



**4th Annual Intergovernmental Council Meeting
December 15, 2017
Yellowknife, NT**

Summary of Outcomes

Leaders approved the 2016-2017 Intergovernmental Council's annual report.

Leaders direct Aboriginal Government Capacity Working Group to continue with their mandate for the upcoming year and to report back to the Intergovernmental Council in 2018.

Leaders direct the IBA Working Group to continue with their mandate for the upcoming year and to report back to the Intergovernmental Council in 2018.

Leaders direct the IGC Secretariat to complete the long term strategic plan and present it for approval in the new-year. The strategic plan should include timelines, indicators and required resources.

Leaders direct the IGC Secretariat to establish a working group tasked with developing a formal government to government working relationship.

Leaders direct that the 2018 work plan include preparation for MVRMA review assuming federal amendments occur.

Leaders direct the IGC to meet twice in 2018.

Leaders agree to work together on how best to collaborate and maximize federal government Indigenous funding programs.

The GNWT commits to work collaboratively with Indigenous governments to develop a northern approach to the Arctic Policy Framework, including the NWT chapter.

The GNWT commits to working towards hosting a Northern Summit on economic development with Indigenous governments and further directs the IGC secretariat to jointly develop an agenda. A broad group will be invited to attend the summit, including industry and the Government of Canada.