



Cold Lake First Nations

CCP Newsletter

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Message to Members

Edlánat'e,

We are pleased to introduce our Comprehensive Community Plan (CCP) Newsletter. This newsletter is intended to provide CLFNs members with information on what we've heard at recent community meetings, upcoming events, and how to get involved.

We look forward to our members' involvement in the creation of our CCP!

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What is a Comprehensive Community Plan?

A Comprehensive Community Plan (CCP) is a long-term, community-driven plan that is intended to guide CLFNs leadership and administration in making decisions for the Nation.

CLFNs' CCP will increase accountability, build member capacity, and enhance long-term sustainability for the Nation.

A CCP is an approach to community planning that brings CLFNs Members together to identify and prioritize areas for growth and development in the community. It is important that the community's vision, goals and actions are clearly laid out and endorsed by our Members. Equally important is that this plan is implemented, outcomes are regularly evaluated, and we revisit and update our plan annually.

- **Inspire the Community:** To work towards a common future vision.
- **Increase Efficiency:** Create a plan of action that utilizes all members in the community the best way possible.
- **Strengthen Administration:** Improve internal communications, improve management of staff and skill sets.
- **Map Future Development:** Use identified priorities to plan to address future community development and infrastructure needs.
- **Preserve Resources:** Identify and protect valuable traditions, areas, values and practices.
- **Celebrate Culture and Traditions:** Throughout the planning process, and through action items identified through the CCP.
- **Promote Reconciliation:** Address painful community issues together, by establishing a community vision and working towards achievement of this vision.
- **Create Economic Opportunities:** Identify economic opportunities to promote investment and growth in the region.

“Many people in the community have knowledge of CLFN’s language and culture”

Topics Covered:

- Economic Development
- Health and Wellness
- Education
- Culture and Language
- Lands and Resources
- Governance
- Infrastructure and Housing
- Social Development





CCP Workshop in Edmonton

Culture and Language Top Priorities:

- Cultural Camps
- Build a Cultural Centre
- More Coordination between Knowledge Holders
- Elders’ and Youth Gathering
- Off-Reserve Cultural Outreach Programming in the City including Language Courses
- Affirmation of the Creator and More Ceremony in Everyday Practice

Infrastructure Top Priorities:

- Group Home for Youth
- Community Recreation Centre
- Elders’ Lodge
- Designate Lands for CLFNs member to Build Their Own Home

What We Heard!

The first series of CCP workshops were held October 9th, 10th, and 11th in Le Goff, English Bay, and Edmonton. We wish to thank all members who participated in our workshops! Even though this is just the beginning of a long road, your feedback was valuable and helps build a better CCP.

The first series of workshops were focused on Culture & Language and Infrastructure. At these sessions, members shared what these topics mean to them and identified their top priorities.

General Comments from Members:

- Respect must be the foundation of all dialogue
- More accountability and transparency, especially on CLFNs’ Finances
- Avoid Nepotism
- More Communication



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- YOUTH
- ELDERS

**Please Join Us for our Next
Workshops on Economic
Development!**

**November 13, 2018, 5: 30- 7:30pm at the
Cold Lake Energy Centre!**
 Bring your kids!

**November 14, 2018, 5: 30- 7:30pm in
Council Chambers in the Administration
Building!**

**November 15, 2018, 5:30-7:30pm at
Concordia in Edmonton!**

