

Continuing to Walk Together





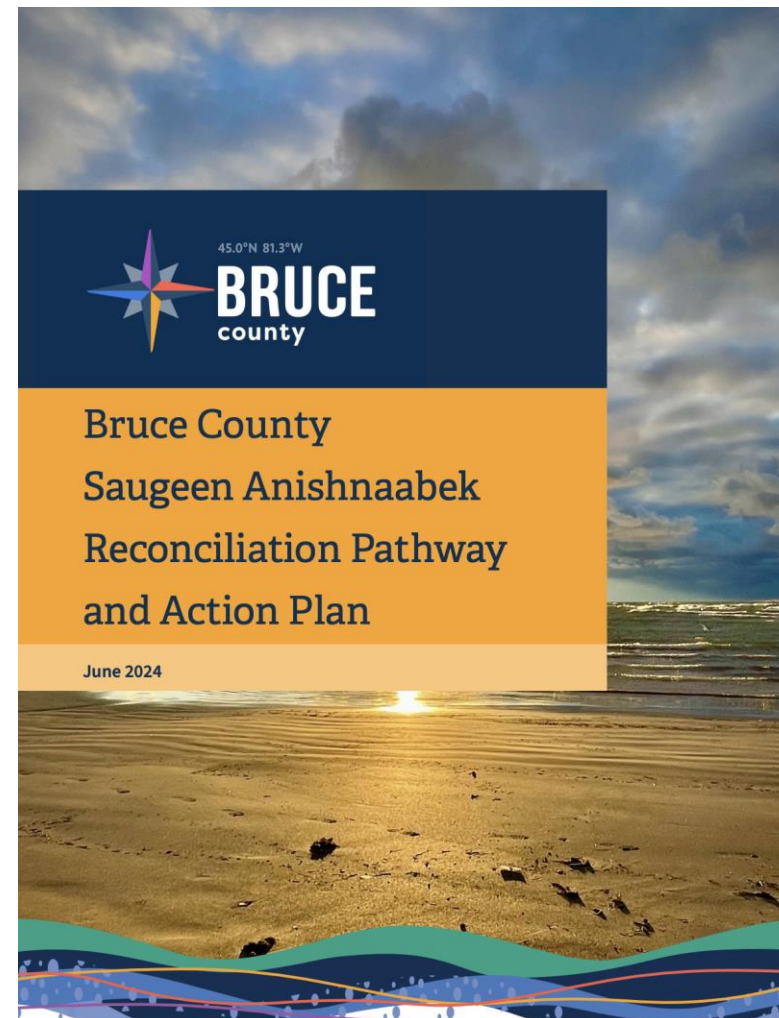
Introduction and Purpose

Why An Engagement Circle?

- Goals 1.4, 2.4 and 4.2 , as well as the overall Saugeen Anishnaabek Reconciliation Pathway and Action Plan commit to establishing an advisory group to ensure that Saugeen Anishnaabek voices and knowledge are including decision making about Bruce County programming. Specifically:
 - Consult with Chippewas of Nawash Unceded First Nation, Saugeen First Nation, and Saugeen Ojibway Nation on major Bruce County-led projects, initiatives, or decisions with potential to impact Indigenous rights, titles, and interests.
 - Establish an advisory committee with Chippewas of Nawash Unceded First Nation, Saugeen First Nation, and Saugeen Ojibway Nation and County Council representation to activate work on creating a Downie Wenjack Legacy Space that will help build a safe and welcoming place for conversations about Indigenous history and reconciliation in Bruce County.
 - Establish advisory groups that are inclusive of Saugeen Anishnaabek to support Bruce County departments on program and service planning, design, delivery, review, monitoring, and evaluation

Guiding Principles and Framework

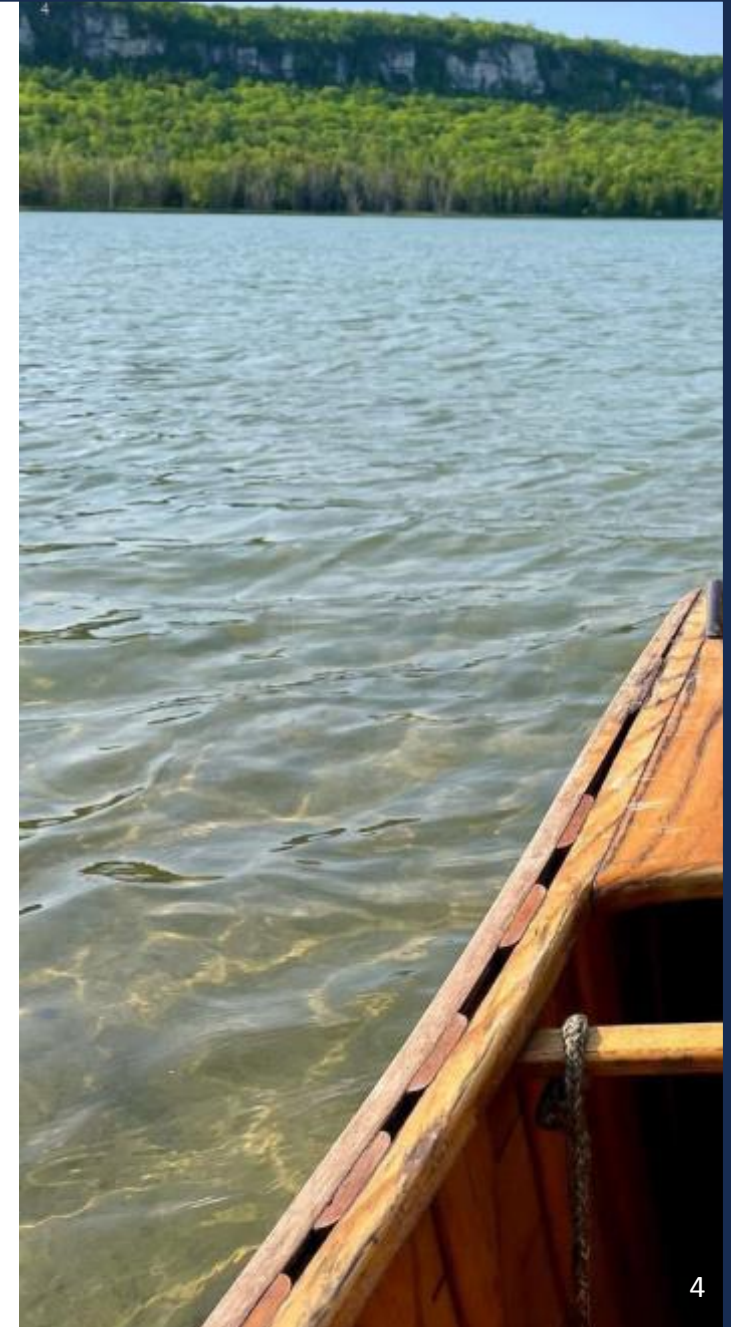
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Engagement Circle Members

Who is involved?

- A SFN Appointed Member
 - A Nawash Appointed Member
 - Bruce County Council Representatives
 - 2 SON Elder/Knowledge Keeper
 - 2 SON Youth
 - 2 Non Indigenous Youth
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- Bruce County & SON EO Staff support as needed to steward the process
 - Stipends paid to members that do not have engagement as part of their official role



Next Steps

How do we move forward?

- Endorsement of High-Level Approach
- Co-creation workshops to establish the framework for the Engagement Circle
- Alignment approach
- Quarterly meeting of Engagement Circle

