



Red Lake Calling for Accomplished Business Leaders TO JOIN TRIBAL BUSINESS ADVISORY BOARD

Application forms available at Tribal Council office and downloadable on website

Vision:

We are embarking on a journey to revitalize the future of the Red Lake Nation and its people. Part of this ambitious plan is to create world-class businesses that create high quality jobs for Red Lake members while demonstrating respect for the environment in the highest traditions of the Ojibwe philosophy. In doing this, Red Lake's Tribal Businesses will take a leadership role in demonstrating the power of holistically sustainable business practices to the world while creating an economically independent future for the Red Lake Nation.

We are seeking Advisory Board Members to oversee Tribal Businesses including the creation of a new global and iconic brand of sustainable foods and crafts.

Desired Qualifications:

- ❖ Accomplished business background – minimum 10 years of professional business management experience with strong achievements
- ❖ Values must be aligned with Vision for Red Lake Nation – a verifiable background in philanthropy or social work will be a significant advantage, especially a commitment to the welfare of the Ojibwe.
- ❖ There should be no conflict of interest during or for 2 years after end of term (political, economic, or other)
- ❖ Must provide honest and straightforward counsel with the tribe's highest interests at heart
- ❖ High level of commitment and strong work ethic
- ❖ Previous board experience helpful
- ❖ Red Lake Nation member

Board Membership Terms & Responsibilities:

- ❖ Board Members serve a three (3) year term, renewable once.
- ❖ Board meetings will be held every two months in person (in exceptional circumstances, a member can attend one or at most two meetings via phone)
- ❖ Compensation is exciting and will be based primarily on performance (up to 1% of Net Profit of Tribal Businesses under the Board's oversight will be shared by the Board Members).
- ❖ A nominal fee and per diem will also be paid for up to 15 days/member per year.
- ❖ Must abide by the by-laws and articles of incorporation of Red Lake Nation and the new Corporate Code
- ❖ Must attend board and membership meetings and adequately prepare for each meeting
- ❖ Must actively participate in board meetings, and serve on at least two sub-committees
- ❖ Must complete all assignments agreed by the Board in a timely manner
- ❖ Must update the Red Lake Tribal Council effectively and professionally after every Board Meeting
- ❖ Must possess good, clear communication skills to be able to speak publicly upon occasion

How to apply:

If you are interested in nominating someone to the board, complete the two-page form listing the candidates' qualifications and experience. Email all requested information by March 4th 2011 to

rladvisoryboard@gmail.com