



Regent Park Film Festival would like to honour and acknowledge the original caretakers of this land: the Anishinaabe [a-NISH-naw-BAY], Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation, Haudenosaunee [HO-den-a-SHO-knee], and the Huron-Wendat (WEN-dat) peoples.

We are in a territory that was the subject of the Dish With One Spoon Wampum (WAM-pum) Belt Covenant, an agreement between the Anishinaabeg [a-NISH-naw-BEG], Mississaugas, Haudenosaunee [HO-den-a-SHO-knee] and allied nations to share and care for the land. We also acknowledge that this area is covered by Treaty 13 with the Mississaugas of the Credit.

RPFF makes this acknowledgement as a reminder that we are all treaty people, and that we have a responsibility to the land and each other. This acknowledgment is a touchstone in our process of thinking through what it means to live and work on colonized land, and is an expression of solidarity with our Indigenous siblings.