



INDIGENOUS & NORTHERN AFFAIRS CANADA

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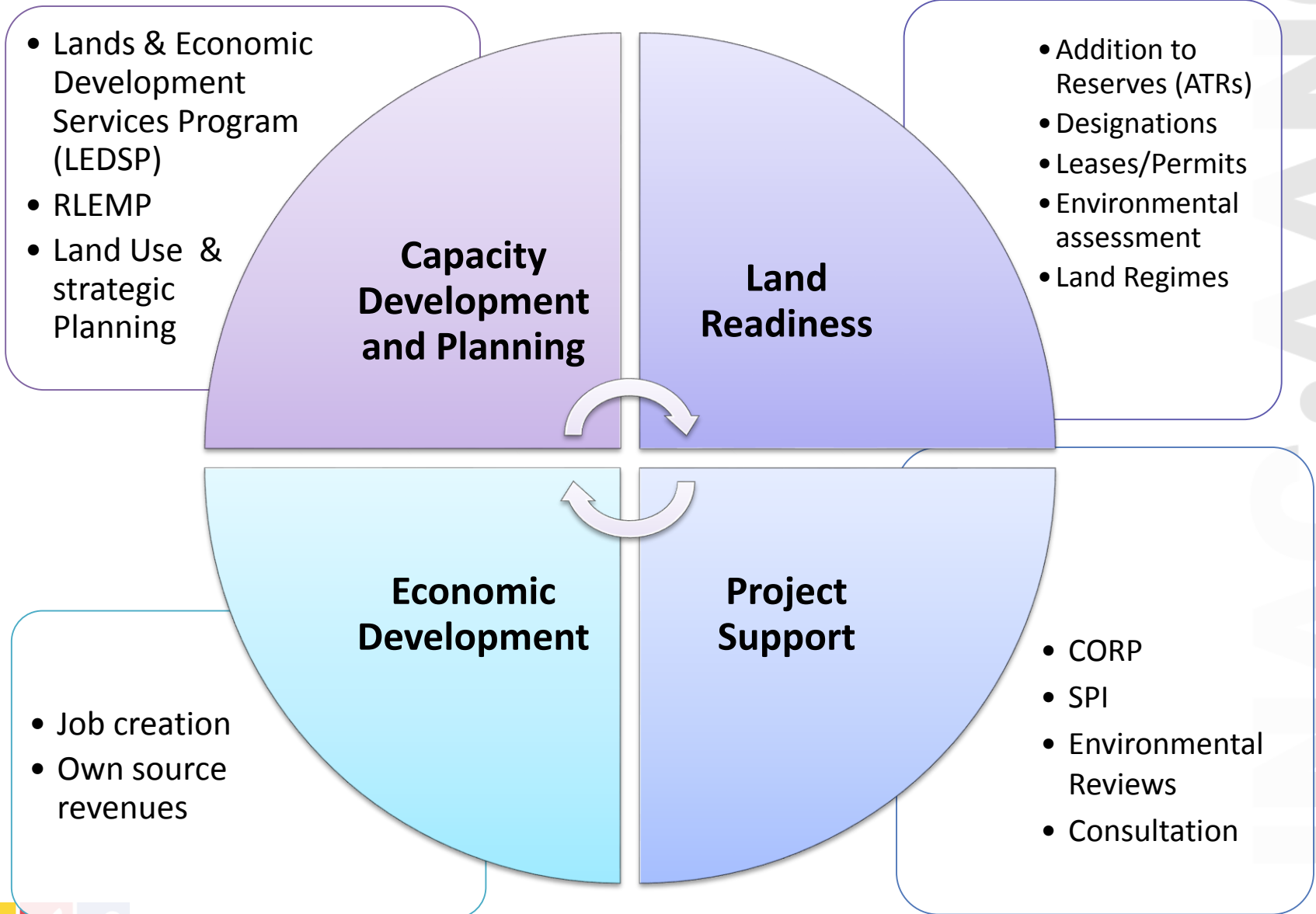


