

ATNI-EDC



WASHINGTON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

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AFFILIATED TRIBES OF NORTHWEST INDIANS

- Established 1953
- 56 Member Tribes in PNW
 - Oregon
 - Washington
 - Idaho
 - & Alaska, Northern California, Montana, Nevada
- Dedicated to Promoting Tribal Self Determination & Sovereignty



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- Established in 1996
- Subsidiary of ATNI
 - Separately Incorporated
 - Serve ATNI Member Tribes
- **Mission:** provide **financial** and **technical assistance** to ATNI Member Tribes in the priority areas of **community and economic development**



Current Projects & Programs

- Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS)
 - Partnership Grant with EDA
 - Two-year Process
 - Serve as Roadmap to guide the growth of ATNI-EDC
- Revolving Loan Fund
 - Provide loans and financial assistance to tribal entrepreneurs
- Northwest Native Lending Fund



CEDS: A 2-Pronged Approach (Draft)

➤ Support ATNI Member Tribes

- Private Sector Development
- Infrastructure
- Housing

- Financing & Investment
- Education & Workforce Development

➤ Facilitate Intertribal Economy Building

- Story Telling
- Support Lenders
- Buy-Indian
- Shared Learning

- Regional Investments
- Policy Advocacy
- International Business



ATNI-EDC CEDS

- Download a DRAFT copy for review:
 - https://atniedc.files.wordpress.com/2019/05/atniedc_ceds-final-draft-for-review_2019.04.30.pdf
- Information:
 - <https://atniedc.com/projects/ceds/>



Revolving Loan Fund

- Loans to:
 - Tribal Governments
 - Tribal Enterprises
 - Native American Entrepreneurs
- Funding Sources
 - Economic Development Administration
 - USDA
 - CDFI
 - Certified as a Native Community Development Financial Institution



Northwest Native Lending Network

- Network hosted by ATNI-EDC
 - Increase Visibility
 - Support Lending Institutions
 - Share Technical and Financial Resources
 - Create Tools and Systems
 - Demonstrate Value
 - Strengthen Relationships
- Formally recognized by ATNI Resolution #19-18 (May 2019)



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