



PRIORITIES

- Spring 2018

A BIT OF A DANCE

- Two steps forward
 - Resolution process evolving, 5 focus areas
 - New Partnership Framework
- Pause, Step Back and Reflect
 - Priorities: Current and Emerging
- Step Forward
 - Test new steps forward
 - Refocus on top 5 resolutions



RESOLUTIONS/PARTNERSHIP

- STEPS FORWARD: 4 of 5 resolutions captured in revised Partnership Framework
 - CAP
 - Financial – review of provincial grants, including operating
 - Internet and Connectivity
 - Roads
- Physician Recruitment



PARTNERSHIP FRAMEWORK CON'T

- Municipal Modernization
 - MGA, Charter modernization
 - Regional Planning, minimum planning standards
 - Creation of economic development tools
- RENS
- Fire services
- SHIFT – age friendly communities



PAUSE, STEP BACK, REFLECT

- Ask Councils for feedback on priorities
- Ask Regions and Caucuses for emerging priorities
- Purpose:
 - Check in – what’s happening
 - While we work on this year’s resolutions, what do we need to be preparing for?



TESTING NEW STEPS FORWARD

- Council Feedback on Priorities
- Other mentions
 - Roles and responsibilities
 - PPP
 - Lyme Disease
 - Surplus Schools
 - Straight Sewer Pipes
 - Building Inspectors
 - Climate change (dykes, tides, energy)
 - MGA Review

Housing
Municipal
Modernization
Economic Development
Police Services
Solid Waste
Cannabis
Immigration
Planning
Code of Conduct



REGIONAL/CAUCUS MEETINGS

(Not yet mentioned)

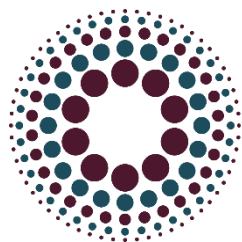
**Ensure gas tax fund increases and predictable,
NSFM support to members to apply for funding
Library Funding
Revisit Service Exchange, roles and
responsibilities
Highways
Community energy projects
Revenues from SOTs, fines**



LOOKING FORWARD

Cannabis
Code of Conduct
Housing
Immigration
Policing

Responsibilities
Solid Waste
Surplus Schools
Sustainability
Libraries ?



NEXT STEPS

- Over next 3 months: Research, seek feedback on looking forward topics
- Continue to work on existing
- Interim Report end of August
- Meetings in September/October to discuss recommendations
- Resolutions Committee review, recommend
- Resolutions Report to Membership, Fall Conference

