



# SOAR 2017 Annual Conference Exploring Justice: An Experiential Journey

## SOCIAL JUSTICE TRIBUNALS OF ONTARIO'S INDIGENOUS INSIGHTS INITIATIVE Process and Outcomes

Presented by Marisha Roman, Member CFSRB-CRB  
Panel - Restorative and Indigenous Justice Approaches:  
Toolbox for developing best practices by adapting approaches for Indigenous and  
restorative justice  
November 2, 2017, 2:15pm to 3:30pm  
Chestnut Conference Centre

# 2017 ACTION PLAN

Phase 1- Review of current SJTO resources and information and tribunal decisions to identify current references to and consideration of FNMI people and/or issues;

Phase 2 - A brief survey of the registrars and associate chairs of the SJTO member tribunals; and

Phase 3 - A dialogue with Indigenous organizations, leadership and individuals

# IMPLEMENTATION

## Phase 1

### Task

- Initial review focused on terminology used in decisions of SJTO tribunals to refer to Indigenous parties

### Outcome

- Delivery of training module for CF SRB-CRB members (Blanket Exercise and Prof Development session) in May 2017

# IMPLEMENTATION cont'd

## Phase 2

### Task

- Conduct interviews with SJTO Associate Chairs and Registrars

### Outcome

- Interviews completed May 2017

# IMPLEMENTATION cont'd

## Phase 3

### Task

- Conduct information sharing and gathering sessions with Indigenous stakeholders

### Outcomes

- Sessions completed in Sioux Lookout, Sudbury, Wikwemikong, Thunder Bay
- Delivery of SJTO Information Presentation to NAN CLWs in May 2017

# NEXT STEPS

- Continue dialogue with LAO, OFIFC and law schools
- Continue to develop contacts for external dialogue with Indigenous stakeholders
- Continue to develop training modules and resources for SJTO members and staff as well as external stakeholders

# TOOLBOX

- Clear and specific purpose
- Time and resources
- Baseline data
- Advisors – internal and external
- Communication
- Benchmarks