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Community Energy Champion (CEC)

May 8, 2026 Posting Closes

JOB DESCRIPTION

The **Community Energy Champion (CEC)** is a critical team member responsible for supporting the **McGraw Falls Dam Project**. This role is designed to bridge technical project management with community-led participation, serving as a pilot to build a successful model for 10+ additional hydroelectric dam projects identified in the region.

Administrative & Technical Project Support

- Organize and facilitate meetings with project partners and stakeholders.
- Review and provide relevant input on project documents and maintain all project records.
- Participate in construction phase meetings and maintain regular communication with contractors.
- Assist in funding and community reporting, ensuring transparency for the Board of Directors and project funders.

Community Engagement & Awareness

- Plan, organize, and lead in-community information sessions and consultation events.
- Capture and record feedback from community attendees to ensure local perspectives are integrated into final project outcomes.

Evaluation & Reporting Milestones

- Record feedback and outcomes at major milestones, including project development, construction execution, and long-term operation & maintenance.
- Identify and document challenges and barriers to extract data that will improve the efficiency of future projects.
- Support the evaluation of social and economic impacts of the hydroelectric development on owner communities.

Qualifications

- Exceptional public speaking and presentation skills; ability to simplify complex energy systems for diverse audiences (Elders, Youth, and Leadership).

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- Significant experience or affiliation with the seven owner First Nations is strongly preferred to support reconciliation and partnership goals.
- A valid Class G driver's license and access to a reliable vehicle are required for regular travel to partner communities.
- Ability to speak an Indigenous language is considered an asset.

Employment Terms

- Full-time contract. Entry Level Position. Primary hours are Monday – Friday, with occasional evenings/weekends for community events and construction. Travel to communities is required.
- A competitive salary will be offered based on qualifications, with additional funding available for candidates possessing specialized top-up qualifications.
- Eligible travel and operational expenses are covered under the project's capacity-building budget.
- Location will be in Fort William First Nation with travel within Canada

Interested candidates should submit a resume, cover letter, and references including the most recent employer and at least two others. Applications are to be accepted until 4:00 p.m. of the closing date.

Any questions and applications can be directed to:

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