



FIRST PEOPLES
economic growth fund

Project #

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First Nation
**BUSINESS SUPPORT
PROGRAMS**
application

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ALL SECTIONS, APPLICABLE TO THE APPLICANT, MUST BE COMPLETED IN FULL, BEFORE THIS APPLICATION WILL BE CONSIDERED BY FIRST PEOPLES ECONOMIC GROWTH FUND.

I am seeking assistance for one of the following Support Programs (check one only):

Business Plan Development **Professional Support Services (Aftercare)** **Skills Development**

Section A: APPLICANT'S INFORMATION

First Name & Initial: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Month | Day | Year

Last Name: _____ S.I.N. #: _____

Treaty #: _____ Member of (First Nation Name): _____

Current Address: _____

City/Community: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

Employment Information:

Employer Name & Address: _____

Phone: _____ Occupation: _____

How Long: _____ Gross Annual Income: _____

Previous Employer (if less than 3 years): _____ How Long: _____

Education and/or Training:

Please describe secondary and post secondary courses and training you have received; start with the most recent. Include any degrees, certificates and designations.

Name of institute	Year Attended	Location	Area of Study / Course	Grade / Diploma / Certification / Degree	Completed	
					Yes	No
					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Section B: BUSINESS INFORMATION

Business Structure: Partnership Corporation Co-op Sole Proprietorship

Other: _____

New – Proposed Business Start Date: _____
Month Day Year

Existing – Are previous financial statements available and attached? _____

Acquisition

Business Name: _____

Business Mailing Address: _____

Location of Existing or Proposed Business (if different from above): _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____ Email: _____

Number of jobs being created (including owner's): Full-Time: _____ Part-Time: _____

Number of jobs being maintained (including owner's): Full-Time: _____ Part-Time: _____

Business Ownership:

Name(s) of Owner(s) / Shareholder(s)	Name of First Nation	% of Ownership

Brief Description of Business Activities/Business Concept:

Attach a **ONE PAGE SUMMARY**, including the following:

Business Overview Industry Overview Management Experience

Marketing Strategy Staffing Estimated Project Costs Financing

Section C: CONSULTANT'S OR TRAINING ORGANIZATION'S INFORMATION

Consultant's/Training Organization's Name: _____

Consultant's/Training Organization's Address: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____ Email: _____

Amount Applied for: \$ _____ Total Cost: \$ _____

Other Sources of Financing:

Source: _____ Amount: \$ _____

Source: _____ Amount: \$ _____

IMPORTANT – Please remember to enclose the following:

If applying for Business Plan Development or Professional Support Services (Aftercare) program enclose:

- Terms of Reference from your consultant outlining what he/she will provide (deliverables), timeframe, cost quote.
- Business Resumé from the consultant that clearly identifies his/her ability to undertake the scope of the contract.

If applying for Skills Development program enclose:

- Course Outline from the trainer or training organization.

The above information MUST BE INCLUDED in order to process this application.

Section D: CREDIT INFORMATION & DISCLAIMER

The Applicant hereby authorizes First Peoples Economic Growth Fund Inc. to conduct any credit checks, inquiries, and property searches from other agencies and sources it deems appropriate to reach a decision on this application or necessary to administer the financial assistance under this Program and consents to the disclosure at any time of any credit information about the applicant to any credit reporting agency or to anyone with whom I/we have financial relations.

Declaration:

The statements and information herein and those attached which form part of this application are for the express purpose of obtaining financial assistance from the First Peoples Economic Growth Fund Inc. and are to the best of my/our knowledge and belief, true and correct.

The Applicant and/or Shareholders hereby declares that none of the principals or guarantors are undischarged bankrupts or have any bankruptcy proceedings in existence with respect to themselves or companies which they operate. The Applicant and/or Shareholders hereby further declares that he/she is not associated (that is an officer or child of an officer or director) with the First Peoples Economic Growth Fund Inc.

The Applicant and/or Shareholders acknowledges that the Consultant has no vested interest in the business. The Applicant and/or Shareholders warrant that they have no direct or indirect ownership or family relationship with the consultant or any person involved in making written presentations to First Peoples Economic Growth Fund for which payment for such services is expected to be funded by First Peoples Economic Growth Fund.

Right to Publicize:

The applicant hereby grants the First Peoples Economic Growth Fund Inc. the right to make public announcements related to the funding granted, to erect signs or other notices on the site of projects involving construction or expansion of an existing enterprise, and in general, may publicize or advertise any details related to the funding granted.

The Applicant hereby declares that he/she is a member of _____ First Nation.

Applicant Signature	Print Name	Date
Witness Signature	Print Name	Date

Have you:

- completed all sections of this application form **IN FULL**, which are applicable to the Applicant?

If an existing business, have you:

- attached previous financial statements?

If applying for Business Plan Development or Professional Support Services (Aftercare) program, have you:

- attached the Terms of Reference from the consultant?
- attached the Business Resumé from the consultant?

If applying for Skills Development program, have you:

- attached the Course Outline from the trainer or training organization?

Complete, sign and return this form and ALL accompanying documentation to FPEGF.