



Odonaterra

Community Environmental Strategies

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ANNUAL
SELECTED FUNDING LIST



Selected funding opportunities for Indigenous communities and organizations to plan, study, assess, and monitor environmental activities

This document provides a summary of selected funding sources available to Indigenous communities and organizations to facilitate projects related to planning, studying, assessing, and monitoring environmental activities.

Odonaterra is available to support most related projects and assist in preparing funding applications. For more information, please visit our website, odonaterra.com, or contact caroline@odonaterra.com.

We welcome your feedback on this document and hope it provides a helpful resource for your community or organization.

Please note that this document provides an overview only. Applicants should refer directly to funding websites and contacts before applying.

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Capacity Building

Capacity Building					
Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Reserve Lands and Environment Management Program	Indigenous Services Canada (Government of Canada)	Formula-based, community-specific funding allocations	<p>Applicants: First Nations, Tribal Councils</p> <p>Activities: provides funding to First Nations to develop capacity to manage reserve land, resources and environment in the long-term</p> <p>Costs: operational costs for lands office</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Ongoing</p> <p>Process: Submit a completed First Nation entry request and capacity self-assessment form (available on the program webpage) to the nearest regional office</p>	Contact your regional office
Skills Development Fund Round 3	Ontario Ministry of Labour, Immigration, Training and Skills Development	\$150,000, project dependent	<p>Applicants: non-profit organizations, Indigenous Band offices, Indigenous Skills and Employment Training agreement holders</p> <p>Activities: provides funding to support employee recruitment, training and retention; experiential skills development</p> <p>Costs: operating costs, administrative costs, capital costs, financial support to employers and participants, travel costs</p>	<p>DEADLINE: January 31, 2023, or until funds committed</p> <p>Process: refer to the application guide for requirements before submitting an application through the Transfer Payment Ontario online system</p>	skillsdevelopmentfund@ontario.ca
Indigenous Workforce Development Stream	Northern Ontario Heritage Fund Corporation (NOHFC)	Up to \$35,000 not to exceed 90% of salary & mandatory employment related costs	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities, businesses, not-for-profit organizations, and municipalities located in Northern Ontario</p> <p>Activities: provides funding to support a limited-term internship position for 52 weeks (with at least 35 hours of work per week) for an Indigenous candidate that may also be a new entrant to the workforce, be transitioning to a new career or field, or be unemployed or underemployed</p> <p>Costs: 90% of salary & employers' mandatory employment related costs</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Ongoing</p> <p>Process: complete an application using the online submission form available on the NOHFC website</p>	AskNOHFC@ontario.ca

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Workforce Development Stream	Northern Ontario Heritage Fund Corporation (NOHFC)	Up to \$35,000 not to exceed 90% of salary & mandatory employment related costs	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities, businesses, not-for-profit organizations, and municipalities located in Northern Ontario</p> <p>Activities: provides funding to support a limited-term internship position for 52 weeks (with at least 35 hours of work per week) for an candidate that may also be a new entrant to the workforce, be transitioning to a new career or field, or be unemployed or underemployed</p> <p>Costs: 90% of salary & employers' mandatory employment related costs</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Ongoing</p> <p>Process: complete an application using the online submission form available on the NOHFC website</p>	AskNOHFC@ontario.ca
First Nations Infrastructure Fund (FNIF)	Indigenous Services Canada (Government of Canada)	Project dependent to a maximum of \$10 million	<p>Applicants: First Nation communities and organizations, private organizations and institutions where beneficiary is a First Nation community</p> <p>Activities: infrastructure projects related to planning and skills development, solid waste management, roads and bridges, energy systems, connectivity, structural mitigation (previously disaster mitigation), fire protection, cultural and recreational facilities</p> <p>Costs: salaries, capital costs, professional and technical expertise, environmental impact assessment, maintenance and planning, equipment, other approved project costs</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Fall annually</p> <p>Process: the First Nation Infrastructure Investment Plan (FNIIIP) must be submitted each fall to qualify for additional FNIF funding; ISC and communities propose projects based on FNIIIPs; contact ISC regional office to learn more</p>	Contact your regional office
Education and Capacity Building Program	Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO)	\$50,000 - \$75,000	<p>Applicants: First Nation communities and organizations, and non-Indigenous entities work in partnership with, or for the benefit of, First Nations communities</p>	<p>DEADLINE: 2023-24 funding period not yet announced</p>	ecb@ieso.ca

