# The Metis Economic Development Fund (MEDF) is here to help!

MEDF financing program will assist businesses owned or controlled by Metis in Manitoba with loans for start-up, growth, acquisition, or expansion purposes.

## Call us today!

- We encourage Metis entrepreneurs to contact us and speak directly with our knowledgeable staff about your current business opportunity.
- · Join the Metis business directory

### Contact Us

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Helping Metis Business Succeed

Financing Program



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- Growth
- Acquisitions
- Expansions
- Start-Up

### Financing

- Financing is available from \$20,000 to \$500,000
- Competitive fixed interest rates with open terms
- Max term 10 years

# Who is eligible for MEDF Financing?

- The Fund is available to all Metis owned businesses incorporated in Manitoba.
- Applicants will need to demonstrate their Metis Heritage via genealogy.
- Minimum Metis Entrepreneur ownership is 20% of the fair value of the corporation and together with other Metis shareholders or MEDF should be a minimum Metis ownership of 51%.
- Applicants must have minimum 10% of total project costs

### Success Stories

"As a Metis entrepreneur, it was great to work with another Metis organization for business support and funding. MEDF staff was really knowledgeable and accommodating. I look forward to working with them on future projects."



### SEAN MCCORMICK Manitobah Mukluks

"When I needed financial assistance to expand my business, I went directly to MEDF and LRCC. Securing financing helped me expand my business. I highly recommend MEDF and LRCC to other businesses looking to partner with a local community lender that understands the needs of the community."

# LARRY CHARTRAND Labels Unlimited

"MEDF and LRCC have made great effort to help me secure capital in order to complete my projects. The staff have all been very helpful and respectful. They have went out of their way to be flexible with my requests and needs, all while maintaining a professional manner. I look forward to working with them in the near and distant future."

#### **JAMES ADVENT**

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