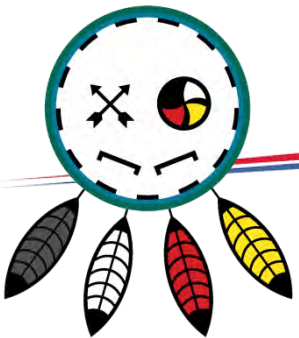


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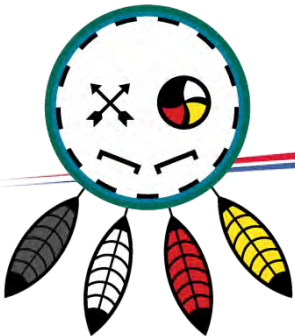


# Agenda

- History
- Business Plan
- Steering Committee
- Deliverables
- Naming of Project/Community Consultation
- MMIW Strategy
- MMIW Toolkit
- Next Steps
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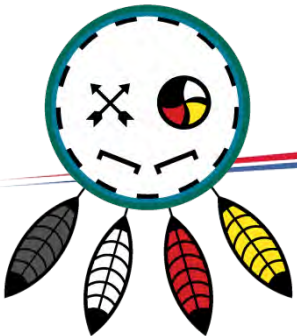
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# History

- 1,800 Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls
- Aboriginal women, 4% of population
  - Represents 16% of all female homicides in Canada
- Effects of the Residential School and other injustices to the Aboriginal peoples
- Intergenerational and systemic trauma

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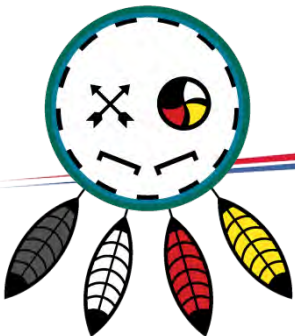
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# GSPS Business Plan



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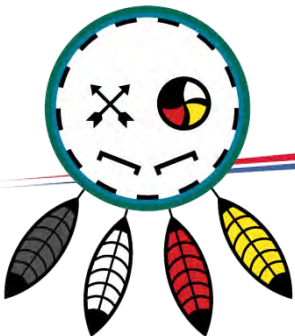
# Steering Committee

- Formed in 2014
- Goal of Reducing Victimization and Raising Awareness
- Grant funding through Department of Justice



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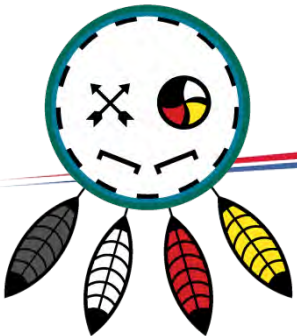


# Deliverables

- Develop GSPS policy/strategy
- Increase awareness of the impact of victimization
- Promote access to and participation in the justice system



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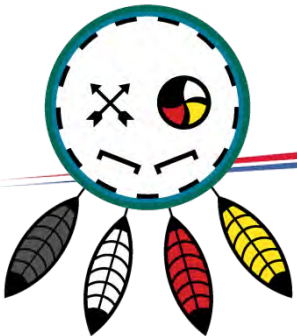
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# Naming the Project and Logo Contest



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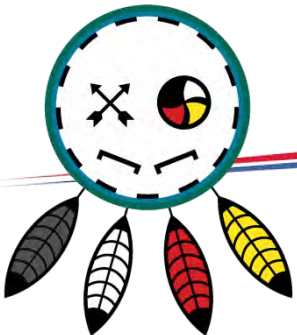


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# Community Consultation

- June 13, 2016
- “Striving to build a brighter future for young girls and women to ensure they do not have to live in fear of violence.”



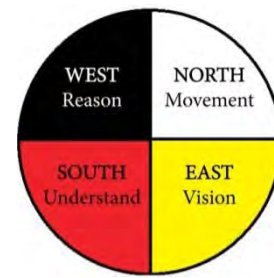
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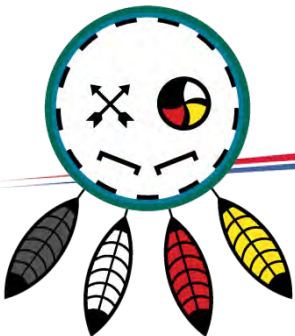


# MMIW Strategy

- Looking Ahead to Build the Spirit of Our Women – Learning to Live Free from Violence



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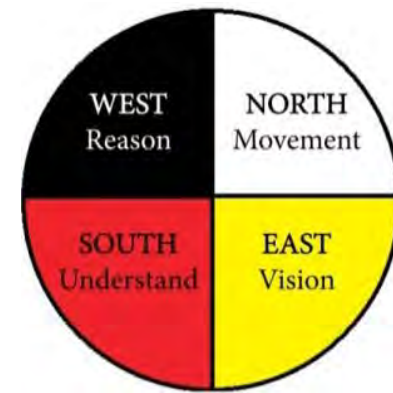


