

*The Planning Framework -
the foundation of the Planning Cycle*



Vision Statement – A common vision allows a community to:

- plot directions and allocate scarce time and money to achieve that direction;
- define new futures and focus energies on moving toward the desired future;
- have a common foundation for working together toward an agreed -upon goal;
- give potential partners confidence in our abilities and direction; and
- maintain momentum even as people change roles.

What is your dream for your people and community?

Now, picture yourself 10 years in the future. Use all your senses to imagine what your community will be like then.

What do you see? What do you hear? What do you feel?

What is YOUR vision for the future of your community?

Mission Statement – The mission is a broad statement about an organization. It usually addresses four main questions: 1) who is the organization; 2) what it does; 3) who the clients are; and 4) and how it meets the clients' needs.

What is YOUR First Nation's Mission Statement?

Who Are We?

What Do We Do?

Who Do We Do it For?

How Do We Do It?
