

ANISHINABEK EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING SERVICES
ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

AETS FIRST NATION CHIEFS

Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek (Lake Nipigon Ojibway First Nation) – Chief Yvette Metansinine
Biigtigong Nishnaabeg (Pic River First Nation) – Chief Duncan Michano
Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek (Rocky Bay First Nation) – Chief Gladys Thompson
Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek (Sand Point First Nation) – Chief Paul Gladu
Kiashke Zaaging Anishinaabek (Gull Bay First Nation) – Chief Wilfred King
Michipicoten First Nation – Chief Chad Edgar
Netmizaaggamig Nishnaabeg – Chief Louis Kwissiwa
Pays Plat First Nation - Chief David Peter Mushquash
Red Rock Indian Band – Chief Allan Odawa Jr.

AETS First Nation
Chiefs

AETS Board of
Directors

AETS Executive
Director

John DeGiacomo

AETS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek (Lake Nipigon Ojibway First Nation) – Joe Donio
Biigtigong Nishnaabeg (Pic River First Nation) – Joni Michano
Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek (Rocky Bay First Nation) – Michael Esquega Jr.
Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek (Sand Point First Nation) – Jordan Hatton (President)
Kiashke Zaaging Anishinaabek (Gull Bay First Nation) – Hugh King
Michipicoten First Nation – James St. Germain
Netmizaaggamig Nishnaabeg – Lorrie Wynne
Pays Plat First Nation – Vanessa Bouchard (Secretary/Treasurer)
Red Rock Indian Band – Jolene Cote (Vice-President)

ELDERS IN RESIDENCE

Finance Manager
Cheryl Bailey

Finance Officer
Jessie Scott

Administrative Assistant
Katelyn Twance

Operations Manager
Amber Ogima

ISETA Programs Co-ordinator
Rachel Saxberg

Employment Officer
Bonnie Cordone

Project Based Funding
External Funding:
- Systems Administrator
Tristin McFall – Student Advisor

ILMI - Project Based Funding
Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC) & AES:
-Teegan Hardy Project Officer

Pre-Apprenticeship Training Programs (PATP) Funding
MLITSD – PATP:
-Jordan Rousselle, Project Coordinator

High School Program Initiative
Biigtigong Nishnaabeg
Endzhi-gkinoohmaading Private High School: -Daniel Beals, Teacher

Continuing Education - Project Based Funding
Ontario Trillium Fund:
-Daniel Beals, Program Coordinator – Continuing Education

Project Based Funding
Age Well at Home:
-Lorraine Keough - Project Coordinator
Wellness Opportunities Initiative:
-Melanie Thompson- Community Coordinator, Beverly Hunsberger - Employment Advisor, Sandi Erickson - Life Skills Officer, Kallie Milani - Job Development Officer

Project Based Funding Cont'
IESD Coordinator – Lorraine Keough
Indigenous Regional Workforce Development Roundtable Project
Tyler Gingras Coordinator, Kim Gamache Finance Assistant

Project Based Funding
-OMOT-Rural Transit
-FNECC-Language
-IPRF-Land Based - IEDF

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