

# Integrated Land Management (ILM)

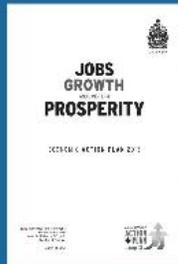
Enabling socio-economic development on First Nation Reserves

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**Land and Resource Development**



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**Economic Development**

Integrated Land Management (ILM)

**Effective**

**Sustainable**

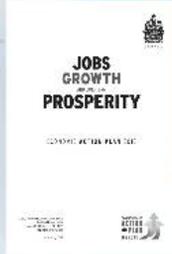
**First Nation led**



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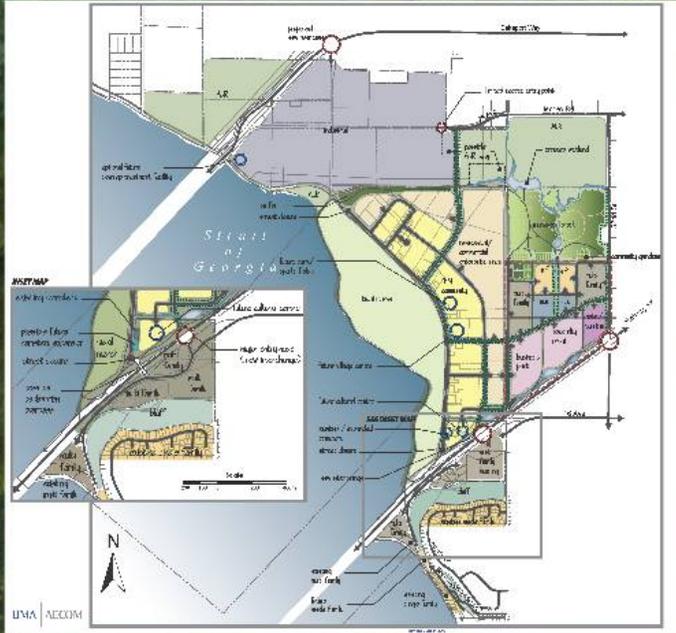


# Core components of ILM

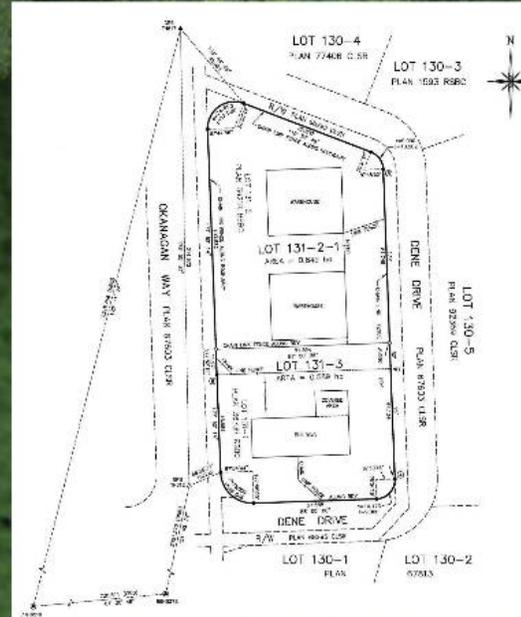
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Land Surveying

