, katu awnaqa tl'nenent aq tli-kepmite'tasiktetal kitk klaman atelk kisi kinua'teketen⁷.

Tlia'j na pukwelkik pilui-L'nu' pilui-ktlamistasit, newte' teli-ktlamsitasultijk ankapmi'tij koqoey aq newte' teli-kepmite'tmi'tij ta'n telinsitumuk koqoey mimajik aq ta'n mu mimajinu'k.⁸ Ta'n sa'q L'nuk teli-ktlamistasultijk ms~t, nennmit'tij kkijitaqn sa'q pema'tisik wejatikemk ta'n pitui-kniskamijinaq'i'k kis-kina'mulkipni'k aq ta'n teli-wiaqi mima'julti'k ta'n te'sik kowey mimajik u't wskwitqamu⁹. McGregor teluet, "l'pa mu kisi-tepisa'tmit ta'nik nenmi'tij koqey aq ta'n tel-nenk ta'n tett wetapeksit, weskowa'sij aq ta'n wejikwet. L'pa pasik nenk aq mu kisi-tepisa'tuawt."¹⁰

Ktu' kjijitu'n ta'n teli miltaqne'wasikl L'nueye'l te'sikl wkijjitaqnn, nuta'q ankaptminenew ta'n tel kepme'k tli'suti ewe'wasik kekknu'a'tikek aq ta'n ma' kisi-tepisa'tmit wkmmitkiwow aq L'nui'simk.¹¹ Wiaqa'tumkl wejittes ta'n teltoqtekl ankaptmn L'nuey kkijjitaqn aq ta'n tele'k L'nu u't wskwitqamu. U't wika'tikn, ankaptik ta'n tel-kepmite'k ankaptminenew tli'suti ta'n te'sik ketu' wli-anko'tmu'k L'nuey ta'n siawasiktetew ne'ya'tumk sa'qowey L'nuey. Kisi-tla'tikemk, na nemiten ta'n teli – mawluktikl maqmikew, kjijjitaqn, aq ta'n tel nennasit wen ta'n wetapeksit L'nuiktuk. Nuta'q pquji ankaptasiktin ta'n tel-nenimumk aq ta'n teli we'wasik. Telinqase'k kisi tli-ankaptasik, na wejitten ta'n kisi aji wuli-nsiten ta'n L'nu ms~t tami teli-ktlams~tasit.



Weji Sqalia'ti'k

Ktu' nenmin ta'n wkmikinu tel-kepm'e'tasik wjit ms~t L'nu amujpa ankaptmin ms~t koqoey. Mu pasik ankaptmu'n wkmikinu, ankaptmin amujpa ta'n te'sik mimajik kito'qulkw nkutey wskwijnu, stoqnk, samqwan, nme'jk, waisisk, wsiku'l, aq ap me ta'n te'sik koqoeyek ewe'wmi'tisnek aq ta'n teli-mawliko'tmi'tisnek.¹² L'nu teli-ktlamistasit wktli'sutim wejiaq wmaqikem, ta'n te'sik mimajik ta'n eyk aq tel-pmiaq.¹³



Jeannette Armstrong to'q telues wi'katikniktuk, Land Speaking,

*Ta'n ni'n telikijitu, kniskamijinaqi'k
Okanaganewaqi'k, ktli'sutiminu wejiaq
wkmikinaq... (...) Okanaganewey ktli'suti, N'silxchn
tel-nenmu'k, wetaqne'wasik Salishiktuk, (...) Ki's
nutaqik kisiku'k telua'tijik, pilua'sik ktli'suti te's
se'k eltaik tami u't wskwitqamu pemitaik. Nujjaq
telimipnaq wkmikinu na pilua'toq ktli'suti mita
piley kjijitaqn ika'q te's piley ikaik wskwitqamu. (...)
Teluejik Okanaganewaq, wkmikinu mu puni-klusinuk.
Me'ne'kaw pemi-kinua'lsik. Mu' ktu' kinu'tmasiuw'n,
na m'pitew. Mimaju'nulpik ke'skw ejiksitsmu'k ta'n
te'sik kekknamulk, ta'n teli'sik, tujiw pile'l kisitu'kl
wklausuaqqnn klaman kisi-ilaknutmu'ti'kl wjit
elmi'kni'kewaq wejatikemk kniskamijinaqi'k ta'n
kisi-kna'mulpik. Wkmikinu na kelulk N'silxchn
-iktuk weja'tikemk pitui-kniskamijinaqi'k tel-
kluluksi'kip. N'silxchn na Kijinu-maqmikew wjit
Okanaganewaq, ta'n kiwtoqulkw u't sa'qowey
wkmikinu.¹⁴*

