

The land, infrastructure and buildings are intertwined matters, requiring large capital outlays and long timelines to plan, manage, build/operate/maintain water & wastewater systems, distribution networks, and service agreements.



LANDS DEPARTMENT	
Create Development Guidelines that outline best practices for layout, design and landscaping and compliance to policies.	Complete - Land Decision Process Bylaw
Complete a Laws and Bylaws that regulates uses with Community approval	In Progress
Complete a Decision Process Bylaw or a Development Approval Procedure that establishes consistent information requirements/processes for development including protection of archeological and environmental values and finds.	Complete - Shuswap Band Land Decision Process Bylaw & Development Application
Building capacity for the creation of a land & infrastructure inventory database	In Progress
Implement our Dispute Resolution Panel as per Land Code	In Progress
Lands Committee struck to contribute to and oversee process in creating laws/ policies.	Complete
Educational workshops or other resources for wills and estate plans.	Complete
Update On-Reserve addresses to be current with RDEK and 911 standards	Complete
Completed the second year of the Species at Risk and invasive species project.	2 nd of 3-year project complete

INFRASTRUCTURE
Create the business case for new water system (INAC) to replace aging infrastructure/serve north end. Complete.
Operate and maintain water and wastewater infrastructure and services to meet economic development and on-reserve needs. Complete.
Operate and maintain current water and wastewater systems to highest standards before new system is built. In Progress.

HOUSING	
CCP GOALS	COMPLETION REPORT
Work towards affordable housing units	Social Housing Units built; occupancy May 2018. Future builds ongoing.
Improve quality of existing homes	Five homes renovated under the CMHC Program: RRAP Residential Renovation Assistance Program (RRAP) with support.
Housing Program youth mentor position created	CMHC funding support; maintenance department capacity development
Market Based Housing	On Reserve Home Loan Program exists
Establish Housing Committee	Complete; committee activated in 2018.
Initiate FireSmart Community Status	Initiated in late 2017. Funding application submitted 2018.

CCP Housing Goal Achieved: With funding support by CMHC, Shuswap Band builds Social Housing Units in 2017/18. Two duplexes provide two 2-bedroom and two 3-bedroom units ready for May 2018 move in.

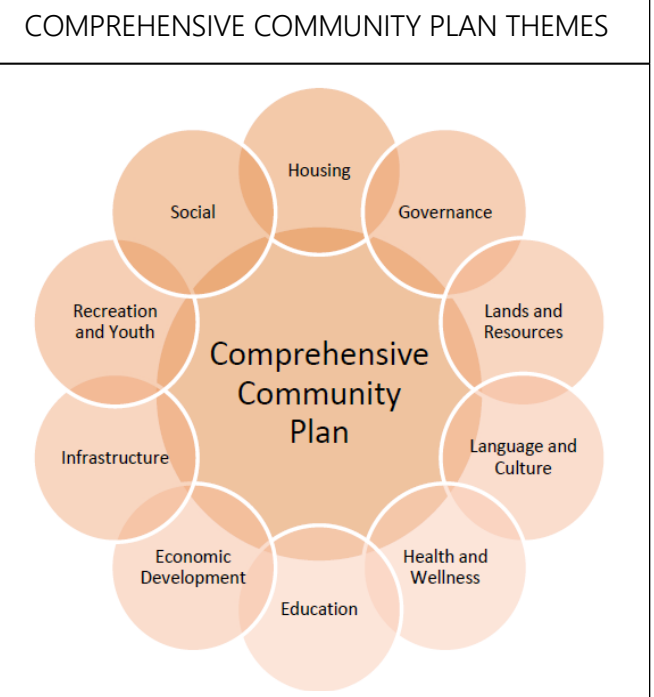


A comprehensive community plan (CCP) integrates a number of key priorities for growth and development. Not only does a CCP provide Shuswap Band leadership, staff and community with direction on how key issues should be addressed, it provides a community-endorsed plan to link with partners and funders.

Year 1 (2015-2016) – We Came Together Around Ten Themes Leadership, staff and community created the first action list to inform an action plan, with a significant number of initiatives completed in 2017-early 2018 (see Phase 3 - Technical Report).

Year 2 (2016-2017)– We Created Common Visions & Goals The CCP Action Plan priorities were resourced by funders, staff and leadership, knowledge keepers, Elders, and networks.

Year 3 (2017-2018) – We Connect our Culture to Nine Themes The long journey back to where we belong begins with one step, and then another. We took these steps together.