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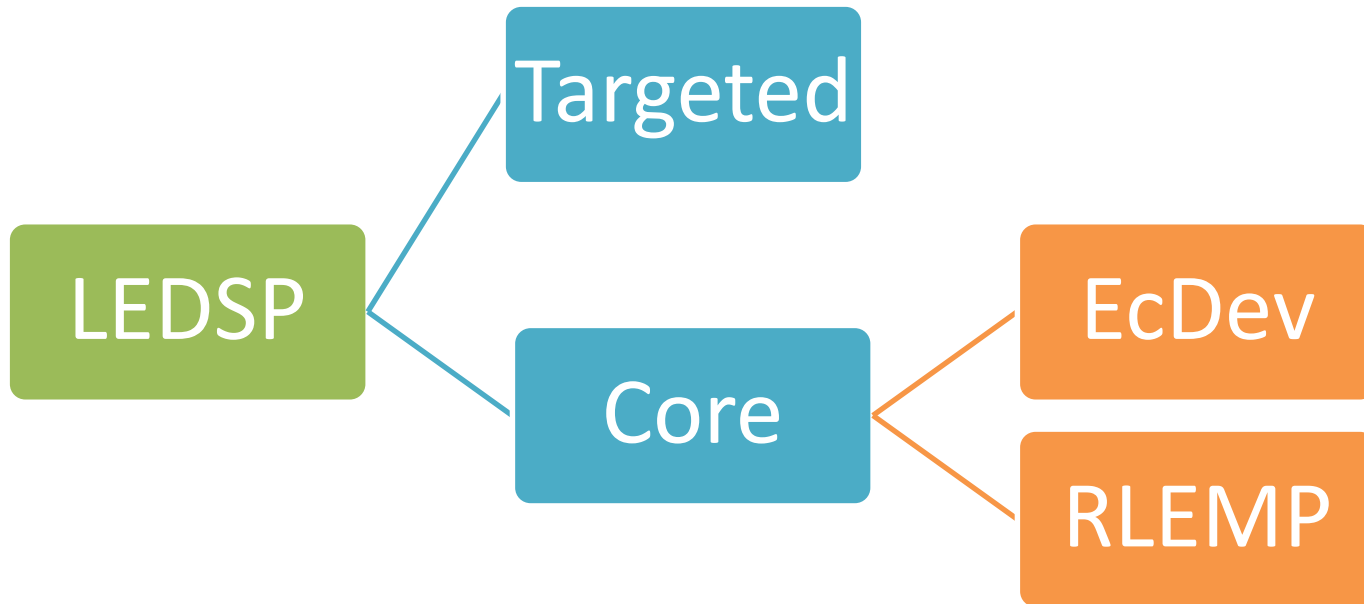


How We Support First Nations





I. Capacity Development & Planning



LEDSP: Lands and Economic Development Services Program

RLEMP: Reserve Land & Environmental Management Program

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I. Capacity Development & Planning (Targeted)

Land Use Planning

- Potential benefits of developing a land-use plan include:
 - A better understanding of community resources
 - Strengthened capacity and technical skills at the community level
 - Community ownership and engagement in future development
 - The ability to respond to business opportunities more quickly and in an orderly fashion
 - The ability to undertake informed long term planning for community development

Strategic Economic Development Plans

- A carefully built framework that's long-term in scope. It's used to help communities address diverse issues and goals.





