



REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)

Tribal / Indigenous Artwork, Photography & Media – Hotel Project

Overview

Seeking Tribal artists and teams to create a culturally authentic artwork program for a new Hotel project in Shelton on Hwy 101. Scope includes photography, prints, wallcoverings, and murals reflecting our Tribal identity and storytelling. Squaxin Tribal artists and Tribal-owned businesses are strongly encouraged to apply.

Scope

- **Creative & Photography:** Original culturally grounded artwork and concepts
- **Guestrooms:** 112 prints (24"x35" typical; up to 4'8"x3'8"), 16 prints (3'x2' typical), 112 ADA room number plaques (braille)
- **Public Areas:** Multi-panel and large-scale artwork (up to ~12'9"x9"), feature walls, optional additional locations
- **Wallcoverings:** Approved custom cultural designs
- **Exterior Murals:** 661–1,355 sq ft per wall; panelized surfaces must be considered
- **Optional:** Site-specific or sculptural artwork (TBD)

Notes

Quantities reflect repeated placements (e.g., guestrooms). Standard and max sizes provided. Public space scope may expand. Full documentation available upon shortlisting.

Deliverables

Artwork/design files, production specs, optional installation, and optional cultural narrative.

Submission Requirements

Portfolio, brief cultural concept, scope of interest, preliminary budget estimate (*Will be negotiated upon award*), and timeline.

Timeline

Issued: May 15, 2026 | Due: June 19, 2026 | Selection: July 2026

Email proposals to Jennifer Hines. jhines@ieinc.org