

# Indigenous Services Canada: Emergency Management Assistance Program (EMAP)

## ISC's Role in EM in Alberta

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## **Line Issues and ISC's Role**

- Line fails – company reports
- Alberta AEMA and ISC will be notified by AER, EC
- The line is the responsibility of the company that owns
- Nations will share info on health and safety impacts
- Coordination and supports for information sharing
- Inform lands and environment who will contact Nation if required
- Impacted Nations can request supports from AEMA – request will be forwarded to appropriate ISC area

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- Assistance with information sharing to ISC, coordination

# Limitations on line spill

- Funding – limited to *Emergency Management Act* Disasters
  - Wildfire
  - Flood
  - Severe storm/tornado
- Nations will need to litigate in the event compensation from company is inadequate

# ISC Supports to First Nations

Agreements

Services from GOA

NSMP/FireSmart

Preparedness Funding for  
Nations/TCs

Response  
and  
Recovery

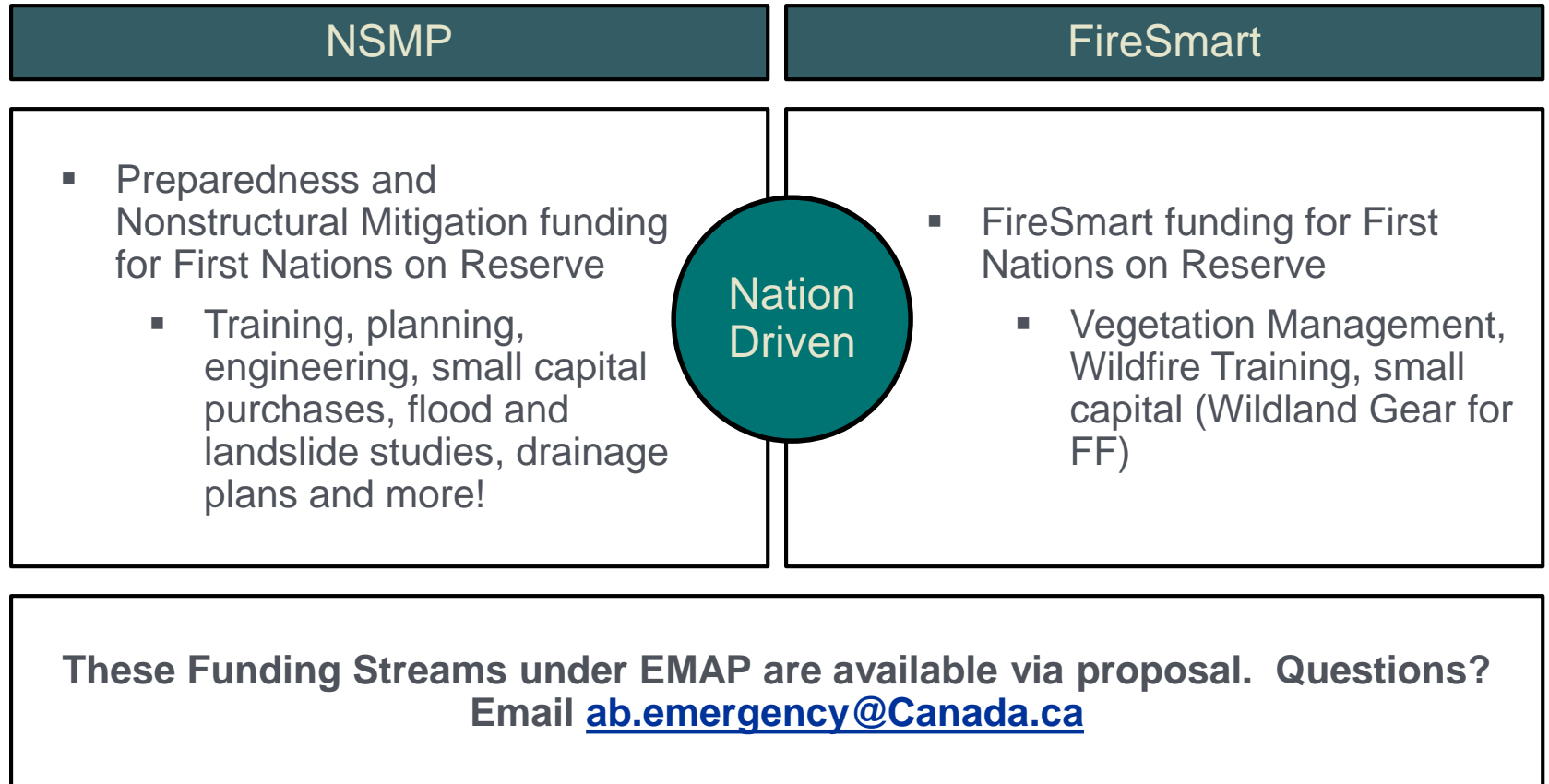
Funding for Incremental Costs  
For Nations

# The Agreements



*Alberta*   
*Alberta Emergency  
Management Agency*

# NSMP and FireSmart



# Response and Recovery

## Response

### Response funding

- Paid to Nations and additional responding partners through agreements
- Based on [Terms and Conditions of EMAP](#)
- Provincial comparability

## Recovery

### Recovery funding

- Paid to Nations and additional responding partners through agreements
- Based on Terms and Conditions of EMAP
- Provincial comparability
- Mitigation enhancements through [Building Back Better](#)

## ISC Role

ISC provides reporting on events to HQ, and information on eligibility to Nations and responding partners. ISC is the lead for recovery eligibility and program interpretation for events in Alberta



# ISC's Role in EM in Alberta

## Funding

- Provide funding for all EM Activities to support First Nations on Reserve – Past, Present and Future
- Mandated Service Turnover – ongoing to future

## Reporting

To HQ – Per  
Emergency  
Management Act

To Nations – On  
eligibility and  
supports

To GOA – Projects  
supported through  
NSMP/FireSmart

To all – how we are  
working towards  
seeing EM change in  
Alberta to better  
support Nations

All EM Decisions are made by Chief and Council.

ISC provides funding and recovery coordination.



# Questions?



Siksika Nation – 2013 Flood  
Image from Global News