II. Land Readiness

Addition to Reserve

- A parcel of land that is added to existing reserve land, or creates a new reserve
- Enables Canada to fulfill legal obligations established by specific claim
- Can increase community and economic development

Designation

- Designate reserve lands for specific purposes (commercial; industrial)
- Allows for leases to operate a business on a specified portion of the reserve

Lease

- The rental of reserve land to a non-band member or a company (including a First Nation corporation) for business development
- Grants exclusive use of land for a fixed period of time

Permit

- Allow non-members to use reserve lands in a limited (non-exclusive) way for a specific period of time.
- Use ranges fr: removal of clay, sand, gravel, non-metals, fallen timber to access, utility services, & grazing/ag-use permits

LEDSP funding support

CORP project funding support

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II. Land Readiness (Designation & Leases)

YTD

Active Designations

47

Acres

12,055.27

YTD

Active Leases

31

Acres

31,127.92

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II. Land Readiness (Indian Land Registry System – Registrations)

2016/17

YTD

Registrations
(All instruments)

247

91

Permits

29

10

Meeting 15 Day
Standard (for
Permits)

96.6%

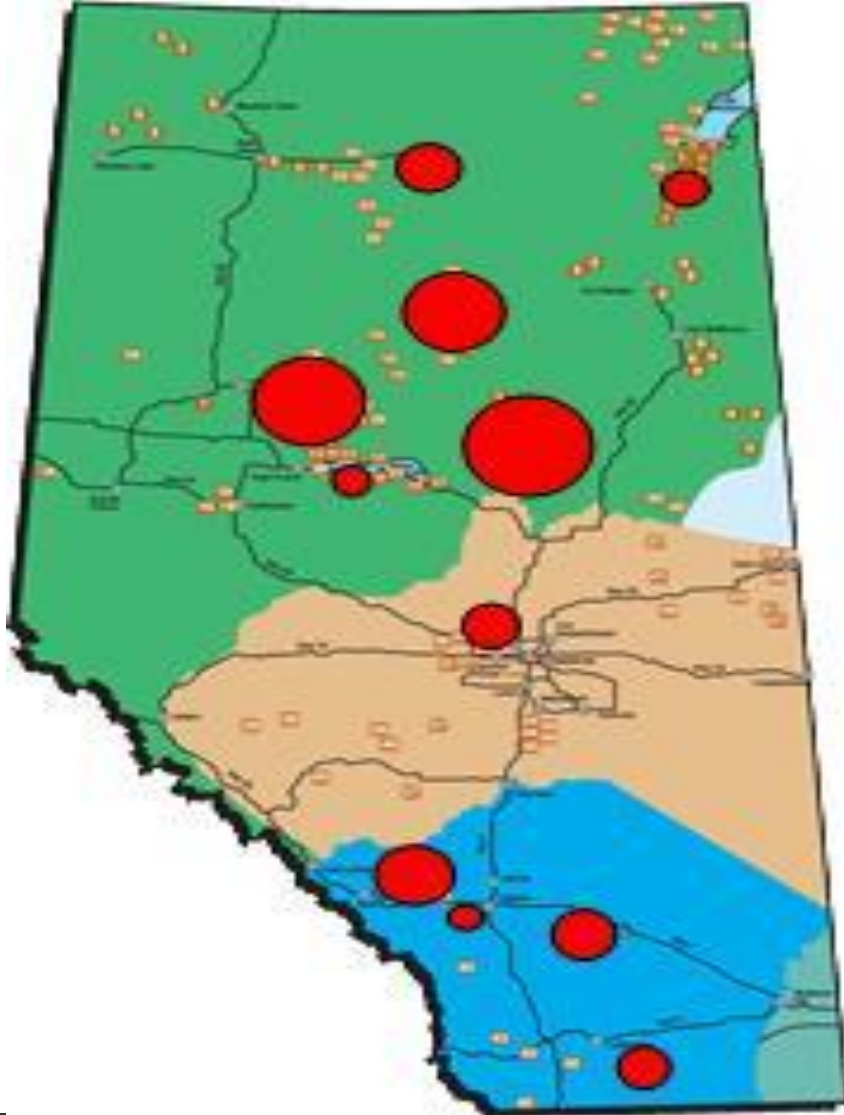
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II. Land Readiness (Additions to Reserve in Progress)