*Wkmikinu nkutey tli'suti, kiwtoqulkw msit tami
eymu'k nkutey ms~t kowey piluey etek u't eymu'k.
L'pa ms~t pema'tu'k aq kelnmu'k tli'suti ta'n tett
wetappeksulti'k. Ms~t L'nu ta'n te'sit pema'toq
tli'suti ta'n tett awsuma wettaqnewa'sit aq tli'sitew
ta'n wettaqne'wasit aq wikij. L'pa tli'sitew ta'n
sa'qowe'kik L'nu'kik ta'n newte' wetaqne'wasultijik
teli'sultipni'k aq ta'n teli-ktlams~talsultipni'k¹⁵*

Asama te'sik ktli'suti kisinenk wen ta'n tett-wettaqne'wasit, na ap kisi kina'masit ap me'. Ferguson aq Weaselboy ap teluejik, "mu pasik tli'suti wejianuk ta'n tett kmitikinu wettaqne'wasin, wejiaq maw teli kepmit'e'tmu'k telmawa'tu'kl nestmu'kl ta'n tel-siawa'tu'kl koqowe'l teli-ktlams~tasulti'kl, atukwaqnn teli-siawa'tukl, aq ta'n tett teli-milial'taikl wutann ms~t tami wskwitqamu.¹⁶ Ms~t mawa'tumkl u'tl na ktli'suti kisi-siawasiktitew.¹⁷

Ms~t wen piluiktlamsitasit aq pilui te'lsit ta'n tett tleyawit.¹⁸ Na wjit, ktli'suti kepmit'e'tasik aq melkiknewa'toq ta'n teli-nennasit wen L'nuit. Pilui-L'nu kisiku Hastings Shade teluet," Pasik siaw sku'tmu'k puktew Cherokee-iktuk, na ma'nqasiwa'sinuk (...) teli-nqase'k ktli'suti sika'q, na puktew nqasiwa'sitew aq na nuku' kaqietew ma'w Cherokee.¹⁹

Ta'n teli miltaqne'wasik tli'suti aq ta'n teli-wiataqne'wasik wkmmitkinu, mu paqalaiwenuk ta'n tel wuli-kinua'tikek tli'suti ta'n tett tleyawit wen. Ta'n teli L'nuis'it wen, na teli-L'nui'sitew ta'n tett-wetapeksit aq ta'n tl'maliaptitew wmitkiwow.²⁰ L'nuisultite'wk na kekknua'taqitijik aq kejiujik ta'n tett wetapeksultijik ta'n teli -L'nui'sultijik aq ta'n teli wuli-anko'tmi'iij wmitkiwow.²¹ Ta'n koqoey maw'kitnmeyaj tli'suti L'[nueye'l, na ta'n tujiw tepisa'luj L'nu ta'n tett wejet. Tepisa'lij L'nu ta'n tett wetapeksij na ejikla'tat tli'sutim, aq sika'tew ta'n tel nennasij teli-L'nuit.

M'sit No'kmaq et al, keknua'taqitijik, L'nuiktuk, kkijijitaqn na to'q keknua'tikek aq pemi aji kinua'tikek aq pemaji nestmumk ta'n teli kinu'tmasin ta'n te's ala'timk u't wkmmitkinu.²² Nenmumk klapis ta'n tett wejo'tasimk, kisna ta'n tett elteskmimumk, aq ta'n tett eliemk pasik ta'n tel sa'q telukwemk ketantiken aq ala'timk ta'n eymin. Ktli'suti na pema'toq ta'n te'sik wiaqi nennmu'k koqoey mimajik aq mu mimajinuk ki's sa'q.²³ Nkutey kjijitaqn, tli'suti na pilua'siktitew ta'n teli pilua'sik maqmikew ke'skw pemitaik u't wskwitqamu. Klaman, pemi aji L'nui'sultimk, siawasiktitew kjijitaqn wjit kmitkinu.