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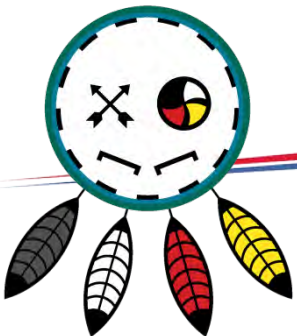


# MMIW Strategy

- We are guided by the **Seven Grandfather Teachings**:
- **Wisdom** - To cherish knowledge is to know wisdom.
- **Love** - To know love is to know peace.
- **Respect** - To honour all of creation is to have respect.
- **Bravery** - To face the foe with integrity.
- **Honesty** - In facing a situation is to be brave.
- **Humility** - To know yourself as a sacred part of Creation.
- **Truth** - Truth is to know all of these things.



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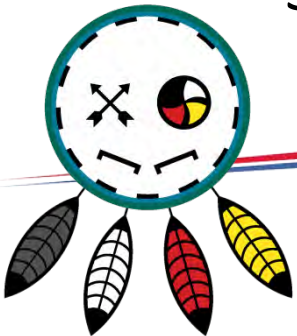


# MMIW Strategy – Outreach and Education

- Programs and presentations
- Resource materials
- Teachings and awareness
- Partnerships
  - Ontario Aboriginal HIV/AIDS Strategy
  - Sex Workers Advocacy Network of Sudbury



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**"Truth and Reconciliation"**  
An Afternoon with  
**George Couhie**

Discussions will include;

- Missing Murdered Indigenous Women,
- Indigenous Awareness & Teachings,
- Community Relationship Building,
- Corn Soup & Scone,
- Friendship Dance

N'Swakamok Native Friendship Centre  
**March 3, 2017, 2nd Floor**  
**TIME: 1-5 p.m.**

Invitation open to all  
community members  
and service providers!

For More information contact  
Lisa Osawamick,  
Aboriginal Women Violence Prevention Coordinator  
Phone: 705-929-4947  
Email: lisa.osawamick@gpps.ca



**Candle Light Vigil 6 to 8 p.m.**

For more information, please  
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# Logo Contest

Interested Aboriginal Youth Ages 17-24  
Looking for your Logo Idea for our new

Greater Sudbury Police Service and the N'Swakamok  
Native Friendship Centre invite you to create a Logo for our



**"Looking Ahead to Build the Spirit of our Women- Learning to Live Free from Violence"**

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**"Looking Ahead to Build the Spirit of our Women- Learning to Live Free from Violence" Project**  
Presents

**International Women's Week**  
Showcases  
**"Warrior Women"**

MARCH 10, 2017 JOIN US FROM 1-4 P.M.

N'Swakamok Native Friendship Centre

- CREATIVE WRITING CONVERSATION CIRCLE CELEBRATIONS
- SWANS & MYTHS N MIDDWINTER
- "PROJECT ADM HER"
- AUTOBIOGRAPHY "HAIL BRONNIE" BY DONNA B. FREELAND
- WHO AM I CAMPAIGN

For More information contact Lisa Osawamick , Aboriginal Women Violence Prevention Coordinator  
705-929-4947 or at lisa.osawamick@gpps.ca

**Women's Sweat Lodge**  
with Nokamis Julie Ozawagosh

**October 26, 2016**  
Atikameksheng First Nation

Depart Centre at 10:30 a.m. (transportation is available if needed)  
Arrive at 11 a.m. & Sweat at 12 p.m.

For more information on the event or regarding transportation please contact  
Lisa Osawamick, Aboriginal Women Violence Prevention Coordinator at 705-929-4947  
Teula Nadiwion, Cultural Resource Coordinator at 705-674-2124

**Facilitators:** Ghislaine Goudreau – Health Promoter, Sudbury & District Health Unit and Niki Naponse – Executive Director, Za-geh-dow-in Information Clearinghouse

October 14, 2016  
At N'Swakamok Native Friendship Centre  
9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

In 2006 a group of committed Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal health and social services professionals met to discuss violence in a cross-cultural sharing circle format. The group gathered and developed a visual presentation that represented the Tree and how violence uses the tree as an analogy. Let's re-visit this educational resource tool!

**Invitation**

**Community Consultation Planning Session**

**June 13, 2016**  
**10:30 - 1:00pm**  
(lunch provided)

**N'Swakamok Native Friendship Centre**  
10 Elm Street, Sudbury  
2<sup>nd</sup> floor Backroom

Hosted by:  
**"Looking Ahead to Build the Spirit of our Women-Learning to Live Free from Violence" Project**  
*"Niigan ni Naabidaa ji Bizhikaad wa Mnidoo da-ji-Jaakomawaan Kwewag-Kendaming Mno-Bimaadiziying Mnji-doodaagewin tesinog"*

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BECOME A COMMUNITY RESOURCE TO REDUCE THE INCIDENCE OF ABUSE OF INDIGENOUS WOMEN.