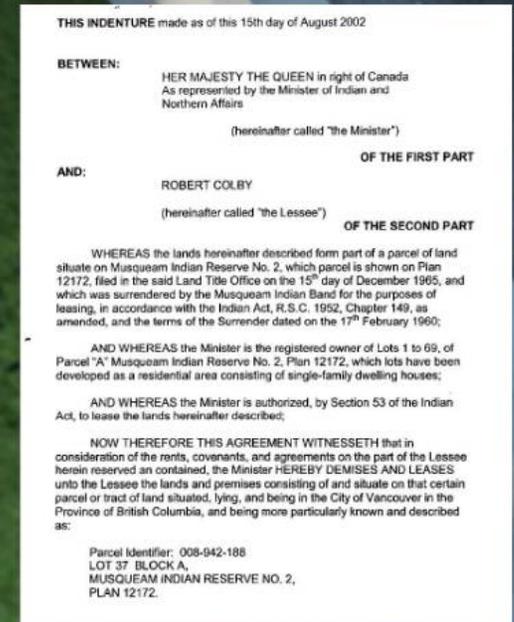
Land Registration



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Planning for parcels

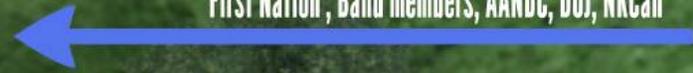


Creating parcels



Registering rights in parcels

First Nation, Band members, AANDC, DOJ, NRCan



Provinces, Lessees, Land owners, Utilities, etc...



Land Administration

# Expected Outcomes

- Effective regulatory process for land development
- Sustainable land use
- First Nations-led ILM-authority
- Improved risk management



Economic development



Community well-being

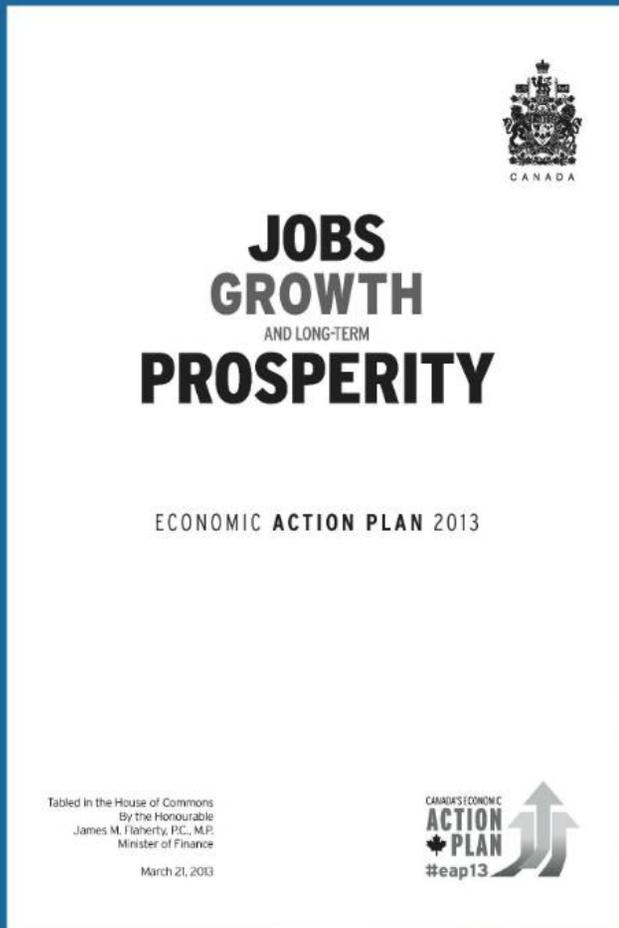
FEDERAL FRAMEWORK  
FOR ABORIGINAL  
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

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Canada

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# Economic Development



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# Land and Resource Development

## Recommendations

- Enhance land use planning capacity on reserves
- Modernize the current ILRS

## Wealth creation depends on:

"a combination of factors such as geographic location, a stable and transparent governance framework, the health of the regional economy, transportation corridors and availability of infrastructure"

# Sustainable

\$9 million for:



## STUDY OF LAND MANAGEMENT AND SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ON FIRST NATIONS RESERVE LANDS

Report of the Standing Committee on  
Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development

Chris Warkentin  
Chair

MARCH 2014  
41st PARLIAMENT, SECOND SESSION

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## JOBS GROWTH AND LONG-TERM PROSPERITY

ECONOMIC ACTION PLAN 2013

Tabled in the House of Commons  
By the Honourable  
James M. Flaherty, P.C., M.P.  
Minister of Finance

March 21, 2013



"...over 90 First Nations are expected to be operating under the First Nations Land Management Regime by 2017."

