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LT2 RFP Webinar Discussion with Indigenous Communities

Thank you for joining today's session

Please keep your cameras off and microphones muted until the Q&A portion

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Our Commitment to Engagement

The IESO's approach to community engagement is based on these key principles:

- ✔ Strengthening processes for early and sustained engagements with Indigenous communities, local governments and the public
- ✔ Providing Indigenous communities, local governments and the public with greater voice and responsibility
- ✔ Bringing communities to the table
- ✔ Linking local and provincial planning, and reinforcing the link between planning and procurement
- ✔ Enhancing electricity awareness and improved access to information

Your Input is Important

Indigenous communities are amongst the most influential voices to advance, manage, and shape the ongoing energy transformation. Through our engagements we've heard that it is important to:



Inform and engage with communities in a timely manner



Consider design requirements that incentivize developers to better understand, interact and collaborate with communities



Keep economic development top of mind to meet future needs



Continue to provide support and guidance for communities on how to work with developers



Support innovative technologies and programs

Context for LT2 RFP



Changing electricity landscape: By 2050, electricity demand could grow by 75%. To meet the emerging needs, a multi-pronged approach is being implemented, including new supply and transmission.



A mix of resources will be required: To meet needs emerging in 2029-2030, energy producing resources and capacity resources will be required to meet system needs.



What to expect regarding LT2 RFP: Proposal submissions expected to be due in mid-2025; protections for Prime Agricultural Areas; streamlined approach for community engagement; municipal approval for projects; and continued promotion of Indigenous participation.



Your feedback helps to shape design: Procurement design for both the LT2 RFP Energy and Capacity streams will be informed by input from Indigenous communities, municipalities, and stakeholders.

Rated Criteria – Indigenous Participation

- Creating opportunities for Indigenous leadership and participation in the procurement of new electricity infrastructure is an important way to support economic development opportunities for Indigenous communities and to take steps towards reconciliation.
- The IESO is proposing a rated criteria structure like that which was used under the successful LT1 RFP.
 - Rated Criteria points will be available for projects with Indigenous Community Participation, including additional rated criteria that incentivize economic opportunities for projects by Indigenous Communities, in whose treaty or traditional territory the projects are proposed.

Rated Criteria – Indigenous Participation (1)

- Up to three rated criteria points will be awarded to Proposals based on their Indigenous Participation Level, where the Indigenous Participation Level is the percentage of the total Economic Interest in the Supplier that is held by one or more Indigenous Communities, or Indigenous Holding Vehicles that each hold at least 10% of the Suppliers total Economic Interest, as of the Contract Date.

Indigenous Community Participation	Rated Criteria Points Available
Proponent Indigenous Participation Level is equal to or more than 50%	3
Proponent Indigenous Participation Level is equal to or more than 25% but less than 50%	2
Proponent Indigenous Participation Level is equal to or more than 10% but less than 25%	1
Proponent Indigenous Participation Level is less than 10%	0

Rated Criteria – Local Indigenous Participation

- The IESO is proposing to award up to three additional rated criteria points if the Project Site is located in whole or in part on Indigenous Lands or lands within the treaty area, or the established or asserted traditional territory or homeland of an Indigenous Community that holds an Economic Interest.
- The number of points awarded will be dependent on the Indigenous Participation Level.

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Seeking Your Input: LT2 RFP

Your feedback is important. The IESO is hoping to understand:

- What factors could the IESO consider to make it easier for Indigenous communities to be involved?
- How could the IESO better support Indigenous communities to help them make decisions about proposed projects?

Written feedback can be submitted to engagement@ieso.ca by December 4, 2024.

Get Involved



The **IESO invites written feedback by December 4, 2024 for the LT2 RFP.**
All written feedback should be submitted to engagement@ieso.ca.



For the LT2 RFP, the IESO will aim to continue engaging prior to release of the final RFP and contract.



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