



# Streamlining Planning

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## Topic Overview

- First Nations create so many different plans that it can be hard to understand how they all connect and overlap. How does CCP fit into that planning ecosystem? How can you collaborate with your colleagues so that their planning processes and the CCP process can align better? This session is about making sense of it all, so you can make the most of your time and your budget.

## Key learnings

- What does CCP look like today?
  - CCP builds on strengths from resilient pasts
  - Ways that maintain + strengthen community resilience
  - Coming together to plan for uncertain futures + impacts of climate change
  - Focusing on Community Health
  - New ways of how we work together + look after each other
- Family meeting / small groups as great way to overcome challenge of COVID
- COVID an opportunity to try and experiment with new techniques, new ways of being relationships, new ways of land-based connection,
- What is CCP?
  - A Process
  - By and for community
  - Ongoing
  - A Tool
  - A Commitment
- Take a Planning Inventory (what are all the existing plans in the community?)
  - Includes going to each department head to find out what they are working with → also a good way to get buy-in from staff
- Connecting Land Use Plan (How We Use Our Land) and CCP (How We Live)
  - Directions → Pathways → Actions → Indicators (measures)
- How does it all fit together?
  - CCP Planning Wheel:
    - Justice an important added component



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- CCP (high level, long-term) → Council's Strategic Plan → Departmental Strategic Plans → Department / Program / Project Work Plans (detailed, quarterly-1 yr)
- How is Indigenous Planning different than other types of planning?
  - Comes from heart of the people
  - Holistic, not linear
  - Bigger than a dollar value
  - Youth, Elders, All community members
  - Language + spirituality (includes protocol)
  - Social wellbeing
  - Political (elected leaders) v. traditional (clans, hereditary leaders)
  - Food
  - Oral communication
  - Seasonal

## Amazing Quotes

- "Celebrate even the little accomplishments of CCP...keeps the spirits up" - Kim Chevrier
- "A time to come together and unite our members on a new exciting journey" - Kim Chevrier
- "We have the knowledge of our ancestors behind us" - Dana Moraes

## Further Resources and Links

- Un Plan de Vida video
- Land Sea People Management Plan: <http://www.haidanation.ca/?p=8450>
- NOTE: Slides included in the Slack channel #streamlining-planning as a PDF

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