

Guidelines for \$2000 Economic Development Grants

This program is available to members of Tl'azt'en Nation who have ideas that they believe that they can turn into a profitable business. This is available to Tl'azt'en members that live on or off of reserve. It is important to include the date on your submission, as there are many applicants and grants are given on a first come-first serve basis. There can be a significant wait time because of the high demand on this program; it can sometimes lead into the next fiscal year.

You will need the following:

- A basic description of the business that you want to operate. This should answer the following questions:
 - How are you going to make money?
 - Are you selling goods or services?
 - Why will people want your goods or services?
 - Is there training required? Do you have it?
 - Will you create jobs?
 - Is it seasonal? Will you operate year round?
 - What are your goals for this business?

- A basic budget outline that will answer the following questions:
 - How will you spend the \$2000?
 - What will the cost be to your customers?
 - What will your costs be?
 - How much do you think you can make in 6 months? In 1 year?

Grants should be submitted to the Economic Development Officer at the Tl'azt'en Band Office.