

# THAIDENE NĒNÉ

## INDIGENOUS PROTECTED & CONSERVED AREA

*Tribal Park  
Example*

**EAST  
GREAT SLAVE  
LAKE  
NWT**



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Thaidene Nënë was established in 2019 and spans over 25,000 sq km, at the transition between boreal forest and tundra in the Northwest Territories. It includes the East Arm of Tu Nedhé (Great Slave Lake), the deepest freshwater source in North America.

Thaidene Nënë represents a historic partnership between the Łutsël K'é Dene First Nation and crown governments to protect natural and cultural heritage and foster local economic development. To ensure co-management and sustainable livelihoods for the future, the Łutsël K'é Dene Nation secured \$30 million to be placed in a trust fund for the community.

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