

Notification & Publication of Policies, Processes & Laws

> Presented by Kevin Broughton





- 1. Official versions of most up to date laws
- 2. Electronic publication of policies, processes & laws
- 3. RC Website / FN Gazette / FNLRS LAND MANAGEMENT RESOURCE CENTRE





### Official Versions of Laws

It is recommended that the First Nation administration publish the most current version of their laws.

This will provide the most up to date laws for the members and the public to follow.

- > Members,
- Public
- Interested parties economic development



# Electronic publication of policies, processes & laws

The laws of the First Nation can be posted and available to the members through various electronic or digital means.

- First Nations website
- > Any First Nations community group or meetings.
- Depending on the website and link to a secure repository that the public has access
- Public Information boards or sites and could be electronic or paper based.
- Social media



# Electronic publication of policies, processes & laws

- The First Nation that have application process such as:
  - Housing applications
  - Building applications
  - Permits and Licencing
  - Application for social assistance

The forms and applications should be posted and available including clear instructions how to process those applications or forms with a link to the existing law.

Those processes should be included in the Laws, Regulations or Policies associated to the laws.



Electronic publication of policies, processes & laws

- New Laws, Regulations and Policies follow the law making process outlined in the Land Code of the Nation.
- When a new Law is considered or amendments to an existing law then the Community should have an opportunity to express their opinion and have input into the development of the Laws in the community.
- There should be advertisements and notices circulated encouraging community participation.



### RC Website / FN Gazette / FNLRS

- In accordance with the Nation's Land Code compliance with the posting of any laws should developed and when required posted to the FNLRS.
- Certain laws affecting properties such as zoning or environmental laws such as easements, conditions and restrictions should be appended through the FNLRS.



#### RC Website / FN Gazette / FNLRS

#### **Examples of Postings to the FN Gazette**

- Notice under or relating to federal First Nations legislation;
- Notice of First Nation laws and by-laws;
- Notice of a policy, procedure or standard;
- Part II FN Gazette





## **Questions and Comments**





FIRST NATIONS LAND MANAGEMENT RESOURCE CENTRE

#### THANK YOU!

For more information please visit: <u>www.labrc.com</u>

