

Feedback Form

Community Webinar for Indigenous Communities Feedback Form – July 30, 2024

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Following the Long-term Two RFP Webinar for Communities held on July 30, 2024, the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) is seeking feedback. A copy of the presentations as well as recordings of the sessions can be accessed from the [engagement web page](#).

Please submit feedback to indigenousrelations@ieso.ca by August 23, 2024.

Long-Term 2 Request for Proposals

Topic	Feedback
<p>What factors should the IESO consider to make it easier for Indigenous communities to be involved?</p>	<p>Similar process as in the FIT/MICROFIT days where price adders were provided to successful proponents who had FN partners(review the FIT/microfit price schedule Jan 1, 2014 OPA) Opportunities for equity shares in a project providing risks are attainable, More information on Land Code communities with opportunities to host a project on FN lands. (www.labrc.com)</p>
<p>What else should be considered as part of the rated criteria with regards to increasing and bolstering Indigenous participation?</p>	<p>There was question surrounding a FN community who maybe km's away and the closest opportunities are not giving an opportunity. Perhaps a sliding scale on proximity should be created. Meaning a range factor from the project/Treaty Area. The further away the less criteria points, the closer more criteria points.</p>
<p>How can the IESO better support Indigenous communities to make decisions about proposed projects?</p>	<p>In the forum, capacity was a concern. Perhaps IESO can help facilitate discussion with Tribal Councils to assist with providing information to their member communities. However, IESO must remember that most FNs chose to be autonomous and this has to be respected.</p>