# Sudbury Local Immigration Partnership



Strategic framework 2021 - 2025





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# STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK 2021-2025

#### **Values**

Inclusivity
Engaging
Collaborative
Trustworthiness
Transparency
Accountability
Adaptability
Bilingualism

#### VISION

United for an inclusive and prosperous Greater Sudbury.

#### **PURPOSE STATEMENT**

The Local Immigration Partnership fosters an inclusive, engaging and collaborative environment with local stakeholders to identify issues, share solutions, build capacity and preserve collective memory for the purpose of ensuring the attraction, settlement, inclusion and retention of newcomers in the City of Greater Sudbury.

#### **Principles**

Foster partnerships and relationships. Empower stakeholders and support grassroots initiatives.

Explore, pursue and create opportunities

Area of focus 1

Governance and Operations

#### **Desired outcome**

Ensure efficient and accountable governance and operational model.

#### **Desired outcome**

Achieve better public understanding of the LIPs goals and the work they do.

#### **Desired outcome**

Strive for a good working relationship with the LIP Host and funders.

Area of focus 2

Engagement and Awareness

#### **Desired outcome**

Coordinate immigration services through collaboration among service providers.

#### **Desired outcome**

Implement and foster different community driven strategies to make the City of Greater Sudbury a welcoming community for all, first choice of destination for newcomers.

### **Desired outcome**

Support systematic change in policies and procedures to eliminate barriers faced by the newcomer/immigrant population in the community.

Area of focus 3

Programming and Projects

#### **Desired outcome**

Facilitate the integration and settlement of newcomers by identifying service gaps in the local immigration continuum.

#### **Desired outcome**

Implement the strategies and tools required to support the network of local stakeholders.





# **GOVERNANCE & OPERATIONS**

The SLIP will focus on further formalizing governance and operations, policies and procedures, succession planning, training, and day-to-day activities in order to coordinate these efforts with the areas of focus in the strategic plan.

**The goal:** Implement the new vision, prioritize projects, define the scope, ensure the resources and develop means for evaluation and accountability, all while ensuring a strategic communications plan that will ensure understanding and comprehension within the community.

#### **Desired outcomes**

- 1. Ensure efficient and accountable governance and operational model.
- 2. Achieve better public understanding of the SLIP's goals and the work they do.
- 3. Strive for a good working relationship with the SLIP Host and funders.

# **ENGAGEMENT & AWARENESS**

As the primary consultative body, the SLIP will focus on fostering an inclusive environment where stakeholders are able to build capacity to ensure local strategies to improve the settlement and integration of immigrants and their families.

**The goal:** Formalize the advocacy role of the SLIP, prioritize engagement and local awareness and work towards creating a structure that will support stakeholders within the community to successfully integrate immigrants.

#### **Desired outcomes**

- 1. Coordinate immigration services through collaboration among service providers.
- 2. Implement and foster different community driven strategies to make the City of Greater Sudbury a welcoming community for all, first choice of destination for newcomers.
- 3. Support systematic change in policies and procedures to eliminate barriers faced by the newcomer/immigrant population in the community.

# **PROGRAMMING & PROJECTS**

The SLIP will focus on the development and growth of immigration and settlement capacity within the City of Greater Sudbury to ensure a more welcoming and open community for all.

**The goal**: Foster the network of local stakeholders that supports the City of Greater Sudbury immigration continuum.

#### **Desired outcomes**

- 1. Facilitate the integration and settlement of newcomers by identifying service gaps in the local immigration continuum.
- 2. Implement the strategies and tools required to support the network of local stakeholders.

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