



Call for Advisory Council Members

Join the Indigenous Peoples Resilience Fund Advisory Council

The Indigenous Peoples Resilience Fund (IPRF) walks alongside First Nations, Inuit, and Métis communities as they strengthen their own paths of healing, resurgence, and self-determination. Rooted in Indigenous ways of knowing and being, the IPRF uplifts the voices and visions of our Peoples.

We are inviting individuals from diverse Nations, territories, and walks of life to join our Advisory Council. If you are grounded in community and committed to sharing your gifts to support Indigenous-led solutions, we welcome you to walk with us.

About IPRF:

Grounded in the values of the communities we serve, IPRF honors the voices of Indigenous peoples. Our mission is to provide accessible funding and support to community-driven priorities. Whether that's food sovereignty, language and cultural revitalization, youth leadership, or something else – we listen first, then respond in ways that honour our relationships and responsibilities.

Role of the Advisory Council Members

Members of the Advisory Council carry responsibilities that include:

- **Governance:** Offer insight and direction that aligns with the teachings, values, and priorities of the communities we serve.
- **Advocacy:** Champion the community-led work that IPRF supports within your networks and communities.
- **Commitment:** Attend quarterly board meetings and participate in sub-committees as needed. Council members serve a three-year term, with the option of renewing for a second term. The time commitment averages 2-6 hours per month, depending on the time of year.

This is a volunteer position, ideal for those who feel called to give back to the communities we serve in a meaningful way. While most meetings are held remotely, occasional travel may be required for in-person gatherings. When travel is necessary, the IPRF will cover all related expenses.



Who We're Looking For

We are seeking relatives who bring experience, knowledge, and heart to the circle. This might include:

- Leadership in community, culture, language, or advocacy work
- Lived or professional experience in Indigenous governance or nonprofit spaces
- Skills in communication, planning, finance, and/or relationship-building
- A commitment to reciprocity, diversity, and walking with others respectfully

If you feel called to be part of this circle, we would be honoured to hear from you.

How to Apply:

If your heart is drawn to supporting Indigenous communities through shared leadership and vision, please send an expression of interest to Natalia Caplin at **talía@iprfund.ca** by **September 11, 2025**.

Kindly include a short cover letter that speaks to your experience, the gifts you carry, and why you feel called to join the IPRF Advisory Council.

To learn more about our work and values, please visit www.iprfund.ca.