Ta'n Wettaqne'wasulti'k

Ktli'suti aq kmitkinu toqa'tikl ta'n tuijw koqoey kisite'tasik ta'n tlwi'tasiktetew. Ktli'suti tela'sik aq ta'n telika'sik wkmmitkinu.²⁴ Telwi'tasikl wutann ta'n awsama telik maqmikem aq tel-nennasitew weja'tikemk. Telwi'tasik wkmmitkinu ta'n tel nmitasiksipnek aq ta'n L'nu'kik tel nenmi'tisnek maqmikewek. Kaqi kinua'tikek ta'n maqmikew telikk nkutey Kmtnn, qospemml, sип'l, aq me' koqoe'l nemitmkl ala'timk nkutey kuntall, kmu'jk, aq me' samqwan tela'sik ta'n tes tami elta'mk, nkutey suel ta'n kiskuk ewe'wut – GPS.²⁵ Rowan aknutk ta'n tuijw wskijinu'kik teluwi'tupni'k Nubianaqi'k ejikla'lujek ta'n wikultipni'k tuijw ela'lusni'k se'k ta'n eptek aq kispatek, toqo kenekk ta'n wetapeksultipni'k, na keska'siksipnek tli'suti'muwowek ta'n tel nenmi'tipni'kl kluuaqnnkl wjit sип'kl aq ta'n te'sikek kjijitaqnek nenmi'tipnek wjit wkmmitkiwowe aq ta'n tel-nennasultipni'k.²⁶

Mu kisi ewliksuatmitl L'nueye'l wisunn aq koqoey wjit tami telui'tasik ta'n telui'tasik.²⁷ Mu pisu' telui'tasinuk. Kaqi ankaptasik ta'n tett wmitkiwow tel-ewe'wmi'tij Lnu'k aq ta'n telo'ltisni'k eymuti'tijek te's eymu'ti'tijek na'te'l. Kaqi'sk wiaqtaqne'wasikl atukwaqn ta'n maqmikew tel taqmik aq koqoey wjit teltek kisna telik. Tel we'wasikl u't atukwaqn nkutey suel ta'n mikwite'taq ta'n telikip wkmmitkinu na tele'kek eymi'tijek L'nu'k tuijw. Kaqi mikwite'ttaq klaman we'kaw wenik etl wutqatalusni'k, aq toqa'tumk nemitasikl ta'n telikisnek ms~t maqmikewek ta'n L'nuaq wejiesnaq. Newte'jit e'pit tleyawit Jåhkågasska Sweden wesku'tk teluet, "Amskwes, ta'n telui'tasik maqmikew, na tel wejisakskip."²⁸ Amskwes swkijinu'k tel wejitu'tisnek ta'n elta'jik ta'n telwi'tasikl wutann, aq ta'n telki'kl aq ta'n teliktitatl ika'ti'tij elta'jik. Wenik ta'n nemi'tij atukwaqn, aq ta'n telik maqmikew, aq ta'n koqoey nikwe, na pasik nekm kisi nentew ta'n tett eliet aq ta'n tett eyk.²⁹



