## Indigenous Relations at TC Energy.

For more than 40 years, TC Energy has been engaging with Indigenous groups. We recognize Indigenous groups as rightsholders who have a distinct relationship to the land. We understand that our business activities have the potential to affect these groups in tangible ways.

TC Energy's Indigenous Relations team engages early with potentially affected Indigenous groups to understand their interests, identify opportunities, respond to their concerns and facilitate participation on our projects. Through collaboration and open communication with Indigenous groups, we strive to earn their respect and trust to establish and grow positive long-term relationships.



We strive to continuously improve our engagement practices through ongoing communication and collaboration with Indigenous Peoples.

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## Our guiding principles.

TC Energy's Indigenous Relations policy, strategy and guiding principles inform our work with Indigenous groups.

## The following principles guide our engagement activities with Indigenous groups:

- Recognizing the unique connection Indigenous Peoples have with the land and their community governance.
- Ensuring meaningful and respectful engagement with Indigenous groups, as early as possible, using a principled approach.
- Achieving regulatory certainty using a pragmatic approach in the jurisdiction where we are building or operating.
- Building innovative project strategies, reflecting engagement and regulatory outcomes that are defensible, commercially reasonable and community led.