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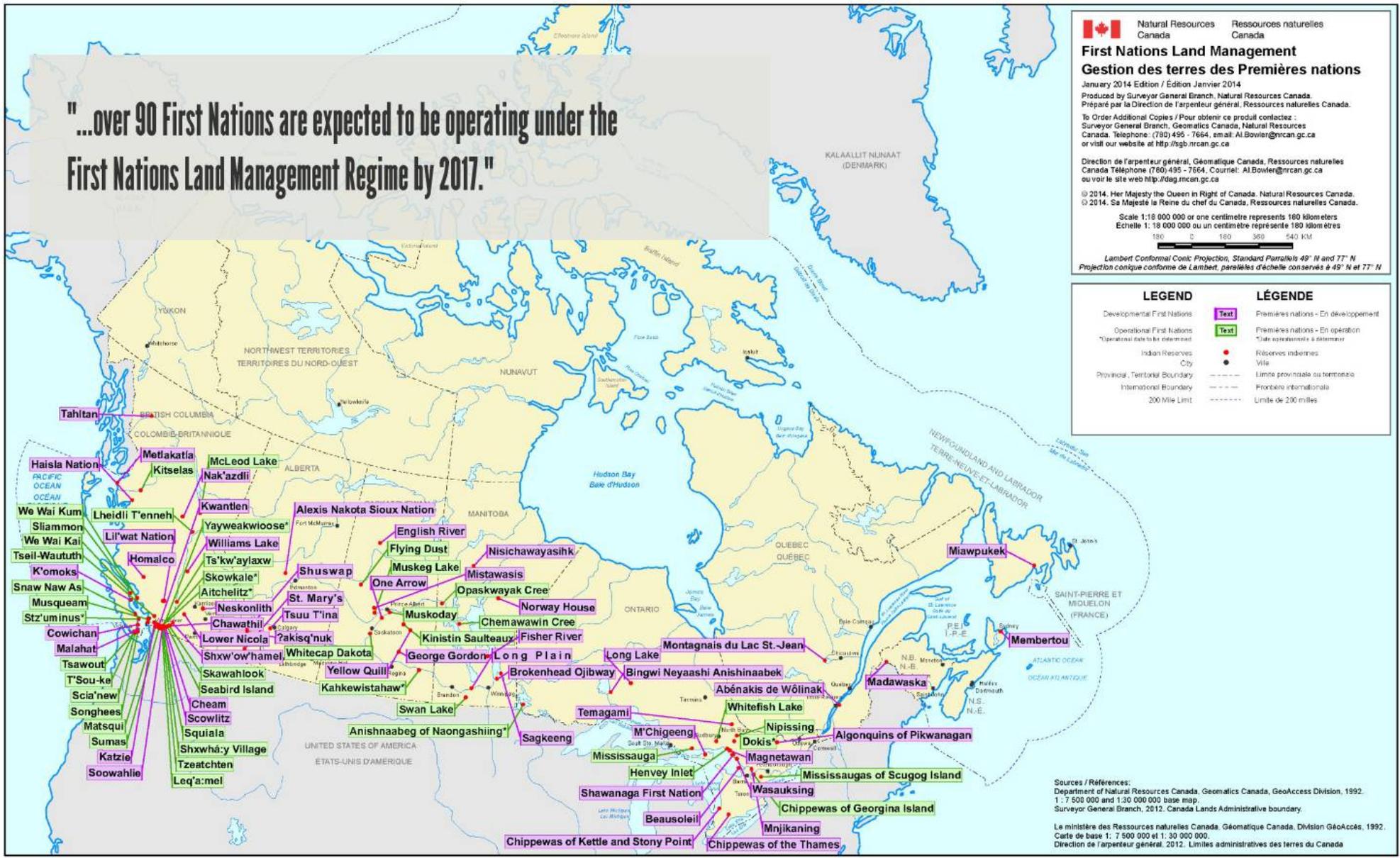
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**LEGEND**

