

## Indigenous Land Acknowledgements

Now let's talk about something you might recognize from music festivals, sporting events, politicians' speeches or council meetings. Often, at the beginning, the speaker will note the proceedings are taking place on lands that originally belonged to Indigenous people and may acknowledge treaties between First Nations and the Crown. This is known as "Indigenous land acknowledgement".

One example: Before playing the national anthem, the NHL's Winnipeg Jets announce they play on Treaty One territory, land traditionally used by the Anishinaabe, Cree, Oji-Cree, Dakota, and Dene peoples, and the Metis Nation.

Q11. Are you familiar with this practice of Indigenous land acknowledgments?

Yes, familiar with it  
Not very familiar but have heard of it  
Have not heard of it (until now)

Q12. Have you ever heard an Indigenous land acknowledgement at a public event you attended (or seen this type of thing posted at a public venue)?

Yes  
No  
Not sure/Can't remember

[ASK THOSE WHO SAY YES]

Q12A. How often have you heard (or seen) this type of Indigenous land acknowledgement?

Just once or twice  
Fewer than ten times  
All the time, ten or more

Q12B. Overall, how do you feel when you hear these land acknowledgments?

Like hearing them  
Indifferent/Don't have strong feelings about this  
Dislike hearing them

[Ask All]

Q13. Please tell us whether you support or oppose having an Indigenous land acknowledgement made at each of these venues or occasions:

To begin a city council meeting  
At a conference taking place at a university  
At a sporting event  
An assembly at a public school  
At a staff meeting where you work

A speech by the Premier of your province  
A speech by the Prime Minister

Strongly Support  
Support  
Oppose  
Strongly Oppose  
Not sure/Can't say

Q14. And which would you say is closer to your view:

[ROTATE TOP TWO]

These types of acknowledgments are a valuable part of reconciliation with Indigenous people in Canada  
These types of acknowledgements do little to help with reconciliation with Indigenous people in Canada  
Not sure/Can't say