



# LOMAKATSI

## RESTORATION PROJECT



### TRIBAL ECOSYSTEM RESTORATION PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM

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For more than fifteen years Lomakatsi has worked in partnership with Native American Tribes and tribal communities throughout Oregon and Northern California to build sustainable ecosystem restoration programs.

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Lomakatsi's tribal staff works closely with tribal and agency partners to incorporate Traditional Ecological Knowledge into ecosystem restoration projects.

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Tribal partnership initiatives assist in building tribal capacity for the implementation of ecological restoration across thousands of acres of ancestral lands.

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Lomakatsi works with tribal and agency partners in establishing long-term ecosystem restoration agreements where projects are implemented across federal, private and tribal trust lands.

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Partnerships with industry are also established and restoration by-products are generated from ecological thinning, supporting forest -related enterprises by providing saw logs, biomass, and small diameter materials to local mills.

Additionally, hundreds of tribal jobs have been created through adult and youth workforce training programs, providing long-term employment.

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Engaging tribal youth and inspiring the next generation of ecological foresters and natural resource professionals is a key component of the Program. Tribal youth work side-by-side with restoration experts, under the mentorship of Lomakatsi, Tribal staff and tribe specific Traditional Ecological Knowledge experts in a hands-on, on-the-ground learning environment.

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