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**Request for Proposals: Bear Island Access Study, Temagami First Nation**  
**Closing Date: July 4, 2025 at 11:59 pm local time**

Temagami First Nation (TFN) is inviting qualified firms or consultants to submit proposals for the **Bear Island Access Study**. This study will assess and document the current state of access to the community of Bear Island, Lake Temagami, located in Northern Ontario. The purpose of the study is to identify gaps in access and provide actionable recommendations to improve accessibility for community members, especially in terms of transportation.

**About the Project**

Located on Bear Island in Lake Temagami, Northern Ontario, TFN is home to approximately 300 residents. Access to Bear Island is by boat in the summer and by ice road in the winter. Warmer seasonal temperatures have shortened the ice road season, creating a challenge for accessing the community during extended freeze up and break up periods and during mild winters when an ice road may not be possible.

**Full RFP details and any addenda available at:**

<https://www.temagamifirstnation.ca/employment/> and scroll to Request for Proposals, Bear Island Access Study.

Temagami First Nation reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, and the lowest or highest as the case may be will not necessarily be accepted. The right is reserved to accept the whole or any part of the proposal.