Mu' wikitniktuk nuta'qip kwilimm. L'nui'sij asama newte' tel-wejitoq ta'n tett eyk. Klaman, ta'nik eymu'tijik tami, na nekmowk kisi wisumkowtaq. Ferguson aq Weaselboy ap ewi'tmitij ta'n pilui L'nu'k Navaho-aq te'sikek tli'suti'muowek ewe'wasiksipnek ewi'tasik wmitkiwowe eymi'tij. Pikwelkek L'nueyek koqoeyek ewa'siksipnek weja'tikemk ta'n telo'tisni'k aq ta'n tel'i'sultisni'k te's tami ewi'katij. Amujpa ankaptmumk ta'n wenik tel'i'sultijik ktu'nemmn maqimikew kiwtoqulkw. Nemitu'k la ankaptmu'k newte' UNESCO -ey Worl Heritage Site of Pimachiowin Aki (the land that gives life). Ankaptasiksipnek ta'n tel'oltisni'k Anishnaabiaqik ke'sk eymu'ti'tijek na'tel.³⁰ Ankaptasiksipnek ta'n tel' toqwatiskl tli'suti, maqmikew aq ta'n L'nu tele'k te's eyk ta'n wetapeksit aq ta'n te'sik kelnik L'nuey te's eyk u't wskwitqamu aq ta'n gamujpa tel wuli anko'tasik ta'n siawi mimajitew.



Netuklimk

Mikmawiktuk, netuklimk na klusuaqn tel weketu'tij to'q ta'n teli tettpaqa'tuj koqoe'l wutann nuta'q ta'n maqmikemuwal Unama'eymu'ti'tij. Unama'ki Institute of Natural Resources telua'tijik netuklimk na toq', "ta'n tel weketumk mimajuaqn Kisulkw ikmulk klaman kisi wul ankweyasitew L'nu aq wutann." Netuklimk na tettpaqi we'wasikl klaman ms~t wen wetapesit mimaju'nuksin aq mu ole'jin aq kis tla'tiken ke'skmina'q me' ne'kaw L'nueye'l weli majukwatasikl ta'n tel pmiaq aq tel wuli maliaptasik u't maqmikeminal.³¹ Ankaptasik aq kepmitetasil amujpa koqoey mimajik aq mu mimajinuk u't wskiqamuminu. U't klusuaqn teluek, "Wetnu'kalsik teapiaqn aq mu asamelkn".³²

Sa'qowe'l tpu'taqn ta'n Lnu'k majukwatmi'til pemitaskl ta'n pemiasi nenmi'tij atelk koqoey u't wskwitqamu ke'sk eyk.³³ Prosper aq witapk, tel kinua'tu'tij ta'n telikswa'tu'tij L'nu'k wskwiqamu:

"Mi'kmaq wikultijik u't maqmikemuwow, tel nenasik nike' Canada, ki's 12, 000 te'sipunqekl (Davis, 1997). Ta'n te'sipunqekl weja'tikemk kaqi nenimi'tij maqmikew, samqwan, aq nennuatijik waisisk ta'n te'sultijik eymu'tijik. Ta'n tel sa'q telo'ltijik Mi'kmaq na me' nekaw ketu tlo'ltijik aq ketu kepmitem'i'tij. Nemitungkip ta'n teli-ktlams~tasultijik ta'n tel kepmitetaqitijik aq muiiala'tij waisisk, nme'jk, aq koqoey me' mimajunulk u't eymu'k aq kiskuk telui'tmi'tij wenik, 'resources' (Martin, 1978)." ³⁴

Ms~t kowey kiwtoqulkw mimajik aq mu mimajinuk u't eymu'ti'k la wkmitsinu, aq ta'n tett wskwijnu weltesink u't wskwitqamu na ankaptasik. "Mi'kmaw na teli-ktlams~tasit kniskamijinaqi'k pemalulki'k ut ta'n telki'k ut kiwtoqulkw. Te's koqoey malqutmn kutey pa kowey nikwek mimajik, kmu'jk kisna waisisk, na muialu'kik kniskamijinaqi'k mita eymu'tipni'k aq mimaju'nkwi'tipnek maqmikewek, samqwanek aq wesuelatmi'tipnek mimajuaqnek."³⁵ Wenik telo'tijik aq teli-ktlams~talsultijik na nennmi'tij ta'n teli-miltaqne'wasikl mimajuaqnninal we'kaw kniskamijinaq wiaqtaqpultijik eymu'k me' nekaw. U't wkmitsinu nenmi'tijek ta'n tel kepme'k mita kisi pma'toq msit koqoey we'kaw kniskamijinaqi'k ta'n tel-pma'lukwi'tisnek.³⁶