Regionally: 26 Files

Treaty 8 – 19 Files with 6 Nations

- 1 - Athabasca Chipewyan First Nation
- 9 - Bigstone Cree Nation
- 1 - Driftpile First Nation
- 1 - Little Red River Cree Nation
- 1 - Lubicon Lake Band
- 6 - Peerless Trout First Nation

Treaty 7 – 6 Files with 4 Nations

- 2 - Blood Tribe
- 1 - Siksika Nation Band
- 2 - Stoney Tribe
- 1 - Tsuut'ina First Nation

Treaty 6 – 1 Files with 1 Nation

- 1 - Alexander First Nation

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II. Land Readiness (Environment)

Solid Waste

- Improvement of solid waste management on reserves (feasibility studies, new construction and O&M).

Contaminated Sites

- Assessment & remediation or risk management of contaminated sites

Storage Tanks

- Replacement of old non-compliant fuel tanks

Forestry

- Environmental reviews, permitting and monitoring of harvesting projects

FUNDING SUPPORT AVAILABLE

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II. Land Readiness (Environment)



From
this...



To
this...

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II. Land Readiness (Land Regimes)

RLEMP

- First Nations co-manage aspects of land, natural resources and the environment on reserve land under the Indian Act.

FNLM

- Signatory First Nations assume the rights and power to manage lands, natural resources and environment, and the authority to grant interests and pass laws under their own Land Code.

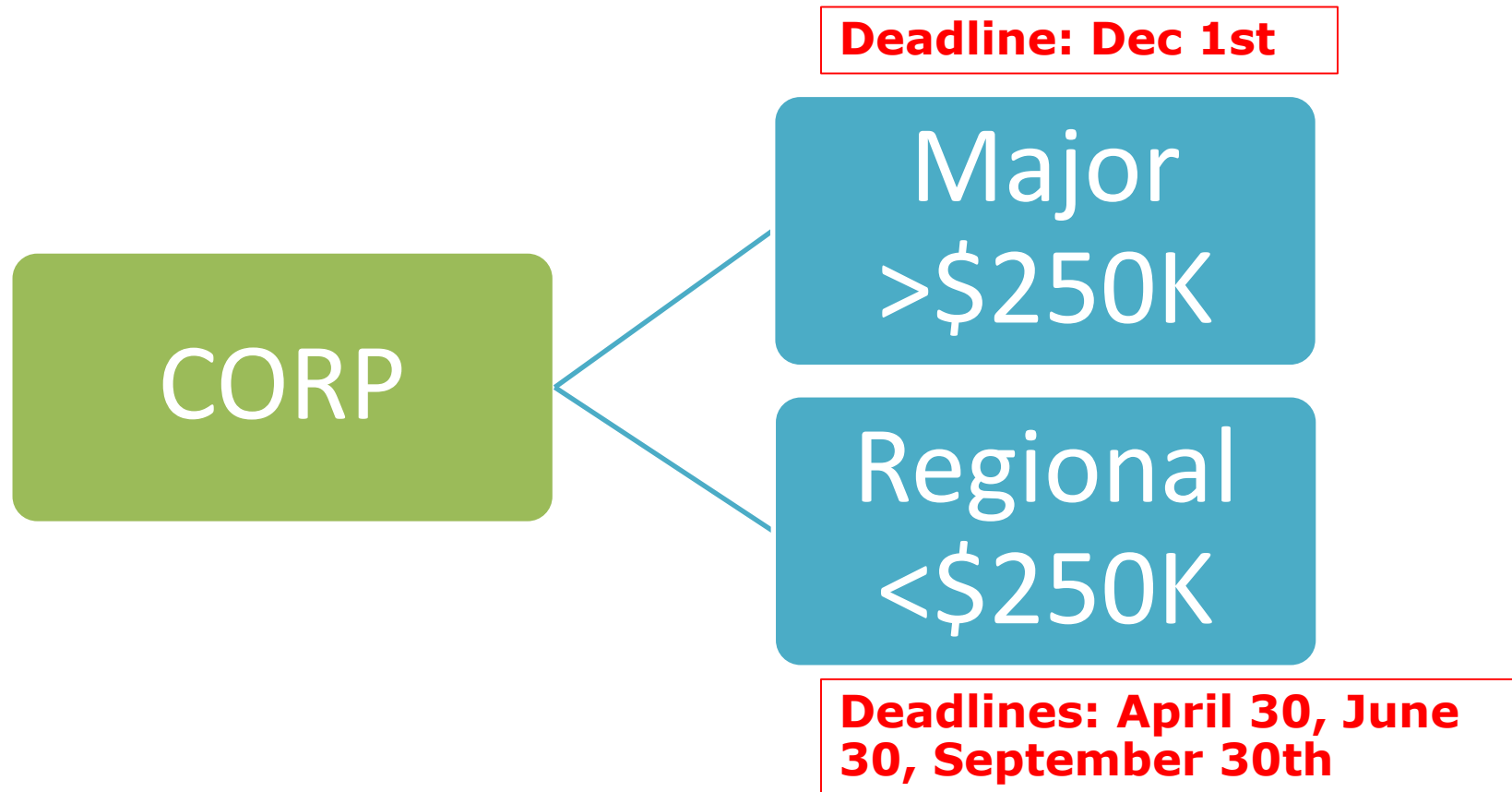
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RLEMP: Reserve Land & Environmental Management Program
FNLM: First Nation Land Management





