



NATIVE FISHING ASSOCIATION



Entrepreneur Equity-Matching Initiative

Overview

The New Relationship Trust (NRT) has partnered with Native Fishing Association (NFA) to deliver the **Entrepreneur Equity-Matching Initiative**. This initiative will assist BC First Nation entrepreneurs with equity-matching funds up to \$5,000 to establish, modernize or expand a business.

Guidelines

- Applicants must reside within British Columbia
- BC First Nation entrepreneurs and First Nation Community businesses are the only eligible recipients (status or non-status), with priority given to BC First Nation entrepreneurs residing on-reserve.
- Up to a maximum of \$5000 or 25% of project costs, whichever is less, in matching equity is available per entrepreneur or community business.
- **The entrepreneur equity must be cash equity.**
- The equity-matching is conditional on NFA approving a term loan (debt-financing) for the entrepreneur or community business.

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