



NOVA SCOTIA FEDERATION
OF MUNICIPALITIES

INTERIM REPORT ON 2018 RESOLUTIONS— Feedback Required

As many of you will recall, Councils were asked to provide feedback on top priorities last spring. These, along with the issues raised at regional and caucus meetings, led to a list of topics to be considered for possible resolutions in 2018. Over the summer, work was undertaken to explore these issues and to identify possible actions. As well, the NSFM Board has reviewed the status of the 2017 resolutions, and identified further actions. The result is a proposed list of 10 resolutions dealing with: municipal funding; roads; CAP; municipal modernization; cannabis; extended producer responsibility (EPR), municipal responsibilities; policing; surplus schools and sustainability and Infrastructure funding support. The Board also has identified Code of Conduct as a top priority for NSFM to lead now, rather than wait for resolutions. Information on the remaining issues is also contained in the report.



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Next Steps:

- Members are asked to review the Interim Resolution Report and provide feedback, either written or through attendance at one of the three meetings planned for discussion. These meetings are scheduled as follows:
 - September 21, 2018, 9:30 – 12:00, Holiday Inn, Truro
 - September 24, 2018, 9:30 – 12:00, Old Orchard Inn, Kings County
 - October 1, 2018, Conference Room, Civic Centre, Port Hawkesbury, 1:00 – 3:30
- Feedback will be summarized and presented to the NSFM Executive. NSFM Executive will incorporate as appropriate.
- Final draft of resolutions will be sent to members in advance of the Fall Conference.
- If there are more than five resolutions proposed, the membership will be asked to vote on their top resolutions during the caucus meetings being held Wednesday, November 7th, from 1:45 – 4:15.



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- The top five resolutions will be presented to the membership for consideration and vote on Thursday, November 8, at 9:30.

[Here is the Interim Resolutions Report](#)

