

PHASE 1 IMPACT ITAC STIMULUS GRANT PROGRAM

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Over 600 Indigenous tourism business owners from across Canada have requested \$14.4 million in grants through ITAC's COVID-19 Development Stimulus Fund. The fund is providing businesses with grants of up to \$25,000 each to help Indigenous entrepreneurs and their businesses stay afloat during these difficult times.

ITAC created the fund by reallocating its development grant money and savings from other programs. The fund was designed to provide relief for Indigenous tourism businesses that are being affected by the impacts of travel restrictions and physical distancing recommendations. Paired with additional federal funding, ITAC hopes the program will help businesses to prepare for future tourism seasons by allowing them to focus on market awareness, training qualified staff and designing sustainable business growth strategies.

In Phase 1, funding is being released to 94 export-ready Indigenous tourism businesses from across Canada. As ITAC is successful in raising more funding, grants will be distributed to Indigenous tourism businesses who are at market-ready, visitor-ready or doors-open stages of their tourism development.

We continue to work with our partners at the federal government level to identify additional funding from Indigenous led sources as each day becomes more critical for the survival of our industry.

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PHASE 1: BUSINESSES SUPPORTED THROUGH THE ITAC STIMULUS GRANT

Alberta

Jasper Tour Company
Métis Crossing Experience Company
Warrior Women
Wildhorse Ranch
Mahikan Trails
River Cree Resort & Casino
Moonstone Creation
Painted Warriors
Stoney Nakoda Resort & Casino
Little Chief Restaurant
Courtyard Marriott Cold Lake
Transformation Fine Art
Grey Eagle Resort & Casino

British Columbia

Moccasin Trails
Aboriginal Eco Tours & Talaysay Tours
Ocean House Haida Tourism
Coastal Rainforest Safaris
Haida Tourism LP (Haida House)
Kwa'lilas Hotel
Takaya Tours
Sidney Whale Watching
Homalco Wildlife Tours Limited Partnership
Indigenous World Winery
Quaaout Lodge at Talking Rock Resort
St. Eugene Golf Resort & Casino
Siwash Lake Wilderness Resort
Skwachàys Lodge
Adams River Rafting
Haida Style Expeditions
Sea Wolf Adventures
Nk'Mip Cellars
Spo7ez Cultural Centre and
Community Society
Cariboo Chilcotin Jetboat Adventures

Manitoba

Feast Cafe Bistro
Wapusk Adventures
Aurora Inn
Manito Ahbee Festival
Wat'chee Expeditions

New Brunswick

Metepenagiag Heritage Park
Red Bank Outdoor Adventure Lodge

Newfoundland & Labrador

Gros Morne Adventures
Royal Inn + Suites
Pirate's Haven ATV Friendly RV Park,
Chalets & Adv
Under the Stump

Northwest Territories

North Star Adventures
Bucket List Tour
AuroraTours.net
B.Dene Adventures
Tundra North Tours

Nova Scotia

Millbrook Cultural & Heritage Centre
Kluskap Ridge RV Campground



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Ontario

Wikwemikong Development Commission
Manitoulin Hotel & Conference Centre
Harbor Vue Marina Limited
Lodge on the Point
Seasons Family Restaurant
JR Wetlands Outfitters

Prince Edward Island

Lennox Island Development Corporation

Québec

Hôtel-Musée Premières Nations
Site Traditionnel Huron
Musée Amérindien de Mashteuiatsh
Nation Micmac de Gespeg
Leaf River Lodge
Club Odanak
Musée huron-wendat
Pourvoirie des Lacs à Jimmy
Croisières Essipit
Nation Santé Spa
Voyages Eeyou Istchee Baie-James
Hébergement aux Cinq Sens
Mer et monde Écotours
Secteur Tourilli
Les Entreprises Essipit (Les Chalets Shipek)
Les Entreprises Essipit (Condos Hotel Natakam)
Les Entreprises Essipit (chalets Anse à Jos/Yves)
Arctic Adventures - Tunulik II
Atelier-Boutique Atikuss Canada
Osprey Lake Lodge - Pourvoirie Aigle Pecheur
Domaine Notcimik
Organisme Kina8at
Les Entreprises Essipit (Camping Le Tipi)
Les Entreprises Essipit (Camping Tadoussac)

Maison de la Culture Innue
Inuit Adventures
Restaurant Sagamité
Arctic Adventures - Payne River Fishing Camp
Chalet D'Ianse Ste-Helene

Saskatchewan

Wanuskewin
Cree North Adventures

Yukon

Whitehorse Who What Where Tours / Dickson Outfitter
Carcross Tagish Management Corporation
Josie's Old Crow Adventures
Kwanlin Dün Cultural Centre
Shakat Tun Adventures