III. Project Support (CORP)



CORP: Community Opportunity Readiness Program

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III. Project Support (CORP)



ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES

- Activities related to the identification of business and economic development opportunities for the whole community



COMMUNITY ECONOMIC INFRASTRUCTURE

- Support for capital infrastructure costs related specifically to economic development infrastructure



EQUITY GAP

- Costs related to the establishment, acquisition or expansion of a community-owned business



BUSINESS PLANNING & ADVISORY SERVICES

- Support for business-specific costs



Community Opportunities Readiness Program (CORP)

2016/17

YTD

Approved Projects

25

14

Approved Amounts

\$7,394,892

\$2,543,882

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WHAT'S NEW?

The Prime Minister announced on August 28, 2017, that Indigenous & Northern Affairs Canada will be come two separate departments...

Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs

- Minister Carolyn Bennett

Indigenous Services

- Minister Jane Philpott

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WHAT'S NEW?

Regional Office is exploring options to improve services to First Nations via an organizational restructure of Lands and Economic Development ...

Lands

- Leases, permits & designations
 - Treaty 6
 - Treaty 7
 - Treaty 8

Economic Development

- CORP & LEDSP
 - Treaty 6
 - Treaty 7
 - Treaty 8

More to come...





WHAT'S NEW?

Lands Management Manual

- Policy review
- Separation of policy and procedures
- Engagement sessions to come

FNLM Framework Review

- Work underway in cooperation with the Lands Advisory Board

RLEMP Transformation

- First Nation engagement sessions held across Canada





Have an idea – call us!

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<p>Funding Programs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lands & Economic Development Services Program (LEDSP) • Community Opportunity Readiness Program (CORP) <p>Reserve Land Development:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Land Designations • Leasing • Reserve Lands Environment Management Program (RLEMP) • <i>First Nations Land Management Initiative (FNLM)</i> • <i>First Nation Commercial and Industrial Development Act (FNCIDA)</i> • Lands & Economic Development Advisory Committee (LEDAC) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additions to Reserves • Section 35 Transfers • Permits • Set Asides • Individual Interests • Land Registration • Surveys • Rent Reviews / Collection • Monitoring / Compliance • Land Stats / Research • Land Submissions Review • <i>Bill S-2, Family Homes on Reserves and Matrimonial Interests or Rights Act (MRP)</i> • Program management support 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environmental Assessment • Solid Waste / Wastewater Management • Environmental Compliance • Environmental Capacity Development • Contaminated Sites • Timber • Sand / Gravel / Mining • Climate Change

