



FUNDO INDÍGENA
RUTI

O FRUTO DAS COMUNIDADES INDÍGENAS



Promoting Autonomy and Sustainability for the Indigenous Peoples of Roraima

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What is the Rutî Fund?

The Rutî Indigenous Fund is an innovative enterprise by the **Conselho Indígena de Roraima (CIR)**, an organization that has fought for over 50 years to protect the rights of the **Indigenous Peoples of Roraima**. Created to meet the urgent need for sustainable community development, the Fund supports projects that empower indigenous autonomy and ensure the protection and stewardship of their lands. By raising funds for initiatives that respect indigenous values and lifestyles, we aim to safeguard biodiversity and strengthen climate resilience, positively impacting communities and territories.



For an Empowered Indigenous Community!

The Rutî Indigenous Fund aims to promote and enhance the empowerment of indigenous communities, their ways of life and the economic sustainability of indigenous territories in Roraima by supporting **family, community and regional projects** in the area where the CIR operates.



Territory and Plurality

The Rutî Fund will operate in 35 Indigenous Lands in the State of Roraima, totaling approximately 15.7 million hectares within the Brazilian Amazon. This vast region is home to diverse indigenous peoples, including the **Wapichana, Macuxi, Ingarikó, Taurepang, Patamona, Wai Wai, Sapará, Yekuana and Yanomami**.



Our Core Themes

- Strengthening indigenous economies and sustainable production
- Implementing Territorial and Environmental Management Plans
- Securing Food sovereignty
- Facing climate emergency
- Supporting economic roles for indigenous women and youth

How We Operate

The Rutí Indigenous Fund supports projects through targeted funding calls. Each call for projects reflects the unique realities and needs of indigenous territories. An independent selection committee, free from direct ties to the Fund, will review applications to ensure a transparent and unbiased process.

1st Call

6

REGIONAL
PROJECTS,
worth
US\$ 25,000 each.

7

HOUSEHOLD
PROJECTS,
worth
US\$ 4,000 each.

12

COMMUNITY
PROJECTS,
worth
US\$ 16,000 each.

US\$ 380,000

WILL BE THE TOTAL AMOUNT FOR THE PILOT
PHASE OF THE TENDER FOR 25 PROJECTS.

100% Indigenous Fund

The Fund's governance is fully Indigenous-led, ensuring that all decisions align with the authentic priorities and needs of indigenous communities. Our structure includes two main bodies:

Executive Team: Comprised of the CIR Coordination and the Fund Team.

Selection Committee: Represented by the Management Council, the Fund's decision-making body comprises 12 members, including indigenous leaders and technicians.

We have active and collaborative governance, which is reflected in effective processes, ensuring a fast transportation of resources to the communities as well as a real impact for every action.

Furthermore, the Fund projects will have shared management, taking responsibility for financial execution, that is, we will not transfer resources to third parties, respecting the way of life of our people.

Partnerships Make a Difference

We have invited both national and international organizations, foundations, companies and individuals committed to social and environmental justice to join the Ruti Indigenous Fund. This support will allow indigenous communities to access the resources they need to implement projects that respect their culture, protect their territories and promote sustainability. Let's fight together!



Support:



Partners:

