

# The Anishinabek Nation Governance Agreement

## At a Glance



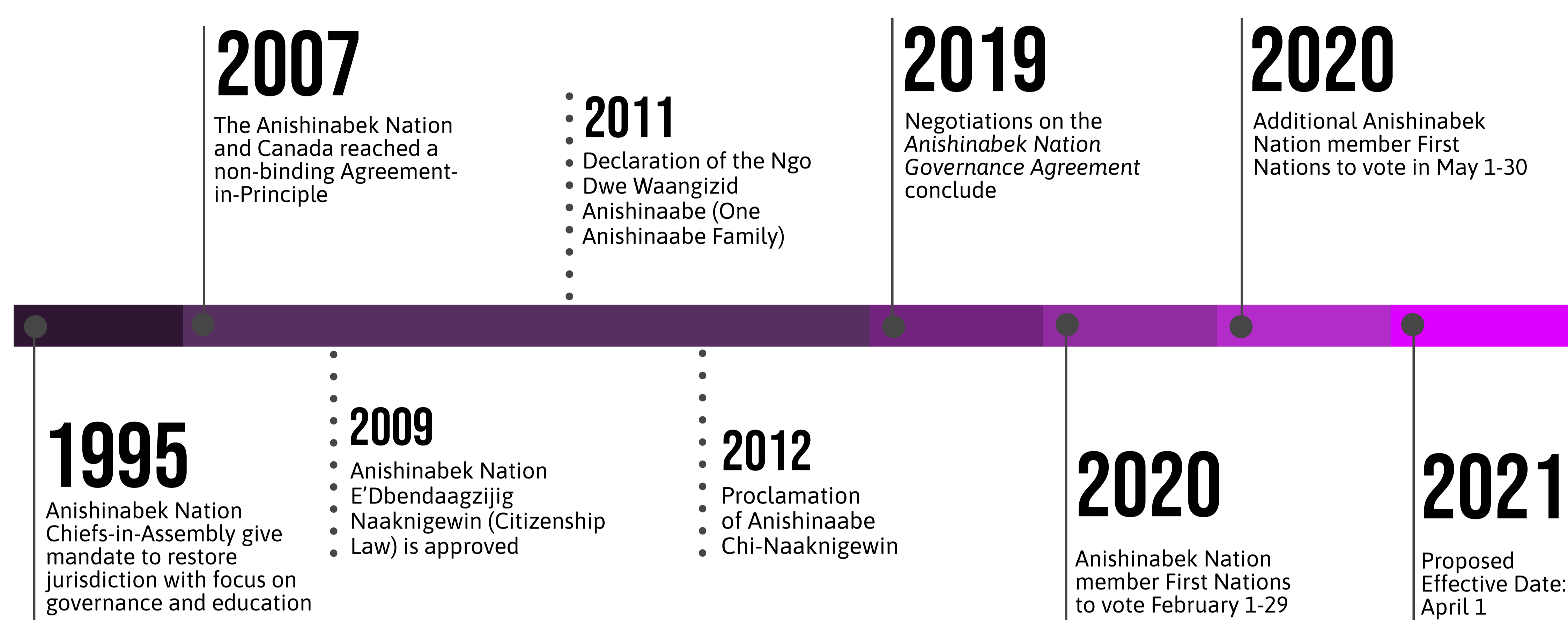
### ANISHINABEK NATION GOVERNANCE AGREEMENT OVERVIEW

For more than 25 years, the Anishinabek Nation and the Government of Canada have been negotiating the proposed *Anishinabek Nation Governance Agreement* that will recognize, not create, the Anishinabek First Nations' law-making powers and authority to self-govern, thus removing them from the governance provisions of the *Indian Act*.

The First Nations that ratify the proposed *Anishinabek Nation Governance Agreement* (Participating First Nations) will have the power to enact laws in the following areas: leadership selection, citizenship, language and culture, and operation of government.

The proposed *Anishinabek Nation Governance Agreement* includes the complementary *Anishinabek Nation Fiscal Agreement* that outlines the funding for governance-related functions.

### ANISHINABEK NATION GOVERNANCE AGREEMENT ROAD MAP



### ANISHINABEK NATION GOVERNANCE AGREEMENT VOTE

FEBRUARY 2020 VOTE:	MAY 2020 VOTE:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Atikameksheng Anishnawbek</li> <li>Aundeck Omni Kaning</li> <li>Beausoleil First Nation</li> <li>Magnetawan First Nation</li> <li>Michipicoten First Nation</li> <li>Mississauga #8 First Nation</li> <li>Moose Deer Point</li> <li>Munsee Delaware Nation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Namaygoosisagagun</li> <li>Nipissing First Nation</li> <li>Sheguiandah First Nation</li> <li>Sheshegwaning First Nation</li> <li>Wahnapiatae First Nation</li> <li>Wasauksing First Nation</li> <li>Whitefish River First Nation</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Algonquins of Pikwàkanagàn</li> <li>Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek</li> <li>Curve Lake First Nation</li> <li>Dokis First Nation</li> <li>Fort William First Nation</li> <li>Long Lake #58</li> <li>Red Rock Indian Band</li> <li>Serpent River</li> <li>Zhiibaahaasing First Nation</li> </ul>

Eligible Voters from the First Nations that are running a Ratification Vote on the *Anishinabek Nation Governance Agreement* can only vote **one time**. Eligible Voters can vote one of three ways:

- Electronically
- In-person
- Mail-In

Eligible Voters are encouraged to get informed before voting. Eligible Voters can access information by:

- Contacting their local First Nation Ratification Officer
- Attending local ratification information sessions
- Calling the toll-free telephone line: 1-833-297-9850
- Visiting [www.governancevote.ca](http://www.governancevote.ca)
- Following the official Anishinabek Nation social media channels