Kanawayhitowin Training is for: service providers, frontline workers, students, community members and volunteers who are working with or in contact with Indigenous Women at risk of violence in our communities.

Date: August 18 & 19, 2016  
Location: N'Swakamok Native Friendship Centre, Sudbury ON  
Time: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

For more information contact  
Lisa Osawamick, Aboriginal Women Violence Prevention Coordinator  
705-929-4947

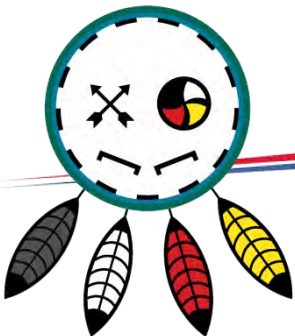


# MMIW Strategy – Services and Support

- Advocacy
- Vulnerable Persons Registry
- Safety Planning
- Ceremonies
- Sharing Circles
- Referrals

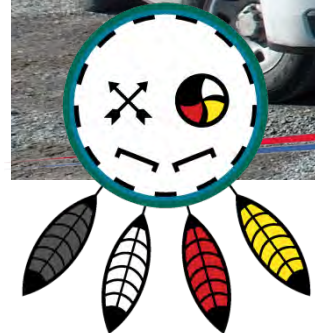


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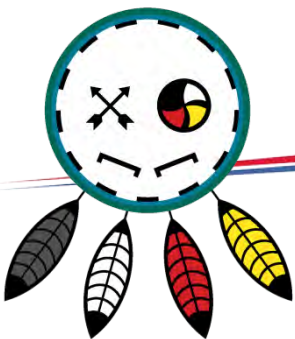


# MMIW Strategy – GSPS Awareness and Training

- Supervisors attended multi-day workshop with George Couchie
- Redtail Hawk Training and Consulting
- Award winning training
- MMIW
- Histories of Indigenous People
- Residential schools
- Truth and Reconciliation



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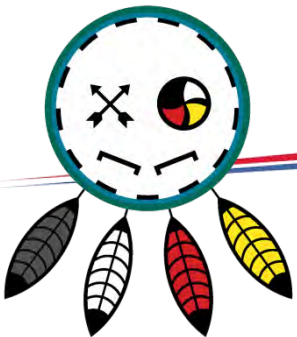


# MMIW Toolkit

- Family
  - Support and resources available
  - What to expect when reporting a missing person
  - Social media and Media relations
  - Self-care
  - Prevention and safety tips



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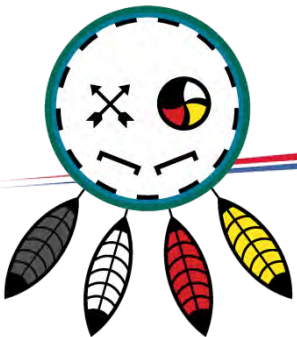


# GSPS is committed to...

- Creating framework
- 94 Calls to action
  - Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada
- Developing positive relationships based on trust and understanding
- Sustaining, creating and evolving Indigenous community partnerships



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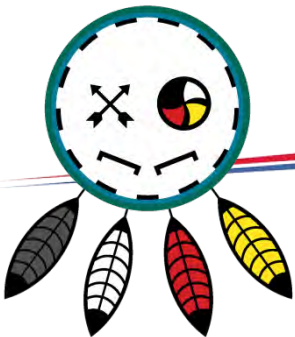


# Next Steps

- Continue outreach, education and awareness
- Finalize MOU and toolkit
- Publishing strategy
- Year-end celebration
- Major MMIW Conference



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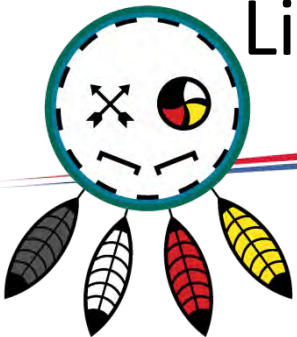


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- MMIW Steering Committee
- Lisa Osawamick, Aboriginal Women Violence Prevention Coordinator
- Constable Shannon Agowissa, Aboriginal Liaison Officer



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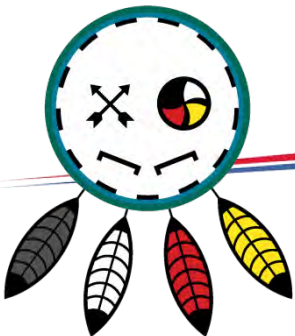


# Questions

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