



Opportunity Posting: ʔaqʔamnik Board Member

About the role

The ACE Board supports the community objectives of creating sustainable economic success for ʔaqʔam through a responsible, community-focused business portfolio. We seek a committed ʔaqʔamnik Board member who will help guide strategy, strengthen relationships and alliances for ʔaqʔam, and support the ACE staff as they develop business opportunities.

Key responsibilities

- Prepare for and attend monthly ACE board meetings.
- Review and evaluate management reports, plans and performance.
- Advise the ACE team on matters of cultural significance related to business development, governance, policy, and corporate strategy.
- Select, monitor and support senior management with staffing and succession planning.
- Assess and promote ethical behaviour and compliance with ʔaqʔam laws and ACE policies.
- Evaluate the Board's own effectiveness.
- Physically sign expense cheques biweekly in ʔaqʔam or Cranbrook when required.

Key qualities

- ʔaqʔam or Ktunaxa community member.
- Broadly informed about community priorities, issues, concerns and opportunities.
- Strategic thinker, providing good judgement and constructive oversight.
- A general understanding of economic & business development.
- Ability to review business related memos; ask informed questions.
- Available for monthly in person meetings, AGM and occasional additional work.

Duration:

- 2-year term, starting October 1st, 2026. Further opportunity exists to do multiple terms or become the board chair.

Time commitment:

- 1–2 days per month
- ½ day: monthly Board meeting
- ½ day: monthly meeting preparation
- Additional meetings/approvals as required

Compensation:

- \$450 monthly stipend. Additional ½ day \$225; full day \$450.

How to express interest:

- For more information or to express interest, email ACE GM Craig Campbell at ccampbell@aqam.net to schedule an exploratory call or ask any questions you may have.
- Closing date: The posting is open until September 1.
- For more background visit www.investaqam.com or view the [ACE video introduction](#).