

THE SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL IMMIGRATION PARTNERSHIP

What is a Local Immigration Partnership?



- LIPs are a national initiative using community-based partnerships to effect strengthened communities through improved overall integration of newcomers
 - LIPs apply a systemic approach to harness the mutual benefit between newcomers and their communities
 - LIPs operate under the oversight of a Partnership Council, through formal partnerships between stakeholders
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What is the SCRIP?



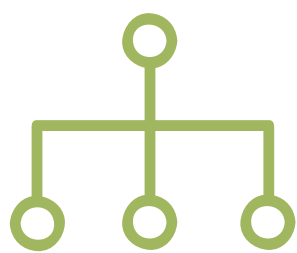
- The SCRIP is a regional version of the Local Immigration Partnership (LIP) initiative, based in Moose Jaw and operating throughout the surrounding region
 - Initiated by Moose Jaw Multicultural Council, a valued partner within the SCRIP framework, along with the support of numerous other valuable community partners
 - Established in July 2018
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What does the SCRIP do?



- Fosters coordination, planning, & delivery of integration services across sectors
 - Builds, with its partners, a community-specific structure for collaborative approaches to integrating newcomers
 - Strengthens local/regional capacity to build on community and newcomer strengths and address community and newcomer needs towards effective integration at the community level
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Who makes up the SCRIP?



- Newcomers
 - Community members
 - Newcomer settlement services sector
 - Municipalities
 - Key community services sectors (employment, labour, health, education, social services, financial, business, etc.)
 - Cultural, heritage, and religious organizations
 - Indigenous organizations
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What Outcomes Can We Expect?



- Increasingly sustainable communities: more welcoming, interconnected, and resilient
- Improved integration of newcomers and communities
- Improved ability for the community to address newcomer needs and access newcomer strengths -- and vice versa
- Increased economic, social, political, and civic participation of newcomers