

CNSC Participant Funding Program Decision

CNSC Staff Meeting with Sagkeeng Anicinabe First Nation Regarding Canadian Nuclear Laboratories' *In Situ* Decommissioning of the Whiteshell Reactor #1 Project





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The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) offered funding under its Participant Funding Program (PFP) to facilitate a meeting on March 19, 2018 between Sagkeeng Anicinabe First Nation and CNSC staff. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the Whiteshell Reactor #1 *In Situ* Decommissioning Project.

The information gathered from the meeting will be included in a relevant Commission member document and presented directly to the Commission.

Background

The CNSC made PFP support available to:

- enhance Indigenous and stakeholder participation in the CNSC's environmental assessment and licensing processes
- help stakeholders bring valuable information to the Commission

An Funding Review Committee (FRC), independent from the CNSC, was established to review the funding application received by the CNSC's PFP administrator, and to make recommendations on the allocation of funding to the applicant.

The FRC had one member: Mr. Bruce Young, retired Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency director.

The CNSC received one PFP application requesting \$9,771, and this was reviewed by the FRC.

Eligibility and funding criteria

For more information on participant funding and how it works, including details on eligibility and funding criteria, please read the <u>PFP guide</u>.

CNSC participant funding decision

The CNSC carefully considered the FRC's recommendation on the allocation of participant funding for Sagkeeng Anicinabe First Nation to meet with CNSC staff, and approved the reimbursement of up to \$9,771.

Applicant	Maximum amount of available funding
Sagkeeng Anicinabe First Nation	\$9,771
TOTAL	\$9,771

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