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| Developmental First Nations      |  Text | Premières nations - En développement |
| Operational First Nations        |  Text | Premières nations - En opération     |
| Indian Reserves                  |       | Réserves indiennes                   |
| City                             |       | Ville                                |
| Provincial, Territorial Boundary |       | Limite provinciale ou territoriale   |
| International Boundary           |       | Frontière internationale             |
| 200 Mile Limit                   |       | Limite de 200 milles                 |

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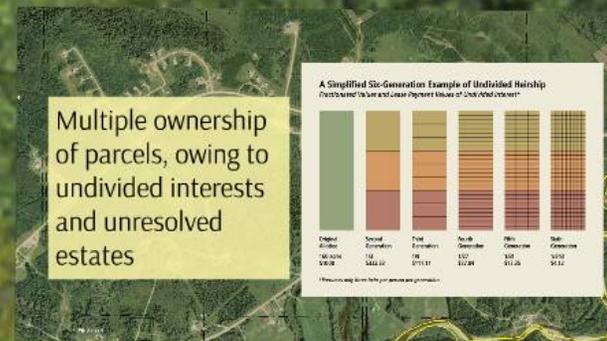
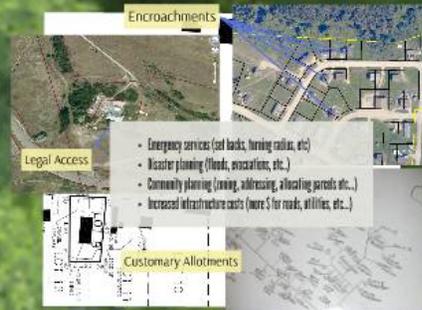
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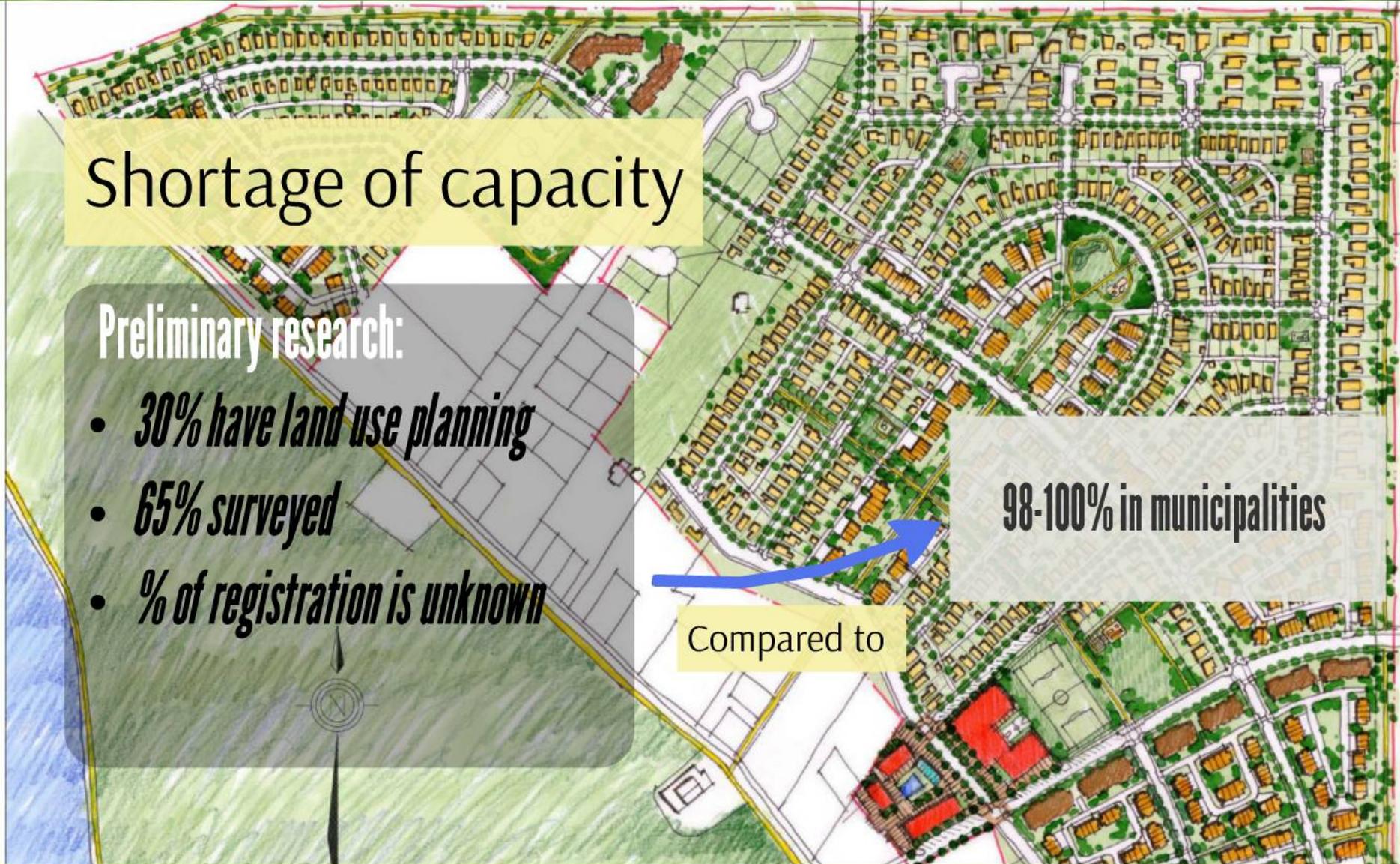
What was the problem? (It is a mess!)

