

Secretariat to the Cree Nation – Abitibi-
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The Department of Commerce & Industry and the Cree Economies

- Serving 10 Cree communities and 20 000 Crees
- Implementation of agreements
- Support of local visions and aspirations
- Funding, logistical support and accompaniment
- Areas of focus:
 - Natural Resources & Territorial Programs
 - Cree Corporations & Organizations
 - Cooperative & Sustainable Economies
 - Major & Strategic Projects
 - Access and Management of Information



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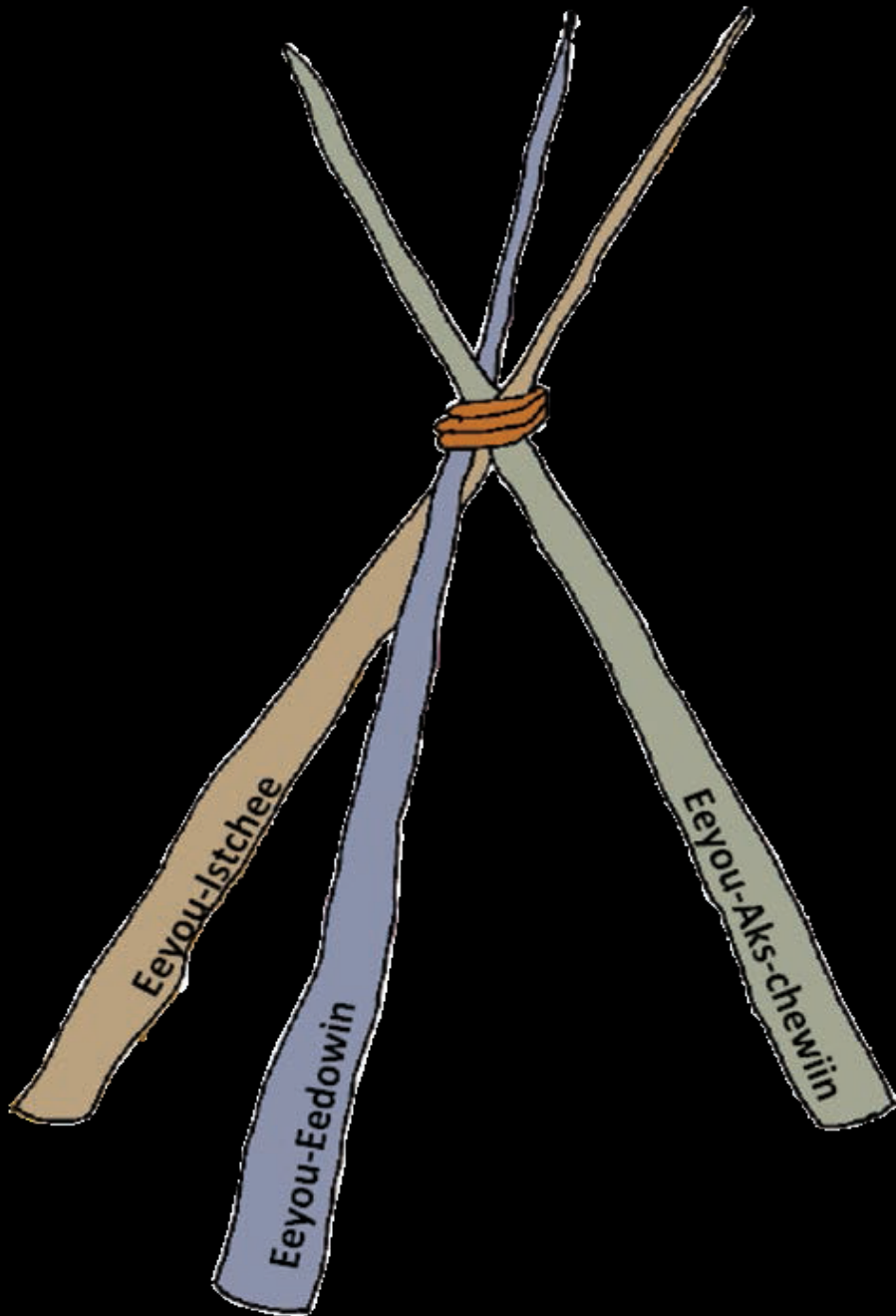
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Strategic Poles

