



Assembly of First Nations Virtual Town Hall on First Ministers Meeting *Technical Briefing and Discussion*



April 15, 2026 11:30am to 1:30pm EDT – Virtual by Zoom

AGENDA

Time (EDT)	Agenda Item
11:30am	Opening Prayer by Knowledge Keeper Leonard Weasel Traveller
11:35am	Welcoming Remarks from National Chief Cindy Woodhouse Nepinak
11:40am	Introduction by facilitator Adam Fiddler including summary of last meeting and process to date
11:55am	<p>Four presentations provided by Assembly of First Nations (AFN) senior personnel on topics with significant challenges related to jurisdiction between the federal and provincial/territorial governments. Questions will be put forward to town hall participants for each subject matter to seek out further direction on the potential scope of the discussions at the First Nations-First Ministers' Meeting in the Fall.</p> <p>Presentations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Economic Development - Neal Kewistep, Senior Director, Economic Development and Infrastructure, AFN• Community Safety and Policing – Jamie Lavigne, A/Senior Director, Environment, Water & Justice Branch• Post-Secondary Education - Bram Lerat, Senior Director, Social Branch, AFN• Health - Cheyenne Joseph, Director of Health, Social Branch, AFN
12:35pm	Facilitated Open Discussion with Participants
1:30pm	Closing Prayer by Knowledge Keeper Leonard Weasel Traveller