



# CNSC Participant Funding Program Decision

CNSC Technical Workshop Regarding the Bruce Nuclear Generating Station's Interaction With Fisheries Resources of the Lake Huron/Saugeen Watershed



**PFP**  
Participant Funding  
Program

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Through its Participant Funding Program (PFP), the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) offered funding to facilitate a workshop on June 14, 2017 with interested local non-government organizations, academic institutions and Indigenous communities regarding the Bruce Nuclear Generating Station's (NGS) interaction with fisheries resources of the Lake Huron/Saugeen watershed.

This funding offer was made as part of the PFP's support for CNSC meetings on matters of regulatory interest. The information from the meeting will be included in a relevant Commission member document, so as to make the Commission aware of any valuable information gathered. The deadline for submitting the participant funding application to the CNSC was April 28, 2017.

## **Background**

Participant funding was made available by the CNSC to:

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

A funding review committee (FRC), independent of the CNSC, was established to review the funding applications received by the CNSC's PFP administrator and to make recommendations to the CNSC on the allocation of up to \$14,754.24 to eligible applicants.

The FRC members were:

- Guy Riverin, environmental assessment expert and retired federal public servant
- Paul Scott, retired regional director of the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency's Vancouver office
- Bruce Young, retired Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency director

The FRC reviewed the five PFP applications received by the CNSC. Total funding requested was \$15,557.74.

## **Eligibility and funding criteria**

For more information on participant funding and how it works, including details on eligibility and funding criteria, please read the [PFP Guide](#).

## **CNSC participant funding decision**

The CNSC has carefully considered the independent FRC's recommendations for the allocation of participant funding concerning CNSC's technical workshop on the Bruce Nuclear Generating Station's interaction with fisheries resources and has approved the reimbursement of up to \$14,754.24 to the following recipients:

<b>Applicant</b>	<b>Maximum amount (\$) of available funding</b>
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Métis Nation of Ontario	9,190.00
Georgian Bay Forever	246.24
NSERC Lake Whitefish Research Program (University of Regina)	3,516.50
NSERC Lake Whitefish Research Program (Northern Ontario School of Medicine)	965.50
NSERC Lake Whitefish Research Program (McMaster University)	836.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,754.24</b>

**Additional information**

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