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			<p>Activities: infrastructure projects supporting community energy engagement; energy skills building, project training and certificates; Innovative knowledge/data sharing models</p> <p>Costs: salaries, wages, benefits, professional services</p>	<p>Process: follow the program guidelines for developing and submitting applications</p>	

Economic Development

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Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Lands and Economic Development Services Program: Operational funding	Indigenous Services Canada (Government of Canada)	Formula-based, community-specific funding allocations	<p>Applicants: First Nations and Inuit communities and governments, tribal councils</p> <p>Activities: economic development activities, including capacity building, economic development planning, proposals to raise financial resources</p> <p>Costs: operational costs to support economic development, lands, environmental management</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Deadlines vary, confirm with regional office</p> <p>Process: Fill out section A and B of the Lands and Economic Development Planned Activities and Report (available on the program webpage) and submit it to the nearest regional office</p>	Contact your regional office
Lands and Economic Development Services Program: Project-based funding	Indigenous Services Canada (Government of Canada)	Project-based funding allocations	<p>Applicants: First Nations and Inuit communities and governments, tribal councils; Indigenous and non-Indigenous organizations (except those with charitable or religious purposes)</p> <p>Activities: economic development and land or environmental management activities, including capacity building, planning, proposals to raise financial resources; supplementing operational funding</p> <p>Costs: salaries, wages, benefits, travel, overhead expenses, minor machinery or equipment, communications, advisory services, land surveys, feasibility studies, economic infrastructure, conference or workshop hosting</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Deadlines vary, confirm with regional office</p> <p>Process: Contact program staff for application details.</p>	Contact your regional office

Economic Development					
Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Canada-Ontario Resource Development Agreement (CORDA)	Government of Canada and Government of Ontario	\$0 - \$35,000 over 12 months	<p>Applicants: Ontario First Nations, their members and organizations, and Treaty organizations</p> <p>Projects: projects must promote natural resource development, management, harvesting and conservation in Ontario, including fishing and hunting, fur trapping, forestry, non-timber forest products, guiding and outfitting, processing and marketing of products, environmental management, natural resource planning</p> <p>Costs: equipment and rentals, materials, labour, transportation, technical advisors, promotion and advertising</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Late September or early October 2023</p> <p>Process: submit an application form available from the CORDA website including project description; short- and long-term economic, resource and cultural benefits; supplier quotes for all proposed equipment and services; a band council resolution or letter of support</p>	<p>corda@hiawat hafn.ca</p> <p>705.295.3153</p>
Northern Ontario Heritage Fund Corporation (NOHFC)- Various streams	Ontario Ministry of Northern Development, Mines, Natural Resources and Forestry	Percentage of project costs covered by NOHFC depends on stream	<p>The below streams are open to Indigenous communities in northern Ontario; consult the program webpages for eligible projects and costs:</p> <p>Broadband and Cellular Expansion Projects</p> <p>Community Events Stream</p> <p>Enhance Your Community Stream</p> <p>Indigenous Workforce Development Stream</p> <p>Rural Enhancement Funding Stream</p> <p>Workforce Development Stream</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Stream dependent</p> <p>Process: apply online</p>	<p>NOHFC contact form</p>

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Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Economic Diversification Grant	Ontario Ministry of Indigenous Affairs	\$0 - \$75,000 over 6 months	<p>Applicants: Ontario Political Territorial Organization (PTO), Tribal Council, First Nation, Métis communities or regional or provincial organizations representing First Nation, Metis, Inuit or urban Indigenous peoples or an Indigenous service provider</p> <p>Projects: projects related to economic development activities including planning and priority setting, staffing related positions, developing community plans, attraction and investment marketing, feasibility studies, workforce planning</p> <p>Costs: salaries, internal capacity-building, community engagement, partnership/relationship-building, equipment, travel, professional and technical services and expertise, honoraria, administrative costs, communications</p>	<p>DEADLINE: March 7, 2023</p> <p>Process: submit a completed application along with checklist items outlined in the application guide through the Transfer Payment Ontario online system</p>	Indigenouseconomicdevelopmentfund@ontario.ca

