



Resolution Duly Approved by the
Métis Nation-Saskatchewan
Provincial Métis Council on March 11, 2022
#220311-05

Community Enhancement Grant Program

WHEREAS the government of the Métis Nation – Saskatchewan (MN-S) will include distinctiveness processes based on our identity, culture, values and language, inclusive of knowledge keepers, Elders, youth and distinct resources;

WHEREAS the Ministry of Early Learning and Child Care will work across all MN-S ministries to create a collaborative process to review new and existing programs;

WHEREAS high-quality Métis focused early learning and child care programs enhance opportunities for Métis children in our Nation;

WHEREAS Métis Elder and Old Ones' involvement, Métis language programs, and Métis land-based learning programs will build strong cultural awareness in early learning programs for our Métis children and families;

WHEREAS Métis early learning community programs recognize needs and can respond accordingly;

WHEREAS a cross-ministerial process will review and approve grant applications based on existing program plans and community needs, not to exceed \$40,000 per individual project and \$2,850,000 in the entirety of the 2022-23 fiscal year; and

WHEREAS the Ministry of Early Learning and Child Care has further recommended that the Community Enhancement Grants be established, at this meeting of March 10-11, 2022;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the MN-S Provincial Métis Council approves the Community Enhancement Grant Program at this meeting of March 10-11, 2022.

Dated this 11th day of March, 2022

Moved by: Tim Roussin, Eastern Region 2A

Seconded by: Loretta King, Western Region 1