



## We provide support for businesses serving the mineral exploration and mining industry.

### **Business Support**

The Department of Economic Development and Transportation (EDT) can help local businesses that want to sell goods and services to the mineral exploration and mining industry

EDT's business support programs can help with financing your business for start-up or expansion. marketing, business planning and skills training.

#### Ask about our:

- » Small Business Support Program
- » Strategic Investments Program
- » Prospectors Program

#### **Prospector Assistance**

The department offers up to \$8,000 in annual project support to prospectors to help pay for expenses including fuel, food, sample assay and prospecting equipment.

To be eligible for support you must have a valid Prospector's Licence and prior prospecting experience.

No experience? No problem. Take the introductory prospecting course, offered free of charge by EDT in communities across Nunavut.

The Nunavut Prospectors Program manual and application form can be downloaded at gov.nu.ca/edt, or you can pick it up at the EDT office nearest you.

### Contact

your community economic development officer (CEDO) or the EDT community operations office in your region about your idea.

## Create

a business plan. Outline what you want to do, how you're going to do it, and prepare a budget. (Help is available.)

# Complete

the application form and make sure you have included all the information requested.

## **Submit**

your completed application to vour CEDO and make sure it is sent to EDT.

# **Apply Now!**

Applications may be submitted in Inuktitut, Inuinnagtun, English or French.

#### For more information:

Look in the blue pages for your CEDO.

Learn more about our programs at www.gov. nu.ca/edt and click on the "Programs/Funding" tab.

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