



CALLING ALL TLA'AMIN/FIRST NATIONS ARTISTS

Qames ʔəms tala Settlement Trust has approved a Tla'amin Management Services LP (TMSLP) application for the *Tla'amin Art for Lund Hotel Project*. The fact that Tla'amin owns the hotel 100% is not always apparent to us or our visitors. There is virtually no Tla'amin artwork or cultural works at the Lund Hotel. Aboriginal tourism is on the rise with visitors from around the world seeking an authentic First Nation experience.

A marketing strategy is being developed to emphasize the Tla'amin/Coast Salish history of the area instead of the non-native settlement. If you have a piece of artwork you feel will assist us in creating a cultural footprint at the Lund Hotel, we want to hear from you. We are currently looking for, but are not limited to:

- **36 Wall Hangings (in any medium) that may or may not be framed.**
- **31 Bed Throws (eg. cotton bed runners with Tla'amin or Native design).**

The art project is intended to benefit Tla'amin citizens and other First Nations in the region by providing an opportunity to express culture via different mediums (carving, painting, fabric). Selected artwork will be proudly displayed at the Lund Hotel by artists who will receive fair compensation for their work. The art project will support existing Tla'amin artists to further develop their craft, and may encourage aspiring artists to get started. It may be a combination of both. There is a further economic component for Tla'amin artists, as having their art pieces on display at the hotel could bring additional orders from hotel guests and visitors.

If you are an artist or love to sew, and are interested in participating in *Tla'amin Art for Lund Hotel Project*, this project may be for you. We look forward to creating a cultural environment at the hotel that we can be proud of. Please feel free to contact Anthony Williams at: anthonywilliams444@gmail.com or call the TMSLP office at (604)483-7777.