Expected Outcomes

Land Use Planning

# What are the problems ILM is addressing?





# Shortage of capacity

## Preliminary research:

- *30% have land use planning*
- *65% surveyed*
- *% of registration is unknown*

98-100% in municipalities

Compared to

## Encroachments

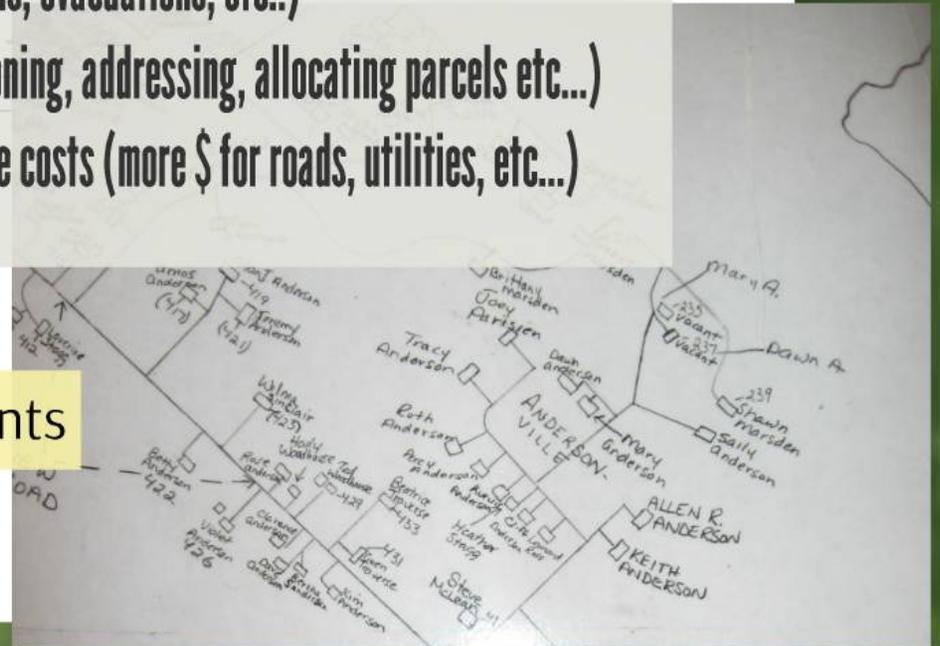
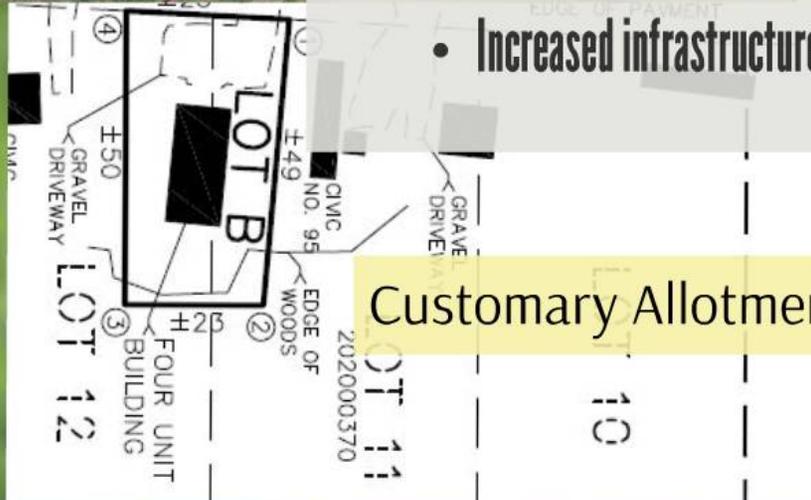