Artist: Gage Martin

WE STRIVED TO CONNECT LANGUAGE AND CULTURE TO NINE CCP THEMES		
MEETING #	Dates in 2017-2018	Purpose of Meeting / Outcomes
1	January 18, 2017	CCP Meeting – Community Engagement Overview and Input
2	February 20, 2017	Traditional Heritage - Knowledge Keeper's Council
3	March 15, 2017	Budget working – BASIC SAVINGS METHODS – Community Engagement
4	March 20, 2017	Traditional Heritage - Knowledge Keeper's Council
5	March 21, 2017	Recreation and Youth Theme – Culture and Language Input
6	April 18, 2017	Governance Theme – Community Engagement
7	May 25, 2017	Health and Wellness Theme – Community Engagement
8	September 19, 2017	Traditional Heritage - Knowledge Keeper's Council
9	September 20, 2017	Traditional Heritage - Knowledge Keeper's Council
10	November 10, 2017	Youth Theme – Input
11	December 13, 2017	CCP Community Engagement
12	January 26, 2018	Winter Gear Swap – Community Engagement
13	February 13, 2018	Traditional Tea Workshop – Elders and Youth – Community Engagement
14	February 28, 2018	Eagle Workshop – Community Workshop on Healing and Culture
15	March 1 & 2, 2018	Traditional Wellness Workshop – Community Healing and Culture
16	March 13, 2018	Beauty Day – Community Engagement on Health and Wellness



The Territorial Stewardship Office was created, in part to fulfill a goal of the Comprehensive Community Plan, and that is to "work toward increasing Aboriginal consultation referral capacity to ensure effective management of traditional territory." [Listed under Lands and Resources, 2015 CCP]

The department has grown into an important hub that links history, traditional territory issues, language development, culture, art and song, to the important work of assertion of Aboriginal rights and title, accommodation and meaningful engagement with stakeholders.

The organization has developed leadership and business management of major projects, many of which have been generated by the widening of the Highway #1. Major projects and the renegotiation of the Columbia River Treaty, forest resource allocations and mines development top the list of file management for this department.

The Territorial Stewardship team works with partners and stakeholders to educate and inform through the services of referrals, archaeological studies, cultural knowledge sharing in our office on the Shuswap Reserve and through our partnership with the Shuswap Nation Tribal Council.

Ke Kuli (Pit House)

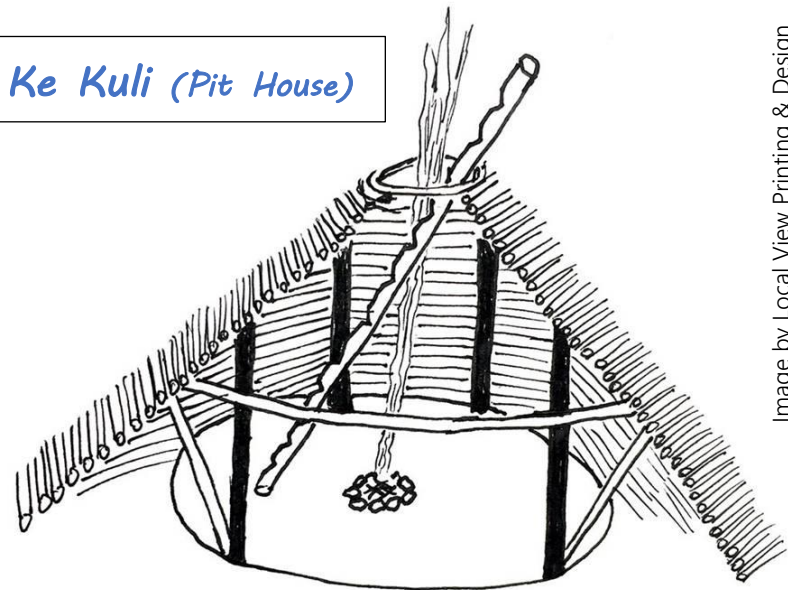
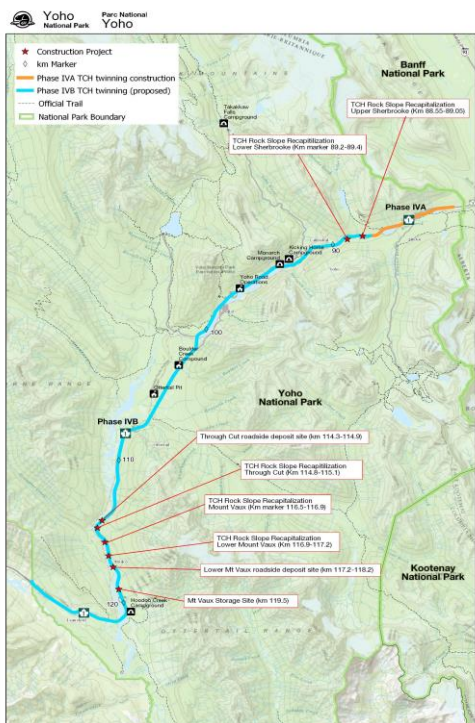


