

Qalipu First Nation is currently seeking a Member-at-Large to join their Environment and Natural Resources Standing Committee (ENRSC). This unique opportunity will give hands-on access and input into the current operational plans of our Environment and Natural Resources Department and their continues reach to preserve our Natural Ecosystem for future generations.

The ideal candidate is a Band member living in the province with a background in Environment and Natural resource or related fields of experience. If you are committed and want to contribute your knowledge as a volunteer on this committee, please see below for an Expression of Interest.

Application deadline for interest Friday, February 18, 2022 at 12:00pm NST.

Environment and Natural Resources Committee

Member-at-Large

Expression of Interest

Overview

The Committee consists of a minimum of two (2) Ward Councilors, two(2) staff support and is seeking to bring one (1) Member-at-Large to the team.

The Committee meets a minimum of six (6) times per year, either in person or by video conference (Microsoft Teams).

Our Mandate

"To focus on the preservation of our Natural Ecosystem for future generations."

The department seen changes in 2021 to its organizational structure that included a split of two new divisions: Fisheries and Enforcement and Environment and Natural Resources.

Roles and Responsibilities of a Member-at Large Committee Member

- Participate in Committee Meetings in person or by video conference.
- Maintain engagement and involvement by responding to Committee emails between meetings to weigh in on decisions, programs, and activities.
- Work collaboratively with Committee to ensure team-based and positive outcomes of their Annual Operating Plan (AOP) to advance strategic objective of the Band.



- Establish and identify priorities of programs and projects, evaluate effectiveness, and relevance to the departments current policies and procedures as applicable.
- Monitor provincial landscape concerning the department, and report and concerns or opportunities to the committee.
- Represent a membership perspective while demonstrating respect for Mi'kmaq and Community Values.
- Contribute skills, knowledge, and experience toward accomplishing the goals and objectives of the Committee.
- Adhere to a Commitment of Confidentiality.
- Work on a volunteer basis with travel and per diems provided.

Qalipu First Nation reserves the right to refuse any and all applications.

The Ideal Candidate:

- Has background in education related field and five years' experience
- Is a member of the Band
- Is a resident of Newfoundland
- Must be able to travel within Newfoundland
- Must be willing to sign a Commitment of Confidentiality
- Must have an understanding of Indigenous culture and ceremony
- Must undergo a code of conduct check

If you are interested in this unique opportunity to work with the Qalipu First Nation Band, please send your resume and cover letter to ahunter@qalipu.ca by 12:00pm NST Friday, February 18, 2022.

If you have questions about this opportunity, please contact the Manager of Environment and Natural Resources, Alyssa Hunter at ahunter@qalipu.ca.