

**DRAFT
BAND TENT USE POLICY
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The purpose of this policy is to ensure that the Band Tent is rented or loaned out to Band Members who will be responsible to ensure the tent is not damaged due to abuse while at the same time ensuring that the Band Administration and the Band members have use of it.

1. PRIORITY:

- Band member funerals will have priority over all other uses.
- The Band Administration events, such as Aboriginal Days or other Band celebrations will have the next priority.
- Only Band members will use of the tent.
- The tent will be used on Reserve only.
- In the event of a funeral, any previous booking may be cancelled until such time as it is no longer needed for the funeral. If the tent is required for a funeral, previously booked events may be cancelled.

2. RULES:

The following rules will apply to all users/renters unless Council approves otherwise;

- A person, appointed by the Band, will be responsible for the delivery, direction of erection and disassembling and returning the tent to the designated storage.
- The renter/user individual or department will be responsible for having 4 or 5 people, capable of erecting and taking down the tent under the supervision of the appointed supervisor..
- The renter/user will be responsible to supply sledge hammers.
- The renter/user will be responsible for security to ensure the tent is not damaged during the period of use.
- Damage deposits, if applicable, will not be returned to the renter until the tent has been returned to the designated storage facility.

3. RENTAL RATES:

- Council will have usage at no charge.
- There will be no charge for funerals and/or Memorials.
- Band members will be charged;

40' X 40'	\$150.00
40' X 60'	\$165.00
40' X 80'	\$200.00
40' x 100'	\$250.00
- 50% to be paid at the time of booking and the remaining 50% at the time of delivery before erection.

4. DAMAGE DEPOSIT:

- All renters/users will be required to pay a \$150.00 damage deposit, which will be returned, without interest, upon inspection resulting in there being no damages resulting from the use.
- The renters will be required to sign an acceptance for the responsibility for all damages resulting from their use.
- If the tent is damaged and the cost of repair exceeds the amount deposited, the renter/user will be invoiced for the amount over and above the deposit when all repairs are complete.