

DEH CHO FIRST NATIONS
Leadership Assembly, 97 JAN 27-31
Deh Gáh Goḡíę Kóé, Denendeh

Leadership Resolutions

97JAN-#02 Re. Follow-up to Special Assembly — Negotiating Strategies

WHEREAS the Leadership of the Deh Cho First Nations needs to implement the Resolution approved by 118 delegates at the Special Assembly —

THEREFORE, by our inherent right to govern ourselves, the Leadership resolves to implement the following plan to develop strategies for negotiating self-government under the inherent right:

- <1> selecting a small group including the Ottawa delegation to meet in February and develop this plan
- <2> having this small group discuss and develop:
 - the process and potential time lines for these negotiations
 - strategic, technical, and administrative roles and responsibilities for preparing, presenting, and reporting on negotiating positions
 - appropriate flows of information to maintain confidentiality of negotiating positions but to keep membrs informed
 - budget proposals to match the potential time lines (two to three years)
- <3> having this small group present their suggested plan at the spring DCFN Leadership meeting

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Carried by Consensus