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# IHS Strategic Plan FY 2018-2022

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ALL TRIBES AND URBAN INDIAN ORGANIZATION LEADERS CALL

JULY 24, 2018

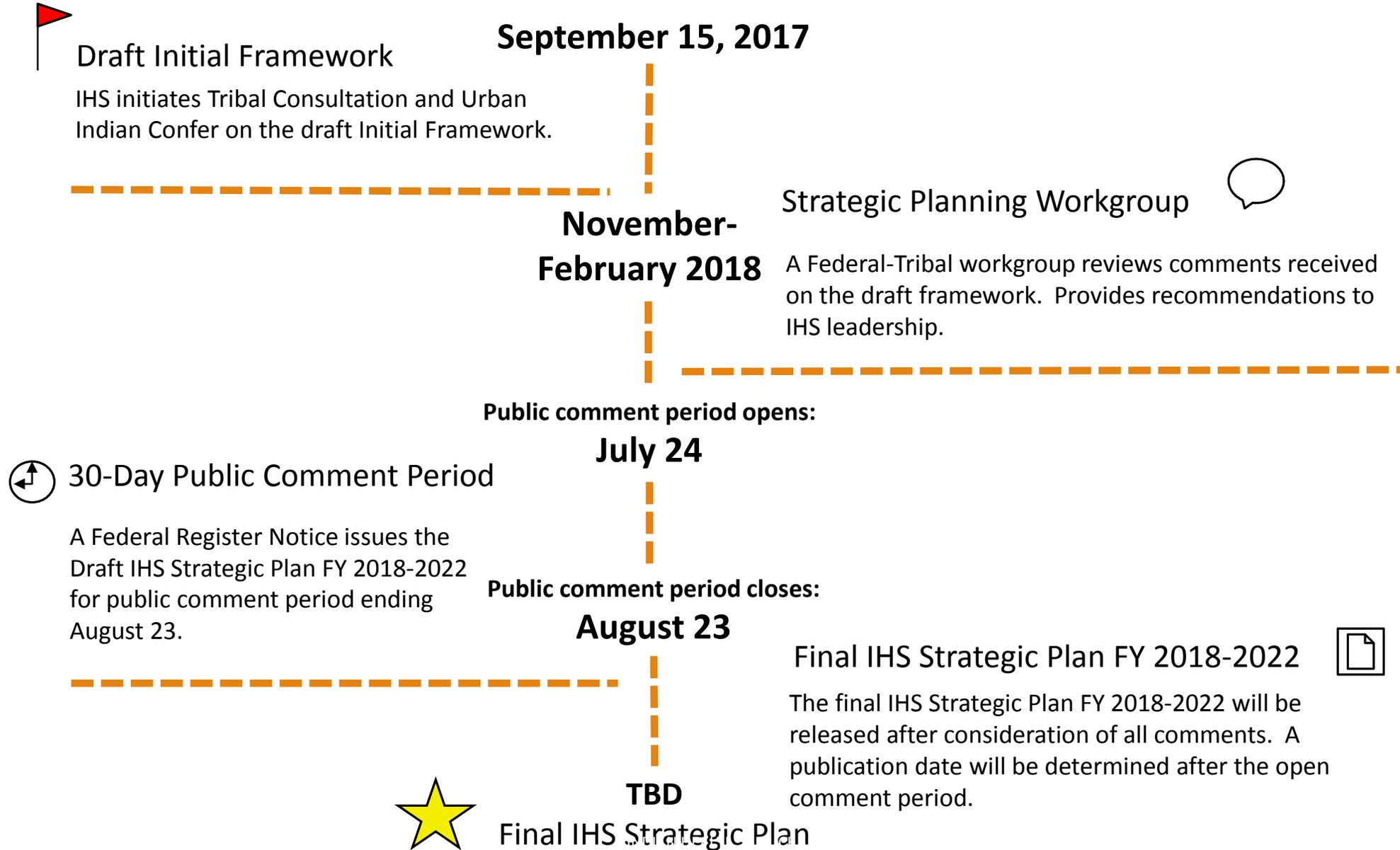
# 30-day Public Comment Period

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- Federal Register Notice dated July 24
  - <https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2018/07/24/2018-15740/draft-indian-health-service-strategic-plan-fiscal-year-2018-2022>
- Dear Tribal Leader and Urban Indian Organization Leader Letter Issued
  - <https://www.ihs.gov/newsroom/triballeaderletters/>
  - <https://www.ihs.gov/newsroom/urbanleaderletters/>
- Urban Indian Confer – Friday, August 3
- Tribal Consultation – Monday, August 6
- Comment period closes Thursday, August 23



