

## **Richard Watts – Biography**

- 1972-1976 – Social Work Aide; Tseshah First Nation
- 1976-1978 – Native Courtworker
- 1982-1989 – Councillor for Tseshah
- 1989-2005 – Southern Co-Chair “NTC”
- 1993-2005 – One of the Chief Negotiators for NTC Treaty Table
- 1987-2020 – President of Tsow-Tun Le Lum Treatment Centre Society

Have been on the Board of Directors for Tseshah Market for over 10 years.

I was the leader in the 1987 fisheries protest that eventually led to the first “Pilot Sales Agreement” with DFO. The result was Tseshah were allowed to sell their fish unmolested.

I was also on the original Board of Directors for Haahuupayak School.

I currently sit on the Elder Committee.

Currently on Tseshah Council.

I have an always will stand up for the rights of Tseshah. Both now and in the future.