



45th Annual General Assembly

Strengthening Our Relations

July 9-11, 2024 • In-Person Only

Palais des Congrès, Montréal, Québec



AGENDA

Tuesday, July 9, 2024	
Time	Activity
7:00 AM	Sunrise Pipe Ceremony – Plenary (Room 517)
7:30 AM	Registration – Level 5 Foyer Regional Caucus Sessions – Level 5 BC – Room 512AB NB – Room 511A AB – Room 512GH PEI – Room 511E SK – Room 512EF NL – Room 511F MB – Room 513AB NS – Room 513 EF ON – Room 512CD YT – Room 511D QC&LB – Room 511C NWT – Room 511B
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM Circle of Trade – Level 2	
8:30 AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grand Entry – Drum Group – Eagle River Singers • Opening Prayer – Elder Kevin Deer, Kahnawake • Welcome by Host Officials - Grand Chief Cody Diabo, Kahnawake Mohawk Territory • Territorial Welcome – AFNQL Regional Chief Ghislain Picard • Opening Address – National Chief Cindy Woodhouse Nepinak
9:30 AM	Honouring <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lieutenant General Jocelyn Paul • Haida Gwaii – Gaagwiis Jason Alsop, President of the Haida Nation, Billy Yavanovich, Chief Councillor, Skidegate Band Council
10:00 AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adoption of Rules of Procedures for Assemblies • Adoption of Agenda
10:30 AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Audited Financial Statements • AFN/NIB – Guillaume Cote Provencher, CFO and Anne Marie Ethier, Deloitte • Future Generations Foundation (formerly NIB Trust)- Naomi Racette, Executive Director
11:00 AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AFN Knowledge Keepers Council Report • AFN Women’s Council Report • First Nations Veterans Council Report • AFN National Youth Council Report • 2SLGBTQQA+ Council Report
11:30 AM	Guest Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dominic LeBlanc, Minister of Public Safety, Democratic Institutions and Intergovernmental Affairs • Arif Virani, Minister of Justice and Attorney General of Canada



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12:00 PM	Lunch Break
1:00 PM	Charter Resolutions: DR#01, DR#02, DR#03
1:45 PM	ER#01 Response to Report on Preliminary Audit of AFN Finances
2:30 PM	Organizational Resolutions: DR#05, DR#06, DR#37
3:15 PM	MMIWG: DR#65
3:45 PM	Wellness Break
4:00 PM	Plenary: Long Term Reform and Compensation
5:00 PM	End of Day
6:00 PM	Host Event: Cultural Showcase, Kahnawake Mohawk Territory

Wednesday, July 10, 2024	
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7:00 AM	Sunrise Pipe Ceremony – Plenary (Room 517)
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9:00 AM – 5:00 PM Circle of Trade – Level 2	
9:00 AM	Plenary: First Nations Policing / Indigenous Justice Strategy Resolutions: DR#41, DR#42
10:00 AM	Plenary: Specific Claims
10:30 AM	Guest Speaker: Gary Anandasangaree, Minister of Crown-Indigenous Relations
11:00 AM	Guest Speaker: Terry Duguid, Parliamentary Secretary to the Prime Minister and Special Advisor on Water
11:15 AM	Plenary: Bill C-61 <i>First Nations Clean Water Act</i> Resolution: DR#07



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1:00 PM	Resolutions: Health: DR#24, DR#25, DR#26, DR#27 Justice: DR#43, DR#44, DR#45 Rights: DR#15, DR#29, DR#30, DR#31, DR#33, DR#34, DR#40, DR#49 DR#66, Lands: DR#11, DR#12, DR#13, DR#36
3:00 PM	Wellness Break
3:15 PM	Resolutions Infrastructure: DR#08, DR#09, DR#76 Fisheries: DR#18, DR#19, DR#20, DR#21, DR#22 Environment: DR#50, DR#51, DR#52, DR#53, DR#54, DR#55, DR#64, DR#67, DR#68
5:00 PM	End of Day
6:00 PM	Host Event: First Nations Women: Builders of Our Nations

Thursday, July 11, 2024	
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9:00 AM – 5:00 PM Circle of Trade – Level 2	
9:00 AM	Guest Speaker: Pierre Poilievre, Leader of the Conservative Party of Canada
9:30 AM	Guest Speaker: Jagmeet Singh, Leader of the New Democratic Party
10:00 AM	Wellness Break



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10:15 AM	Resolutions Reconciliation: DR#28, DR#47, DR#48 Social: DR#32, DR#62, DR#75, DR#73
12:00 PM	Lunch Break
1:00 PM	Resolutions Education: DR#56, DR#59, DR#60 Languages: DR#57, DR#58 Chiefs Committees: DR#35 Support: DR #14, DR#16, DR#38, DR#39, DR#61, DR#63, DR#69
4:00 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Closing Remarks – National Chief Cindy Woodhouse Nepinak• Closing Prayer – Elder Kevin Deer• Closing Ceremony – Drum Group – Eagle River Singers