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LINKAGES TO CCP GOALS

- Protect environmentally sensitive areas (Lands)
- Continue to teach, share and spread knowledge of Secwepemctsin and the local dialect (Language and Culture)
- Preservation of archaeological sites (Language and Culture)
- Support traditional knowledge sharing events
- Encourage Elders to share and document stories; regular sharing through the Knowledge Keepers (Language and Culture)
- Hosting and attending gatherings throughout the Secwepemculecw Territory

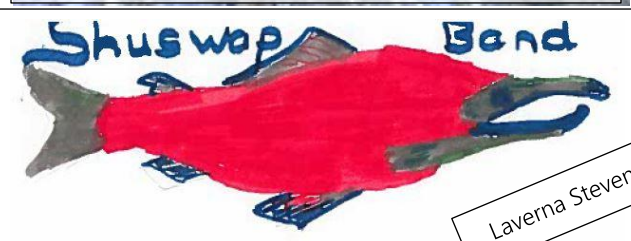


Job creation, a priority goal of the CCP, has increased in environmental and archaeological monitoring, forest fuel reduction and invasive species treatment, both on and off reserve.

Council, staff, Youth and Elders travel throughout the territory to represent Shuswap Band for this work.



Salmon near Brisco, BC



Laverna Stevens



Youth attend RCMP Career Session with Columbia Valley RCMP Detachment

Secwepemc Elders' Council Draft Terms of Reference
 Me7 T'ekstém (Mission Statement):
Re stext'ex7é7em élkstmens e st'ekstés k cwk'úl'tns te m-sq'7est:s re Secwepemc re tk'wem7iple7tns ell le ts'ílmes le tk'wen7iple7tns le q'7es te qelmúcw ne Secwepemcúl'ecw

The Secwepemc elders' Council works to move the nation forward in helping to re-establish and define our Secwepemc laws and ancestral ways of governance of the nation.

CK'ul'ten (Principles):
 a). Kell7úpekst ell seséle te tsyuqwyéqw (Ancestral Campfires)
Xyemstém xwexwéyt re k'wséltkten-kt ell xwexwéyt re k'wselktknéws-kt tek stet'e7ék te skwelk'welt wel m-t'7ek te cseksek'éwt ne sxuxwiwúlecwems nSecwepemcúl'ecw

Respecting all our families and relatives from the highest peaks and valleys within the territory.
 b). Stk'wem7íplems re Secwepemc ell re Stseptékwlis (Secwepemc Law & Oral History)
Tsq'ey' ri7 mell ell, tsq'ey' ne mítk'ye-kt te m-sq'7est:s
 It is written and it has always been there in our blood.

c). Secwepemcúl'ecw ri7 re Tmicw-kt (Title and Ownership)
Xwexwéyt re k'wselktknéws te Secwepemc me7 tsyewemínt:s re tmicw wel me7 yews, Tsyewemínt:s k stet'e7ék te se7wit tek Secwepemc
 All our Secwepemc relatives will take care of the land in perpetuity and pass it on to future generations.

d). Secwepemctsin (Language)
Re xwqweltén-kt ell xwexwéyt- te k'wséltén-kt tsq'ey' mell ne tmicw
 Our language and our people are marked on the land already.



Artist: Trinda Cote

Indigenous Youth Network
 Eight community members between the ages of 8 and 30 years attended the first session in November 2017 to provide input and ensure the network is youth driven. Our youth are an inspiration and plan to be busy:

- Karaoke
- Bingo
- Bowling
- Go Karting
- Shuswap Traditional Survival Camp
- Drumming and signing
- Crafts: Pine Needle Baskets, Moccasins, Beading, Painting
- Cooking
- Clean ups: graveyard and reserve
- Create a Farmer's Market
- Learning our language

Artist: Clarissa Stevens



Summer Youth Program – 2017 (left and right). Thanks to Columbia Basin Trust. Middle photo: Regalia Making 2017