Legal Access



- Emergency services (set backs, turning radius, etc)
- Disaster planning (floods, evacuations, etc..)
- Community planning (zoning, addressing, allocating parcels etc...)
- Increased infrastructure costs (more \$ for roads, utilities, etc...)

## Customary Allotments



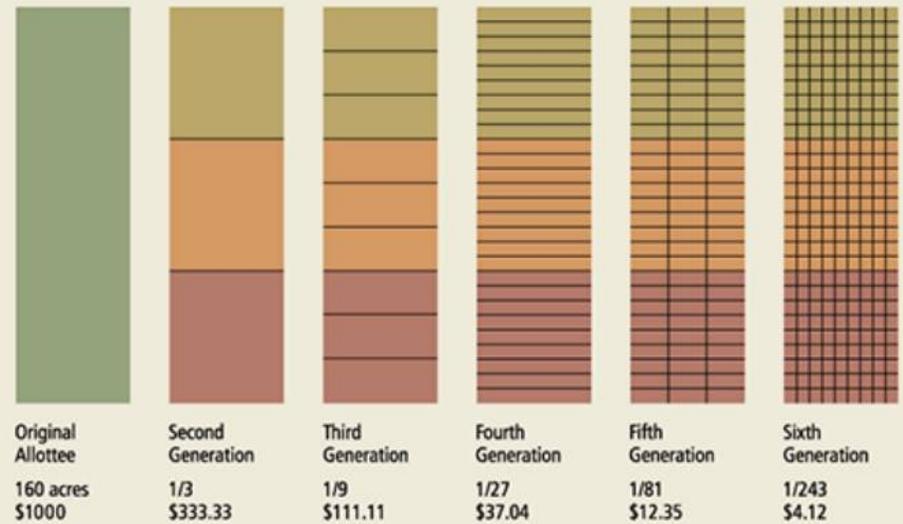
# Investment risk

## Negative impacts on investments from uncertainties:

- boundaries
- registration
- lack of land use controls (planning, bylaws, etc...)

Multiple ownership  
of parcels, owing to  
undivided interests  
and unresolved  
estates

**A Simplified Six-Generation Example of Undivided Heirship**  
*Fractionated Values and Lease Payment Values of Undivided Interest\**



*\*Presumes only three heirs per person per generation.*

# 5 proposed solutions:

## 1) Build First Nation capacity

**Capacity building areas**

- Planning
- Surveying
- Mapping and GIS

• Taxation  
• Other land administration tasks

Partner with existing institutions (e.g.):

## 2) Reform the registries

Preliminary ideas, pending ongoing research:

**ILR**

Priority of registration (Deeds system)

Qualified titles (i.e. New Zealand)

## 3) Build a common First Nation portal

Initial Planning

Registration

Approval

Environmental

Common portal

Survey (portal)

