

Land Acknowledgement Examples:

United Way:

We would like to recognize that Nova Scotia is home to over 50 African Nova Scotian communities, who's culture, heritage and histories have been and remain a key part of this province for more than 400 years. For generations, African Nova Scotians have experienced inequities due to systemic racism in Halifax and Nova Scotia and still do today. As an organization that is guided by values of equity and compassion, we will listen to and learn from the first-voice perspectives of Black Nova Scotians, amplify Black voices, invest in Black communities, and address inequities and injustices across our city.

Nova Scotia Federation of Municipalities:

NSFM is located in Mi'kma'ki, the ancestral and unceded territory of the Mi'kmaw. We are all Treaty people. We also acknowledge the histories, contributions, and legacies of the African Nova Scotian people and communities who have been here for over 400 years.

Acadia University:

We also recognize the 400+ year history of communities of African descent and the 50 African Nova Scotian communities throughout the region today

AMANS:

We acknowledge that people of African descent have been in Nova Scotia for over 400 years and are a distinct founding people in Nova Scotia who have been a key part of the province's culture and history.

Town of Amherst:

I would like to acknowledge that our gathering today is taking place in (MEEG-MA-GEE), the traditional, unceded and ancestral territory of the Mi'kmaw people. I would also like to acknowledge that Nova Scotia has another unique people. These are the Indigenous Blacks of Nova Scotia whose legacy and contributions date back over 400 + years predating confederation of this land. We are all treaty people.