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Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Indigenous Economic Development Funding - Various streams	Ontario Ministry of Indigenous Affairs	Funding amounts depend on stream	<p>The below streams provide funding to Indigenous communities and organizations to support economic development activities; consult the program website for eligible projects and costs:</p> <p>Indigenous Economic Development Fund: diversifying Indigenous economies, increasing access to employment and training opportunities, providing start-up and expansion financing for small and medium-sized businesses, supporting financing, skills training and other economic development initiatives through collaboration between Indigenous communities and the private sector</p> <p>Indigenous Community Capital Grants Program: supports development of community capital projects that contribute to a sustainable social base and support economic participation in Indigenous communities, both on and off reserve.</p> <p>New Relationship Fund: building consultation and engagement capacity, supporting job creation, developing business partnerships, improving economic opportunities</p>	<p>DEADLINE: March 7, 2023</p> <p>Process: submit a completed application and supporting documentation through the Transfer Payment Ontario online system</p>	Contact form

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Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Community Opportunity Readiness Program (CORP) - Program Guidelines	Indigenous Services Canada (Government of Canada)	\$250,000 - \$3,000,000, 30% - 80% of project expenses depending on project	<p>Applicants: First Nations and Inuit communities and organizations, non-Indigenous organizations providing economic services to support Indigenous communities with prior approval from National Aboriginal Economic Development Board (NAEBD), Province of Ontario in relation to CORDA</p> <p>Projects: projects supporting economic opportunities; community economic infrastructure development; establishment, acquisition or expansion of a community owned business where there is an equity gap; business planning, advisory services and training, commercial development and market development for a single community-owned business</p> <p>Costs: salaries, travel, administrative costs, equipment, professional and technical expertise, land surveys and appraisals, feasibility studies, communications, planning and development costs, capital costs</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Ongoing</p> <p>Process: contact program staff to develop statement of intent prior to developing full application</p>	aadnc.ledontario.aandc@canada.ca

Environmental Management

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Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
EcoAction Community Funding Program	Environment and Natural Resources (Government of Canada)	<p>\$25,000 - \$100,000 over 36 months or less</p> <p>Note: 50% of total project funding must come from sources other than the Government of Canada</p>	<p>Applicants: non-profit and non-governmental groups and organizations, including Indigenous organizations</p> <p>Projects: projects must provide measurable positive environmental impact, address the annual environmental priority, and build capacity among community members</p> <p>Costs: salaries and benefits, contract and professional services, travel and field expenses, materials, equipment, rentals and supplies, communications, vehicle rental, administrative costs</p>	<p>DEADLINE: December 2023</p> <p>Process: Using GCEMS portal, complete and electronically sign the application form which includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a detailed budget; • work plan; • communications and evaluation plan; and, • measurable key performance indicators. 	ec.ecoaction@canada.ca
TD Friends of the Environment Grant	TD Friends of the Environment Foundation	<p>No ceiling. Typically, \$2,000 - \$8,000 over 12 months</p>	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities and groups, registered Canadian charities, educational institutions, municipalities</p> <p>Projects: projects delivered in Canada to support schoolyard greening, park revitalization, community gardens, park programming and citizen science initiatives</p> <p>Costs: direct project costs (no administrative, equipment, rental, travel, infrastructure costs)</p>	<p>DEADLINE: January 15, 2023 or July 15, 2023</p> <p>Process: complete the application online and attach a budget</p> <p>Note: applications submitted in January will be funded in April; applications submitted in July will be funded in October</p>	tdfef@td.com

Environmental Management					
Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
First Nations Environmental Contaminants Program	Indigenous Services Canada (Government of Canada)	Typically, \$25,000 - \$125,000 over 12-24 months depending on project type	<p>Applicants: First Nations south of 60°N and non-government, non-profit, and voluntary associations and organizations working on behalf or in partnership with First Nations</p> <p>Projects: projects that study any chemical or biological contaminants through primary research, and knowledge integration, or risk communications projects in conjunction with a scientific or academic partner</p> <p>Costs: salaries, honoraria, professional services, travel, equipment and facilities, administrative costs up to 10%</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Early November 2023</p> <p>Process: contact program staff to receive an application guide and proposal template; complete the proposal and budget in collaboration with program staff</p>	sac.fnecp-ppnpe.isc@canada.ca
Environmental Damages Fund	Environment and Climate Change Canada (Government of Canada)	Province dependent; minimum request in Ontario is \$100,000	<p>Applicants: Indigenous organizations, non-governmental organizations, universities and academic institutions, provincial, territorial, municipal governments</p> <p>Projects: projects that restore the natural environment and conserve wildlife are prioritized; however, projects supporting environmental quality improvement, research and development, or education and awareness will also be considered</p> <p>Costs: salaries and benefits, travel costs, material and supplies costs, communication and distribution costs, directly related insurance costs, administrative costs up to 20%, non-reimbursable taxes</p>	<p>DEADLINE: July 26, 2023</p> <p>Process: consult the EDF Available Funds page to confirm funding availability and eligibility; submit applications through the online Grants and Contributions Enterprise Management System (GCEMS)</p>	sac.fnecp-ppnpe.isc@canada.ca

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Habitat Stewardship Program (HSP) for Species at Risk	Environment and Natural Resources (Government of Canada)	\$25,000 - \$100,000 over 12-24 months Indigenous applicants must obtain 20% matching contribution to HSP funding	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities and organizations, Canadian non-governmental organizations, community groups, individuals, private corporations and businesses, educational institutions provincial, territorial and municipal governments, provincial Crown corporations</p> <p>Projects: projects targeting at risk species to support habitat protection and securement, habitat improvement, species and habitat threat abatement, conservation planning surveys, inventories and monitoring, project evaluation, outreach and education</p> <p>Costs: salaries, contracts and professional services, travel, capital assets, equipment and rentals, land acquisition and related fees, communications, administrative costs, material and supplies expenditures, training, further disbursement</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Early November 2023</p> <p>Process: consult HSP website and program overview to confirm application requirements and alignment with annual species priorities; submit applications through online Grants and Contributions Enterprise Management System (GCEMS)</p>	ec.pih-hsp.ec@canada.ca

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Aboriginal Fund for Species at Risk (AFSAR) - Terrestrial	Environment and Climate Change Canada (Government of Canada)	\$10,000 - \$50,000 over 12-24 months Indigenous applicants must obtain 20% matching contribution to HSP funding	Applicants: Indigenous communities and organizations Projects: projects targeting at risk species to support habitat protection and conservation, habitat improvement, species and habitat threat abatement, conservation planning surveys, inventories and monitoring, project evaluation, outreach and education, capacity building Costs: salaries, professional fees, travel, capital assets, equipment and rentals, land acquisition and related fees, communications, administrative costs, material and supplies expenditures, training, further disbursement	DEADLINE: Early November 2023 Process: consult AFSAR website and program overview to confirm application requirements and alignment with annual species priorities; submit applications through online Grants and Contributions Enterprise Management System (GCEMS)	ec.fae-afsar.ec@canada.ca
Aboriginal Fund for Species at Risk (AFSAR) - Terrestrial	Fisheries and Oceans Canada (Government of Canada)	\$10,000 - \$50,000 over 12-24 months Indigenous applicants must obtain 20% matching contribution to HSP funding	Applicants: Indigenous communities and organizations, other organizations if mandated by eligible funding recipients Projects: projects targeting at risk species to support habitat protection and securement, habitat improvement, species and habitat threat abatement, conservation planning surveys, inventories and monitoring, project evaluation, outreach and education, capacity building Costs: salaries, contracts and professional services, travel, capital assets, equipment and rentals, land acquisition and related fees, communications, administrative costs, material and supplies expenditures, training, further disbursement	DEADLINE: Early November 2023 Process: consult AFSAR website and program overview to confirm application requirements and alignment with annual species priorities; submit applications through online Grants and Contributions Enterprise Management System (GCEMS)	ec.fae-afsar.ec@canada.ca