# IHS Strategic Plan Timeline



# What's New?

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- Vision Statement
- Goal Explanations
- Objective Explanations
- Strategies



# Framework Definitions

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## **Mission**

Defines who we are, what drives us

## **Vision**

Where we see ourselves in the distant future (5-20 years)

## **Goals**

Broad Initiatives that enable the plan's mission to be realized

## **Objectives**

Changes, outcomes, and impact a plan is trying to achieve

## **Strategies**

Related activities to fulfill strategic objectives



# Draft Mission and Vision Statements

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- **Mission** - To raise the physical, mental, social and spiritual health of American Indians and Alaska Natives to the highest level.
- **Vision** - Healthy communities and quality health care systems through strong partnerships and culturally relevant practices.



# Draft IHS Strategic Plan – Goal 1

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**GOAL 1: To ensure that comprehensive, culturally acceptable personal and public health services are available and accessible to American Indian and Alaska Native people.**

Objective 1.1 Recruit, develop, and retain a dedicated, competent, caring workforce.

- Health Care Recruitment and Retention (7 strategies)
- Staff Capacity Building (5 strategies)

Objective 1.2 Build, strengthen, and sustain collaborative relationships.

- Enhancing Collaboration (3 strategies)
- Service Expansion (2 strategies)

Objective 1.3 Increase access to quality health care services.

- Health Care Service Access Expansion (11 strategies)
- Facilities and Locations (3 strategies)

# Draft IHS Strategic Plan – Goal 2

**GOAL 2: To promote excellence and quality through innovation of the Indian health system into an optimally performing organization.**

Objective: 2.1 Create quality improvement capability at all levels of the organization.

- Quality Data (3 strategies)
- Continuous Quality Improvement (2 strategies)
- Standards of Care (3 strategies)

Objective: 2.2 Provide care to better meet the health care needs of Indian communities.

- Culturally Appropriate Care (5 strategies)
- Sharing Best Practices (1 strategy)



# Draft IHS Strategic Plan – Goal 3

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## **GOAL 3: To strengthen IHS program management and operations.**

Objective 3.1 Improve communication within the organization, with Tribes and other stakeholders, and with the general public.

- Communication Improvements (4 strategies)
- Strengthened Partnership (2 strategies)

Objective 3.2 Secure and effectively manage assets and resources.

- Infrastructure, Capacity, and Sustainability (4 strategies)
- Improved Business Process (5 strategies)
- Patient Education and Resources (1 strategy)

Objective 3.3 Modernize information technology and information systems to support data driven decisions.

- Health Information Technology (5 strategies)
- Data Process (4 strategies)

# Next Steps

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- Virtual Town Hall Sessions

## Urban Indian Confer

Date: Friday, August 3

Time: 2:00-3:30pm (ET)

Call in: (888) 790-1920

Passcode: 7577474

Webinar link:

<https://ihs.adobeconnect.com/rx416iqrddn7/>

Webinar passcode: ihs123

## Tribal Consultation

Date: Monday, August 6

Time: 2:00-3:30pm (ET)

Call in: (877) 716-4289

Passcode: 5475675

Webinar link:

<https://ihs.adobeconnect.com/rx416iqrddn7/>

Webinar passcode: ihs123

- Review Comments Received by Thursday, August 23
- Finalize Plan and Respond to FRN Comments

# Written Comments

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- Federal Register:

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# For More Information

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- For updates: IHS Strategic Plan web site
  - <https://www.ihs.gov/strategicplan/>
- Upcoming Meetings: IHS Event Calendar
  - <https://www.ihs.gov/ihscaledar/>
- Questions: Email the IHS Strategic Plan team
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