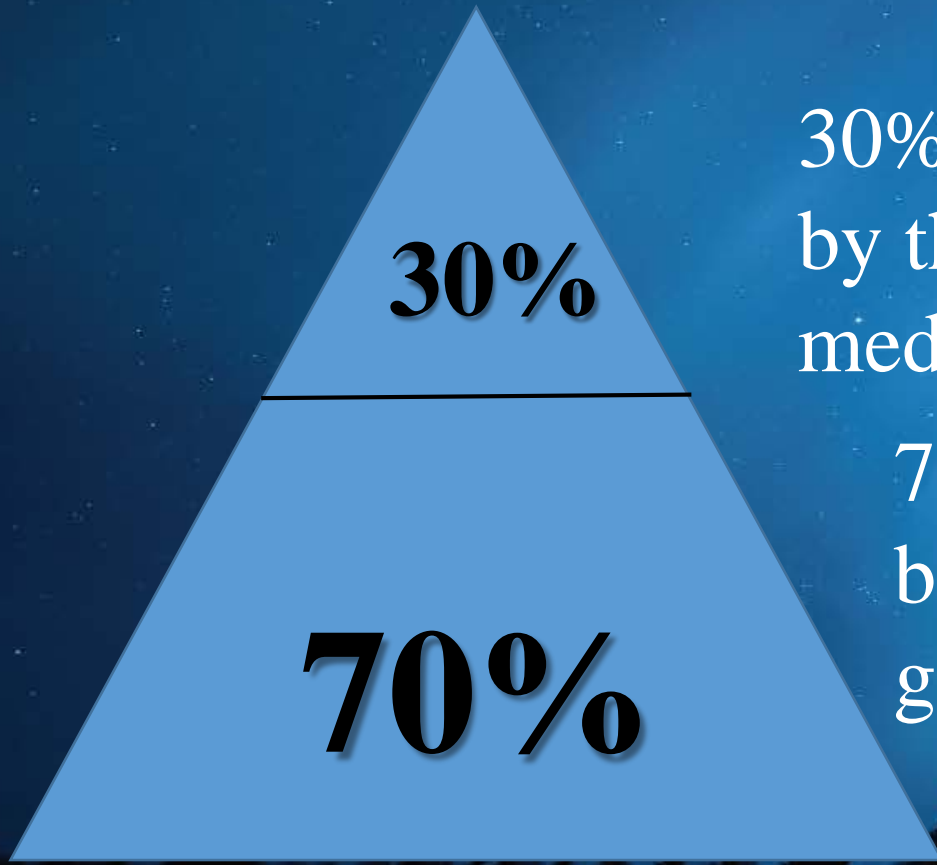
Eeyou Istchee – The land and its people

Eeyou Eedowin – The Cree way of doing and seeing

Eeyou Aks-chewiin – The Cree sense of innovation and adapting



The Economic Pyramid in Eeyou Istchee



30% of economic activity is generated by the private sector (mostly small and medium businesses)

70% of economic activity is generated by the public sector (Cree governments, organizations, entities)



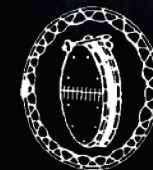
Our Goal

30%

30% of economic activity to be driven by government services

70%

70% of economic activity to be driven by private business



How?

Measuring projects by how they contribute to the third economic sector (sustainable and cooperative economies)

Circular Economies based on regional and local capacities and complimentaries

Key Projects & Issues

Housing Strategy

Implementation of JBNQA (Section 28) and Paix des Braves

Major Projects

Cree Story

Capacity

Mutual Growth



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