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Indigenous-Led Area-Based Conservation	Environment and Natural Resources (Government of Canada)	Project Dependant	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities, governing bodies, and organizations</p> <p>Projects: Indigenous Peoples to lead or co-lead the establishment and recognition of protected areas or other effective area-based conservation mechanisms (OECMs) across Canada</p> <p>Costs: Stakeholder engagement, lands definition, environmental site assessment, monitoring, and baseline studies, land acquisition, building infrastructure, implementing legal mechanisms for protection</p>		

Climate Change

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Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Wah-ila-toos - supports transition to clean energy	Environment and Climate Change Canada (Government of Canada)	Project dependent Wah-ila-toos works with various government departments and funds to allocate resources	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities, governments, development corporations, and companies; Canadian businesses and not-profit organizations, provincial, territorial, regional, municipal governments</p> <p>Projects: projects that support renewable energy technology, energy efficiency, alternative heating, and capacity building related to energy efficiency</p> <p>Costs: project-related expenditures</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Ongoing</p> <p>Process: request an application using the <i>Submit a contact</i> form button on the fund website or by emailing the program staff</p>	nrcan.remoteenergy-energieadistance.rncan@canada.ca
Climate Change and Health Adaptation Program for First Nations South of 60°N	Indigenous Services Canada (Government of Canada)	\$0 - \$100,000 over 24 months	<p>Applicants: First Nations south of 60°N recognized under the Indian Act and non-government, non-profit, and voluntary associations and organizations working on behalf or in partnership with First Nations</p> <p>Projects: projects that identify, assess, and respond to the health impacts of climate change; support capacity building, research skills development, and health-related adaptation plans and communication materials; use a holistic approach linking both Indigenous and non-Indigenous forms of knowledge and science.</p> <p>Costs: community-led research, risk and vulnerability assessments, adaptation planning and implementation, salaries, honoraria for Elders, youth, and knowledge carriers, light equipment and supplies, lab testing</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Summer 2023</p> <p>Process: contact program staff by email to receive details about the application deadline and for a project abstract template; complete project abstract in collaboration with program staff</p>	cchap-pccas@sac-isc.gc.ca

Climate Change					
Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
First Nations Adapt Program	Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada (Government of Canada)	Project dependent Typically, \$80,000 - \$160,000	<p>Applicants: First Nations south of 60°N, band or tribal councils, Indigenous organizations</p> <p>Projects: projects must have strong link to climate change; program aims to support Indigenous knowledge, community involvement in planning, capacity-building, resilience; priority areas of focus include, inland flooding and shoreline erosion, wildfires, drought sea level rise, coastal flooding and erosion, winter roads</p> <p>Costs: salaries, travel, training and workshops, professional and technical expertise, equipment, printing, administrative costs</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Ongoing</p> <p>Process: review the program guidelines and contact program staff to confirm project eligibility; submit proposal with band council support</p>	aadnc.adaptation.aandc@canada.ca

Forestry

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Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Indigenous Forestry Initiative	Natural Resources Canada (Government of Canada)	Dependent on available funds and proposal	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities and organizations; organizations, governments, and academic institutions working with an Indigenous partner</p> <p>Projects: use and management of forest resources, clean technology and participation in the forest bioeconomy (biomass, pellet manufacturing, etc.), environmental stewardship</p> <p>Costs: confirm with program staff</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Ongoing</p> <p>Process: applicants must request an applicant guide through program staff, discuss project with program staff, and submit an online application</p>	nrcan.ififa.rncan@canada.ca