## 4) Improve Land Survey Infrastructure

As a condition of programs like FNLM

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One time investment

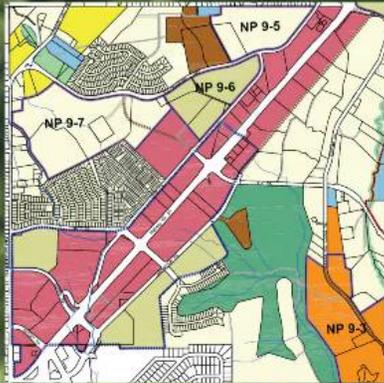
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- Faster and more economical
- More (and better) spatial data

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- Housing development
- Utilities Management
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NALMA



FNLC

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**GENERAL INSTRUMENT - PART 1** (This area for Land Title Office use) PAGE 1 of 12 pages

**1. APPLICATION:** (Name, address, phone number and signature of applicant, applicant's solicitor or agent)

Carol Kerfoot, Solicitor,  
Kornfeld Mackoff Silber, Barristers and Solicitors,  
1100-505 Burrard Street, Box 11, Vancouver, B.C.,  
V7X 1M5 ph. 683-0500  
LTO Client No. 010448

*C. Kerfoot*

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**2. PARCEL IDENTIFIER AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND:**\*

(PID)	(LEGAL DESCRIPTION)
008-942-188	City of Vancouver Lot 37 Block A Musqueam Indian Reserve No. 2 Plan 12172

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**3. NATURE OF INTEREST:**\*

DESCRIPTION	DOCUMENT REFERENCE (Page and paragraph)	PERSON ENTITLED TO INTEREST
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Environmental



common portal



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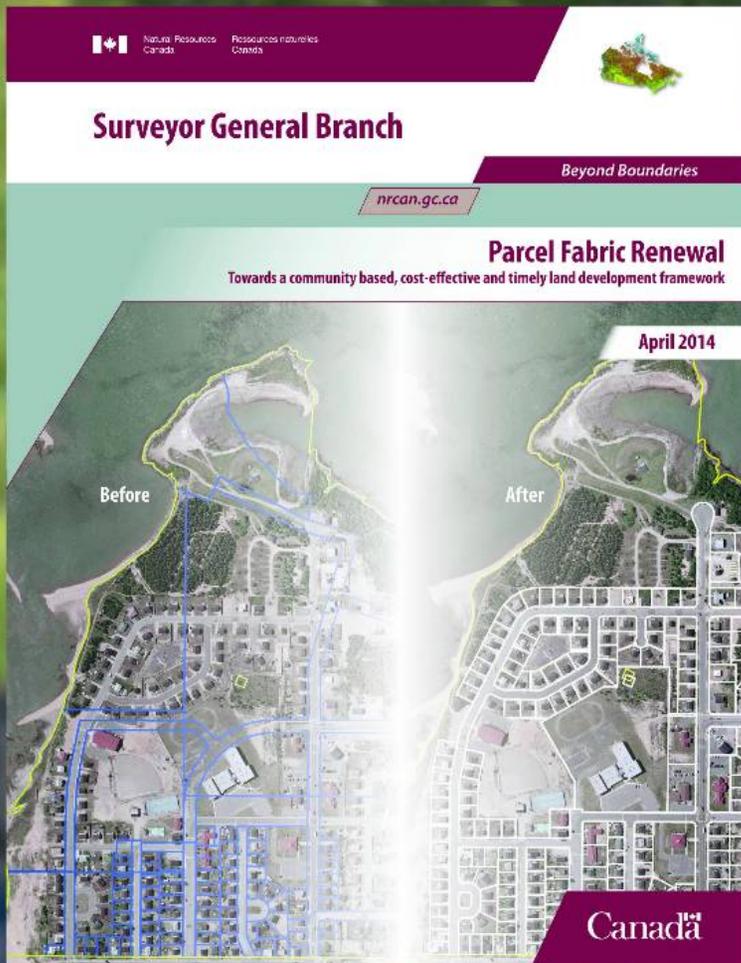


