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Call for Expression of Interest to join the Kakin Group Ltd. Board of Directors

Kakin Group Ltd. (KGL) is seeking passionate and knowledgeable akanuxuníʔ members to join our Board of Directors. As the economic arm of our Nation, KGL is committed to creating long – term economic growth, generating revenue, and increasing opportunities for our members. Our focus is on building sustainable businesses forming strategic partnerships and ensuring economic prosperity that benefits the entire community.

As a Board Member, you will help guide KGL’s strategic direction, provide oversight on business operations, and ensure that decisions align with the best interests of KGL and the Yaqit ʔa·knuqʔiʔit First Nation. We encourage applications from interested members who have experience or interest in business, finance, governance, or economic development and are committed to strengthening our Nation’s economy.

Who Should Apply:

- Members of Yaqit ʔa·knuqʔiʔit First Nation who are committed to the economic success for our First Nation.
- Individuals with knowledge of governance, business development, or First Nation leadership.
- Elders and Knowledge holders who can provide cultural guidance and direction.
- Young leaders who want to develop governance and leadership experience while ensuring their interests and voices are supported for their future.

How to Apply:

- A Cover letter outlining your interest in the role, relevant experience, and how you can contribute to Kakin Group Ltd, the wholly owned economic corporation of Yaqit ʔa·knuqʔiʔit First Nation.
- A Resume detailing your background in business, finance, governance, culture, or relevant experience.

As a Board Member of KGL, you will be responsible for:

Governance & Oversight

- Ensuring KGL operates in alignment with Yaqit ʔa·knuqʔiʔit economic goals and community values.
- Uphold strong governance practices and compliance with corporate policies and legal requirements.
- Providing oversight on financial management, strategic planning, and risk assessment.

Strategic Leadership

- Contributing to long-term business planning and economic development strategies.
- Advising on business opportunities, investments, and partnerships that support financial sustainability.

- Ensuring corporate policies and strategies align with the economic interests of Yaqit ʔa-knuqʔi'it First Nation.

Fiduciary Duties:

- Acting in the best interests of Yaqit ʔa-knuqʔi'it First Nation and KGL with integrity and accountability.
- Reviewing financial reports, budgets, and operational updates to ensure fiscal responsibility.
- Avoiding conflicts of interest and maintaining transparency in decision-making.

Community & Stakeholder Engagement

- Representing Yaqit ʔa-knuqʔi'it First Nation members in economic matters.
- Engaging with community members, and leadership, to ensure inclusive economic development.
- Advocating for policies and initiatives that enhance business growth and employment opportunities for members.

Commitment Expectations

- Attending regular board meetings and participating in committee work as needed.
- Staying informed about Yaqit ʔa-knuqʔi'it First Nation and KGL business activities and business trends.
- Contributing to a collaborative and effective board environment.

This is a meaningful opportunity to shape Yaqit ʔa-knuqʔi'it First Nation's economic future. If you have the passion and expertise to support our Nation's economic development, we encourage you to apply.

Deadline for Submissions: March 28, 2025, by 12:00 pm

Please submit applications to:

Lisa McCoy, Executive Assistant to Council & Governance

Yaqit ʔa-knuqʔi'it First Nation

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Please forward your questions to:

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