## 2007 BUSINESS/COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPER OF THE YEAR AWARD WINNER LITTLE SHUSHWAP INDIAN BAND, BC



Along the shoreline of Little Shuswap Lake, British Columbia, lies a place so rich in tradition and hospitality, it is unlike any other resort on earth. It is called Quaaout Resort & Conference Centre, and is the pride of the Little Shuswap Indian Band. Quaaout Resort & Conference Centre is one of many Band businesses of the Little Shuswap Indian Band, where they demonstrate and provide quality service and facilitate this in a competitive industry.

Little Shushwap Indian Band was honoured as a winner in the Business / Community category. The Little Shuswap

Indian Band has been on the forefront of economic development for over a decade. Their initiatives have created employment for all types of industry bringing together people to understand each others cultures, traditions and heritage.

Little Shushwap Indian Band Councilors Tess Tomma and Wes Francois were gleaming with pride receiving their well-deserved award. "Thanks to all of you that help us to move forward," Wes Francois said. "[To reiterate] words of our Chief - there is no losers, everybody is a winner when working on initiatives in your communities."