

Fred Anderson

Fred was born and raised in North Dakota. He is a Midwesterner who has lived in the states of North Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan, and Missouri. He spent four summers during college fighting fires for the U.S. Forest Service.

Fred has canoed 90 miles of free-flowing Missouri River in North Dakota and 100 miles in Montana. Having lived on the Turtle Mountain Indian Reservation in north central North Dakota for 15 years, his Lewis and Clark interest is with the tribes that the explorers encountered, especially in-depth knowledge of their spirituality.



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He researched and supervised the building of two Mandan/Hidatsa earth lodges and a partial palisades at the Anishinaubag Cultural Center in Belcourt, North Dakota.

Fred is married to Pam Polson of Kansas City. Both Pam and Fred are retired.