



REQUEST FOR INTEREST

Introduction

Inuuqatigiit Centre for Inuit Children, Youth and Families is a Non-Profit Inuit Organization, that provides cultural, educational, recreational and social support services to children, youth and families of Ottawa's growing Inuit community. The centre serves as a major hub of early years and youth services for Inuit families in Ottawa. Inuuqatigiit supports Inuit children and youth in Ottawa, to be strong, healthy and proud community members with knowledge of their culture, connection to the local Inuit community, equitable access to services and supported by their families. We do this through culturally strength-based programs and individualized services for the children, youth and their families that improve their ability to live a good life. All of our programs and advocacy work are rooted in the components of head start and guided by the Inuit Qaujimagatjuqangit principles.

Mission: In partnership with parents and the community the Inuuqatigiit Centre for Inuit Children, Youth and Families fosters strong and proud Inuit children, youth and families.

Objectives: To provide Inuit children and youth with a welcoming environment that will enhance their overall development; to foster positive parenting through support and education; and to promote the retention of the Inuit culture and language.

Scope of Work:

Inuuqatigiit Centre for Inuit Children, Youth and Families is issuing an Expression of Interest to hire an individual to work with our youth to create a Mural on the side of 230 Mc Arthur Ave that represents Inuuqatigiit Centre with a maximum budget being \$11,000.00.

The Paint It Up! Funding Program aims to support vandalism prevention, community safety and the beautification of Ottawa neighbourhoods through youth empowerment and community arts.

Paint It Up! contributes to an inclusive, clean, safe, and beautiful city by funding projects that engage neighbourhoods and youth in a learning process to create murals.

Some of the Centre sources of revenue/fee for service are funding, childcare, and cultural presentations.

The Vendor shall:

- Provide a quote with the following conditions to be met:
 - a. The mural must depict the importance of families.
 - b. Size.
 - c. Timeline.
 - d. Team and collaboration with Inuit Youth in IC Programs.
 - e. Budget.
 - f. Materials used.

Important Dates

The deadline to submit an Expression of Interest to Kendra Tagoona, Director of Programs at programdirector@inuuqatigiit.ca before Friday March 22, 2024.