



tale'awtxw aboriginal capital corporation



BC First Nations Community Equity-Matching Initiative

Overview

The New Relationship Trust (NRT) has partnered with Tale'awtxw Aboriginal Capital Corporation (TACC) to deliver the *BC First Nations Community Equity-Matching Initiative*. This initiative will assist BC First Nation business projects with equity-matching funds up to \$25,000 to establish, modernize or expand a business.

The budget for the 2011/12 fiscal year is \$250,000.

Guidelines

- BC First Nation Community business projects are the only eligible recipients.
- Projects must be for the establishment of a new business, modernization of an existing business or expansion of an existing business. Ineligible costs include, but are not limited to: refinancing debt, debt consolidation, business planning and/or feasibility studies.
- Up to a maximum of \$25,000 or 25% of project costs, whichever is less, in matching equity is available per community business.
- BC First Nation Equity must be cash equity.
- The equity-matching is conditional on TACC approving a term loan (debt-financing) for the BC First Nation community business.

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