Governance, Land Claims & Land Management

Governance					
Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Engagement funding for the Additions to Reserve Policy redesign	Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada (Government of Canada)	\$40,000 - \$300,000 depending on organization	<p>Applicants: Indigenous nation entities representing nation-based collectives, First Nations, tribal councils, self-governing Indigenous governments, Indigenous organizations</p> <p>Projects: First Nation-led engagement activities on the Additions to Reserve policy</p> <p>Costs: project-related expenses</p>	<p>DEADLINE: May 19, 2023</p> <p>Process: complete an application form available on the program website; submit completed form and supporting documents (work plan, budget, scope of engagements, proposed deliverable) to program director</p>	politique.aar-policy.atr@rcaan-cirnac.gc.ca
Indigenous Nation Rebuilding Program	Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada (Government of Canada)	Typically, \$400,000 over 12 months to a maximum of \$1,500,000	<p>Applicants: Indigenous nations and organizations, Section 35 rights-bearing Métis entities, self-governing Indigenous governments</p> <p>Projects: projects that support nation building and reduce duplication of efforts; projects should include multiple groups from the same nation supporting self-determination and self-governance; foster attachment identity</p> <p>Costs: salaries, accommodations, equipment, training, travel, professional services, community meetings, honoraria, communications</p>	<p>DEADLINE: January 13, 2023</p> <p>Process: complete an application form available on the program website; submit completed form and supporting documents to program director</p>	aadnc.unitedufinancement-nego-fundingunit-nego.aandc@canada.ca

Governance					
Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Support for Community Negotiations Fund (SCNF)	Ontario Ministry of Indigenous Affairs	Dependent on available funds and proposal	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities that are involved in an active land claim or land-related negotiations with Ontario</p> <p>Projects: specific negotiations related to claims and land-related matters with Ontario</p> <p>Costs: salaries, accommodations, travel, professional services, community meetings, honoraria, administrative costs</p>	<p>DEADLINE: February 14, 2023</p> <p>Process: refer to the application guide for requirements before submitting an application through the Transfer Payment Ontario online system</p>	NRD_Finance@ontario.ca

Impact Assessment

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Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Indigenous Capacity Support Program - Stream 1, Program Partners	Impact Assessment Agency of Canada (Government of Canada)	Up to \$300,000 per fiscal year	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities and organizations</p> <p>Projects: projects to establish long-term partnerships to provide support to a number of members or communities in a region where project activity is anticipated and/or taking place</p> <p>Costs: program-specific costs associated with reporting, professional services, travel, honoraria</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Confirm with program staff</p> <p>Process: applicants are encouraged to contact program staff in advance of submitting an expression of interest to confirm eligibility; program staff will support eligible applicants to develop a detailed proposal</p> <p>Note: applications received after the deadline may be considered</p>	indigenouspolicy-politiquesautochtone@iaac-aeic.gc.ca
Indigenous Capacity Support Program - Stream 2, Strategic	Impact Assessment Agency of Canada (Government of Canada)	Up to \$300,000 per fiscal year	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities and organizations</p> <p>Projects: projects that support community of practice conferences at the national or regional level where expertise and best practices can be shared, potential program priorities can be identified, new policies or training can be presented</p> <p>Costs: program-specific costs associated with reporting, professional services, travel, honoraria</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Confirm with program staff</p> <p>Process: applicants are encouraged to contact program staff in advance of submitting an expression of interest to confirm eligibility; program staff will support eligible applicants to develop a detailed proposal</p>	indigenouspolicy-politiquesautochtone@iaac-aeic.gc.ca

Impact Assessment					
Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Community Funding Program	Indigenous Centre for Cumulative Effects	Up to \$350,000	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities, associations, and organizations; organizations partnered with Indigenous communities</p> <p>Projects: projects must be community-led develop or enhance Indigenous communities' capacity for cumulative effects management, monitoring, and assessment in their territories using a two-eyed seeing approach</p> <p>Costs: salaries, honoraria, travel, training, professional fees, facility rental, data collection, office supplies, communications products, administrative costs</p>	<p>DEADLINE: March 6, 2023</p> <p>Process: review the Funding Guidelines and submit completed applications using the online portal</p>	cfp@icce-caec.ca

