



Canadian Friends Service Committee **Reconciliation Fund**

The CFSC Reconciliation Fund was established in 2017 in response to an individual Friend's leading to contribute to reconciliation by donating a portion of their annual income to reconciliation initiatives. The purpose of the Fund is to support the grassroots, community-based efforts of Indigenous people in Canada who are working on cultural and language revitalization and other projects.

The Reconciliation Fund will provide an annual report on funds available.

Information for Donors

Individuals can donate to the fund however and whenever you are led: in the form of one-time donations, a monthly contribution, or as a percentage of their annual income to the fund.

"I support the Reconciliation Fund out of a sense of responsibility, accountability, and obligation. As I have learned more about the failure of my settler predecessors to honour their treaty obligations, and about the damage of the residential school system, I've developed some appreciation of the past and continuing injustices that carry forward for both the Indigenous and settler descendants who call Canada home."

Tony McQuail, CFSC Reconciliation Fund donor

Contact CFSC to send a donation allocated to the Reconciliation Fund. Tax receipts are available for donations over \$10.

Visit quakerservice.ca/support to donate \$25, \$50, \$100 and choose "CFSC Reconciliation Fund" from the "My donation is for*" dropdown menu

Projects Funded in the Past

Past projects of the Fund include:

2019 – Haida Youth to attend the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues

2018 - Kontinonhstats – [Mohawk Language Custodians Association](#) (MLCA)

Grant Decision-Making and Governance

The Reconciliation Fund is assisted by a Grant Advisory committee, who advise on our decisions on grant applications. The Grant Advisory committee is made up of Indigenous individuals with whom CFSC has existing partner relationships.

Information for Applicants

The CFSC Reconciliation Fund was established to support the grassroots, community-based efforts of Indigenous people in Canada who are working on cultural and language revitalization and other projects.

What we Fund

- Funding is for the work of Indigenous people only.
- The maximum grant size per single application is \$1,000.00. Applicants may request for continuing support to a project as needed.
- We don't fund:

Salaries; legal expenses; non-Indigenous people's initiatives on cultural revitalization

When to Apply

Applications are considered as received. Please expect at least a month for your application to be reviewed by our Indigenous Advisory Committee and CFSC.

How to Submit Your Application

Please complete the form below. You are also welcome to apply through a voice file or video file (e.g. recorded on your phone) if this would be more convenient for you.

Please submit your application by email to Keira Mann at keira@quakerservice.ca.

Contact Us

Please contact Keira Mann at 416 920 5213 or keira@quakerservice.ca if you would like to apply.



Canadian Friends Service Committee **Reconciliation Fund Application**

Please complete this form. You are welcome to provide your answers related to your Reconciliation Action and Need for Support (section 2) by recording yourself on a phone (voice file or video file) and emailing it to us with the rest of this form.

Contact Information

Please provide the name and contact information of the person who can receive the grant funds if your application is approved and will participate in the end of project phone call. If approved, a cheque will be mailed to the address you provide below. Please only respond to what is relevant to you below.

Name: _____

Position: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Group website (if applicable): _____

I am authorized to act on behalf of the organization in relation to this application

Reconciliation Action and Need for Support

1. Please describe your project or action and the expenses that you are requesting funds to pay for.
2. Are you working with any other partners in your community or beyond your community? If so, please name them and describe the nature of your collaboration.

Optional Information and Materials

You are invited to submit any of the following materials about your work:

- News clippings on your initiative if available
- Maps and diagrams as relevant
- One or more photos of your work in action

Grant Terms

- Your grant must be used for the purpose outlined in this application. If you would like to change what you are using the grant for, please let us know.
 - If work to be funded will be carried out by individuals other than those named in this application, please let us know.
 - Grant funds will be released to you on the basis of the receipts you submit for reimbursement.
 - We ask that you participate in a brief phone call at the end of your project to let us know how the resources were able to help you in your work and to provide feedback on your experience of this program. This helps us encourage donations to build the Fund and increase the amount we are able to give.
 - We may publish brief descriptions of our Reconciliation Fund grants and grantees on our website at <https://quakerservice.ca/> or in CFSC email or print newsletters. These communications allow others to learn about the work you are doing on Reconciliation and help to raise awareness and financial support for this program. You are welcome to opt out of this and it will not affect your chances of having your grant approved. Please check the box below if you do not want details of your grant to be posted on the CFSC website, social media or other communications.
- I do not want details of my grant to be shared on CFSC communications channels.

Once you have read the above, please check the box below if you agree to these terms:

- I have read and accept the grant terms

Name: _____

Date: _____

Signature: _____