

First Nations & Métis Consultation Participation Fund – Fast Track Grants

Fast Track Grants are for up to \$10,000. The application process is simplified to improve the opportunity for First Nation and Métis communities to consult with government in the timelines set out in the government's notification letters.

In order to facilitate timely consultation, we encourage First Nations and Métis Locals to apply for funding as soon as possible.

Eligible activities include:

- engaging a local Consultation Co-ordinator;
- engaging independent professionals and/or consultants to help the community understand the project proposal, complete reporting requirements and provide facilitation services;
- facility rentals, equipment rentals, miscellaneous office costs;
- catering and refreshments;
- travel, accommodations and meal allowances for Consultation Co-ordinators, First Nation and Métis traditional users, Elders and elected officials;
- honoraria for Elders and traditional users; and
- translation and transcription services.

Applications must be submitted prior to the decision date, and be specific to the project identified in the notification letter from government. Activities undertaken prior to the date of offer on the grant agreement are not eligible for funding.

Complete applications can typically be processed and grants offered within five business days. Funds are released in two installments and reporting is required for the final payments.

To Apply

To make an application for funding, please contact:

Government of Saskatchewan
Aboriginal Consultation Unit
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