Netuklimkewey kis sutkl tpu'taqnn ta'n kikkmanaqi'k telo'ltisni'k sa'qowe'ki'k ta'n etli-te'tmi'tij nuta'q msit L'nu tleyin u't wkmitsinu. Kaq-sutasik ta'n nuta'q wen tl'tanteken ta'n klaman kikkmanaq elmi'kni'kewaq me' ktapesultitaq u't wkmitsinu.³⁷ "Msit no'kmaq" tel-we'wasik kiskuk aq ma'w nekmowey teli'ktlamisitasik kepmitetasil msit koqoey u't kmitkinu mita msit koqoey wiaqa'toq aq wesku'tk ta'n tujiw wen we'wkl na klusuaqnn. We'wmin u't klusuaqn, "Msit no'kmaq" kepmitetmn na kmitkinu aq wutann ta'n te'silk maliaptmu'kl ta'n tel sutasik Netuklimkeweyiktuk.³⁸

Netuklimkewey kekknutwa'tikek ta'n telo'ltipni'k Mi'kmaq u't Unama'ki aq ta'n tel maliaptasik ta'n te'sik mimaju'nulkip.³⁹ Wula apijita'sik ta'n tel sutasiksip Netuklimkewey aq ewe'wasik klaman ta'n te'sikek kaqa'tasiksipnek aq keskatasiksipnek apaji mimajiktetew ta'n tel milamu'k etlikwek koqoey u't wkmitsinu, samqwan, aq waisisk klaman kepmitetasilktetal L'nueye'l ap.⁴⁰

Kespaknutmaqn

Ta'n tujiw ankit'etmu'k na klusuaqn Etuaptmumk, amuj pa ankite'tmu'k msit koqoey ta'n L'nuey wetaqiaq na klusuaqniktuk aq ankaptmu'k ta'n koqoey kisi wi'kasik aq kisi sku'tasik, keknue'k ta'n teli Lnui'sit wen aq ta'n teli-miltaqne'wasik ula wskwitqamu ta'n telisulti'k. Pukwelkl klusuaqnn eykl ta'n teli L'nuo'lti'k ta'n wettaqne'wasik kmitkinaq. Johnson kisi wi'kiksiqnek aq ilaknutkisnek a'tukwaqnek teluisiksipnek Klu'skap Journey. Wesku'tasiksiqnek ta'n tel miltaqne'wasikl klusaqnn atukwaqniktuk aq kmitkinaq. Ta'n tujiw L'nu wetquluj tleyin ta'n L'nu sa'q i'tl'lukwep maqmikewiktuk, quji-ksika'tal na klusaqnn ta'n i'we'wasik+pnn ta'n teli-altaikek Mi'kma'ki.⁴¹

Kekinue'k na ta'n wen etl kina'masit ta'n L'nu i'tle'k+p aji ankaman L'nu'k Lnue'kat'i'l ta'n wenik L'nui'sultite'wk, aq kina'masin wen ta'n teli-miltaqne'wasik ta'n L'nu teli'sit aq ta'n wetapeksit aq ta'n tel miltaqne'wasik maqmikeminaq. Amuja pa ta'n wenik kekna'masultijik l'nuey koqoey ankite'tmi'tij mu na msit koqoey ewi'kasinuk ta'n koqoey kekina'masit aq amuja Lnu'k l'nui'sultijik aji-ankampjik ta'n teli-kina'masultijik nekmowk. Piley we'jisatik ta'n etli-kina'masimk sa'q nuke' "World Heritage Site of Pimachiowin Aki" apoqnmatk l'nuey apija'tu'tij aq ewe'mi'tit ta'n teli-L'nui'simk aq ta'n L'nu tele'k kisna i'tle'ksip tujiw piskwa'tu'tij ta'n koqoey pemi-lukwatmi'tij ukjit elmi'kni'kewaq aq elt kepmit'e'tmi'tij aq kesite'tmi'tij ta'n teli-Lnui'sit aq koqoey me' L'nuey wjit elmi'kni'kewaq.

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