Mining and Mineral Exploration

Mining					
Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Indigenous Natural Resources Partnership Program	Natural Resources Canada (Government of Canada)	Project dependent	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities or governments, tribal councils, Indigenous organizations, academic institutions working with Indigenous partners</p> <p>Projects: projects related to natural resource economies, including participating in Canada’s critical minerals sectors, contributing to net-zero objectives, and shifting to clean energy</p> <p>Costs: professional services, salaries, wages, benefits, training and skills development, rentals, communications, planning, capital costs, travel, honoraria, taxes, overhead directly related to the project</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Ongoing</p> <p>Process: contact program staff to discuss project ideas prior to submitting an application form</p> <p>Note: all projects must be completed by March 31, 2027</p>	inrp-prna@nrcan-rncan.gc.ca
Aboriginal Participation Fund - Advanced exploration and development support	Ontario Ministry of Energy, Northern Development and Mines	\$0 - \$15,000 over 12 months	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities in Ontario in areas of high mineral development activity; priority given to communities without a Mineral Development Advisor (MDA)</p> <p>Projects: projects related to processing and responding to, notices received regarding proposed advanced exploration and mine development activity</p> <p>Costs: salary, community engagement activities, honoraria, administrative costs</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Ongoing</p> <p>Process: applicants should discuss projects with program staff and consult the application guide before submitting funding requests through the Transfer Payment Ontario online system</p>	aboriginalparticipationfund@ontario.ca

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Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Aboriginal Participation Fund - Early exploration support	Ontario Ministry of Energy, Northern Development and Mines	\$0 - \$20,000 over 12 months	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities in Ontario in areas of high mineral development activity having received 2-10 notices in the previous fiscal year; single applications or joint applications with a Band Council Resolutions from all communities are supported</p> <p>Projects: projects related to processing and responding to, notices received regarding proposed advanced exploration and mine development activity, and education and training related to mineral exploration and development</p> <p>Costs: salary, community engagement activities, honoraria, administrative costs, training</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Ongoing</p> <p>Process: applicants should discuss projects with program staff and consult the application guide before submitting funding requests through the Transfer Payment Ontario online system</p>	aboriginalparticipationfund@ontario.ca
Aboriginal Participation Fund - Education and relationship-building	Ontario Ministry of Energy, Northern Development and Mines	Dependent on available funds and proposal	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities in Ontario having identified a need to build relationships with other Indigenous communities, industry and government in relation to mineral exploration and development</p> <p>Projects: projects that support education and knowledge of the mining sector, facilitation of relationship-building between Indigenous peoples, industry and government</p> <p>Costs: salary, community engagement activities, workshop and conference fees, travel, equipment and rentals, technical and professional expertise, honoraria, administrative costs, training</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Ongoing</p> <p>Process: applicants should discuss projects with program staff and consult the application guide before submitting funding requests through the Transfer Payment Ontario online system</p>	aboriginalparticipationfund@ontario.ca

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Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Aboriginal Participation Fund - Mineral development advisor stream	Ontario Ministry of Energy, Northern Development and Mines	\$0 - \$130,000 over 12 months for up to 3 years	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities in Ontario in areas of high mineral development activity having received more than 10 notices in the previous fiscal year, or communities who engaged in reviewing 2 or more closure plans, closure amendment plans, or environmental assessments; single applications or joint applications with a Band Council Resolutions from all communities are supported</p> <p>Projects: projects related to hiring and training a Mineral Development Advisor (MDA)</p> <p>Costs: salary, community engagement activities, equipment, technical and professional expertise, honoraria, administrative costs, introductory and advanced training</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Ongoing</p> <p>Process: applicants should discuss projects with program staff and consult the application guide before submitting funding requests through the Transfer Payment Ontario online system</p>	aboriginalparticipationfund@ontario.ca

Mining					
Fund	Funder	Funding	Eligibility	Application	Contact
Aboriginal Participation Fund - Values mapping and related projects	Ontario Ministry of Energy, Northern Development and Mines	Project dependent	<p>Applicants: Indigenous communities in Ontario in areas of high mineral development; single applications or joint applications with a Band Council Resolutions from all communities are supported</p> <p>Projects: projects that build capacity in responding to information requests in regulatory processes under the Mining Act; traditional knowledge and values mapping; joint applications to resolve overlapping territory or traditional knowledge/values-related issues to help bring clarity to consultation and engagement processes related to mineral exploration and development</p> <p>Costs: salary, community engagement activities, travel, equipment and rentals, technical and professional expertise, honoraria, administrative costs</p>	<p>DEADLINE: Ongoing</p> <p>Process: applicants should discuss projects with program staff and consult the application guide before submitting funding requests through the Transfer Payment Ontario online system</p>	aboriginalparticipationfund@ontario.ca