



Canoe Journey Paddle to Elwha

Submissions of Interest

Tulalip Events Department

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*The Tulalip Tribes are federally
recognized successors in interest to the
Snohomish, Snoqualmie, Skykomish, and
all other allied tribes and bands under
the Treaty of Point Elliot*

June 25, 2025

The Tulalip Tribes Events Department is requesting letters of interest for the preparation of the meal served during the Paddle to Elwha Canoe Journey.

Please submit a letter of interest by **Sunday, July 6th @ 4pm. Submissions must be emailed to rwatson@tulaliptribes-nsn.gov, or delivered to the CSR desk, sealed and timestamped c/o: Robert Watson at the Tulalip Administration Building: 6406 Marine Drive, Tulalip 98271.**

MUST BE AVAILABLE TO TRAVEL WITH CANOE JOURNEY GROUP: July 27 – August 6 (Dates are subject to change)

LETTER OF INTEREST WILL NEED TO INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

- a. Purchase, preparation and serving of all food for up to 200+ people
- b. Preparation of breakfast, lunch, dinner, and snacks for all days listed while on Canoe Journey
- c. Set up and tear down of meal tents at each stop
- d. Clean-up of the kitchen and tables at each stop
- e. Take into consideration, dietary restrictions such as diabetic members, etc.
 - a. Supply a full daily menu
 - b. Supply healthy options for those with dietary restrictions
- f. Copy of Food Handlers permits/certificates for each person working in the kitchen
- g. Please list previous experience cooking for traditional gatherings
- h. At the conclusion of journey, the cook will be required to clean and organize the food trailer prior to its return
- i. Provide a detailed letter of interest, in which you describe in detail, the following:
 - a. Past cooking experience (with dates and timeframes listed)
 - b. Why you are the best choice
- j. Payment will be given at the end of Canoe Journey final date
- k. Head Cook must provide the full name of Assistant Cook in the letter
- l. Urinalysis test must be performed in accordance to the Events Cook's Policy
- m. This is a drug and alcohol free event
- n. Tulalip Events follows the TERO Preference Policy.

Pay for the event:

Head Cook: \$500.00 per day
Assistant Cook: \$250 per day

Cook must be available for non-stipend communication with Events Manager or designee, leading up to preparation and departure of event. Cook must have a cell phone with ability to receive voicemails. (voicemail inbox must not be full)

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact:

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