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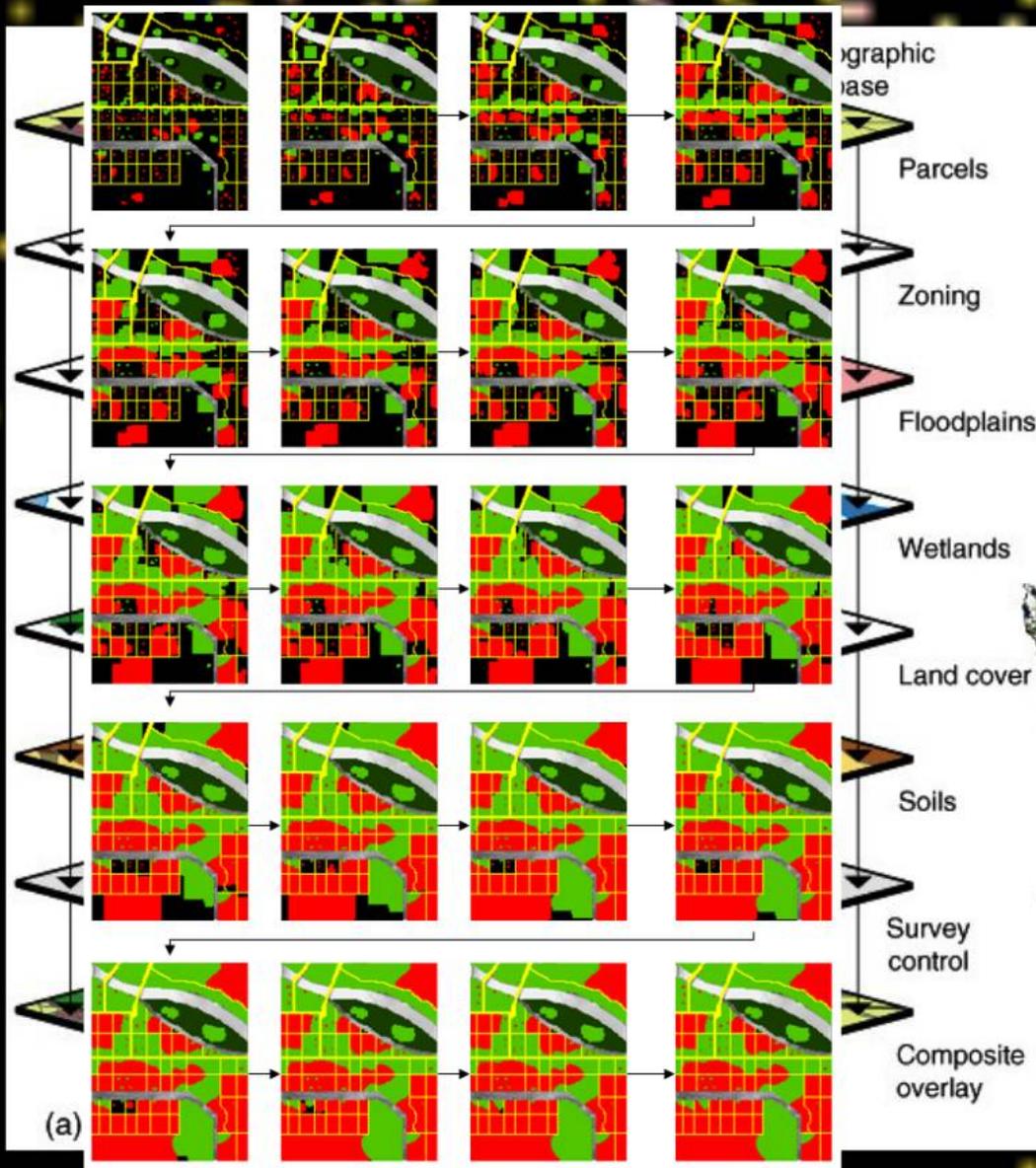
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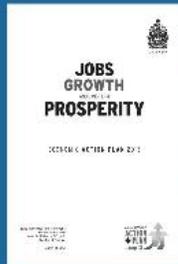
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