

Pan-Canadian Digital Trust and Credentials Program

Update

February 22, 2023

Recap

Pan-Canadian Digital Trust & Identity: Key Deliverables

1. A “Declaration 2.0” → “Joint Statement”
2. Shared (shareable) narrative
3. Participatory demonstration/experience
4. Advancing the ongoing collaboration of jurisdictional implementation teams to ensure alignment and compatibility
5. Advancing small and medium size jurisdictions
6. Advancing municipalities (not yet in scope)

- JC-JEDI advised against building a speculative plan and proposed funding for everything that could be required over an extended multi-year timeline.
- Therefore this plan involves adding capabilities to ICCS Pan-Canadian Digital Trust & Identity in response to needs that are known or are reasonably foreseeable over 12-24 months.
- Members could consider this a type of pilot as a way to acknowledge the inherent uncertainty.

Components of Expanded ICCS Team

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FPT Secretariat and Communications

- Secretariat FPT Deputies Table, FPT Ministers Table
- Joint Statement and Shared (sharable) Narrative
- PMO for Digital Trust & Identity Program

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Support for Aligned Collaboration of Jurisdictional Implementation Teams

- Interoperable demonstrations, working examples to support Joint Statement and Shared Narrative
- Alignment and compatibility via supports and services that collaborating jurisdictional implementation teams need
- Paves the path for adding and assisting other jurisdictions as they become ready

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Preliminary Support for Small and Medium Size Jurisdictions

- Early stage needs assessment
- Assistance with developing approvals, demonstration use-cases etc.
- Skills and knowledge transfer, alignment of plans and compatible designs
- *This would only be a small smart towards assisting these jurisdictions. NOT a comprehensive response.*

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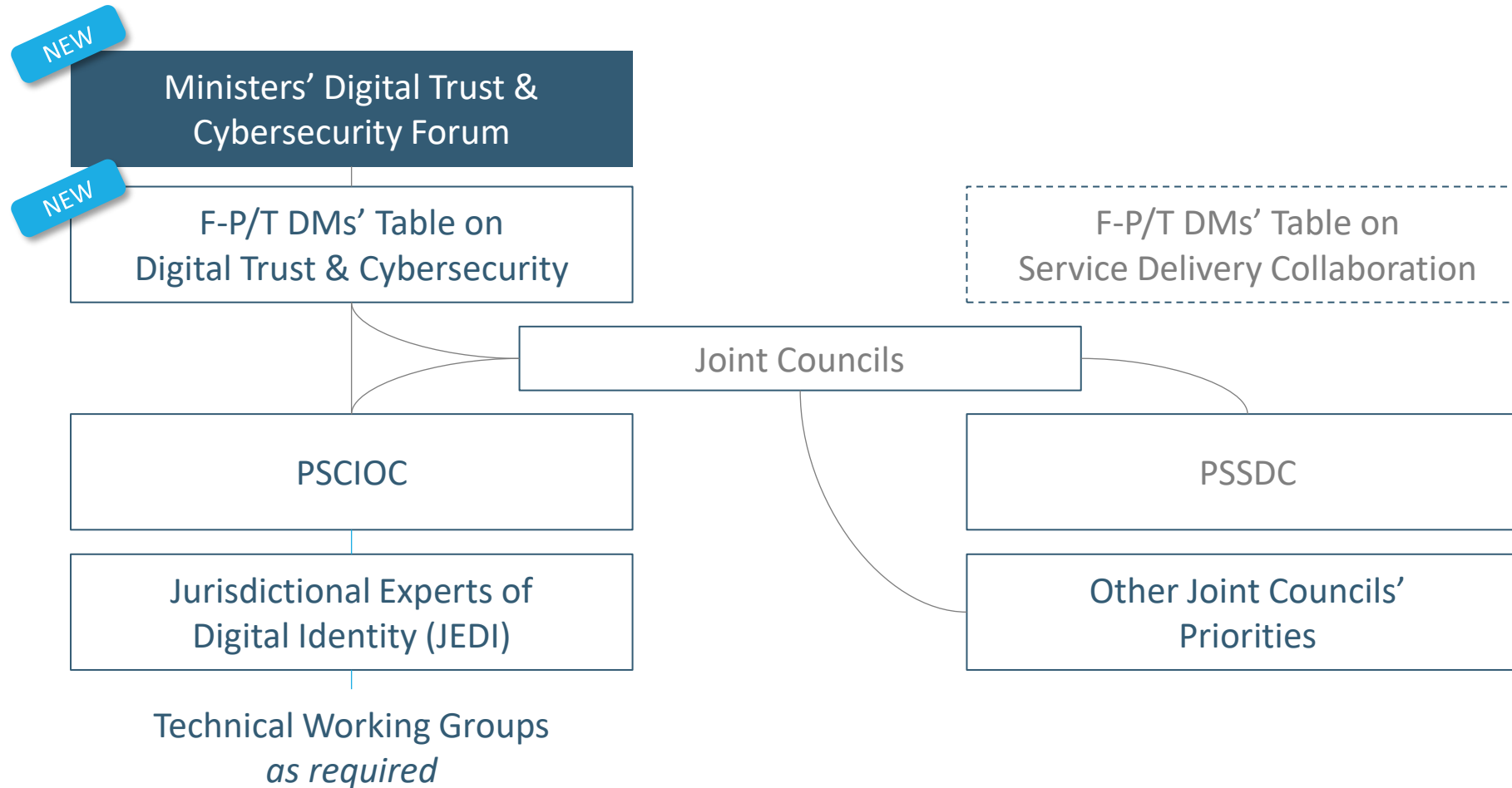
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Members of the Joint Councils supported, in principle:

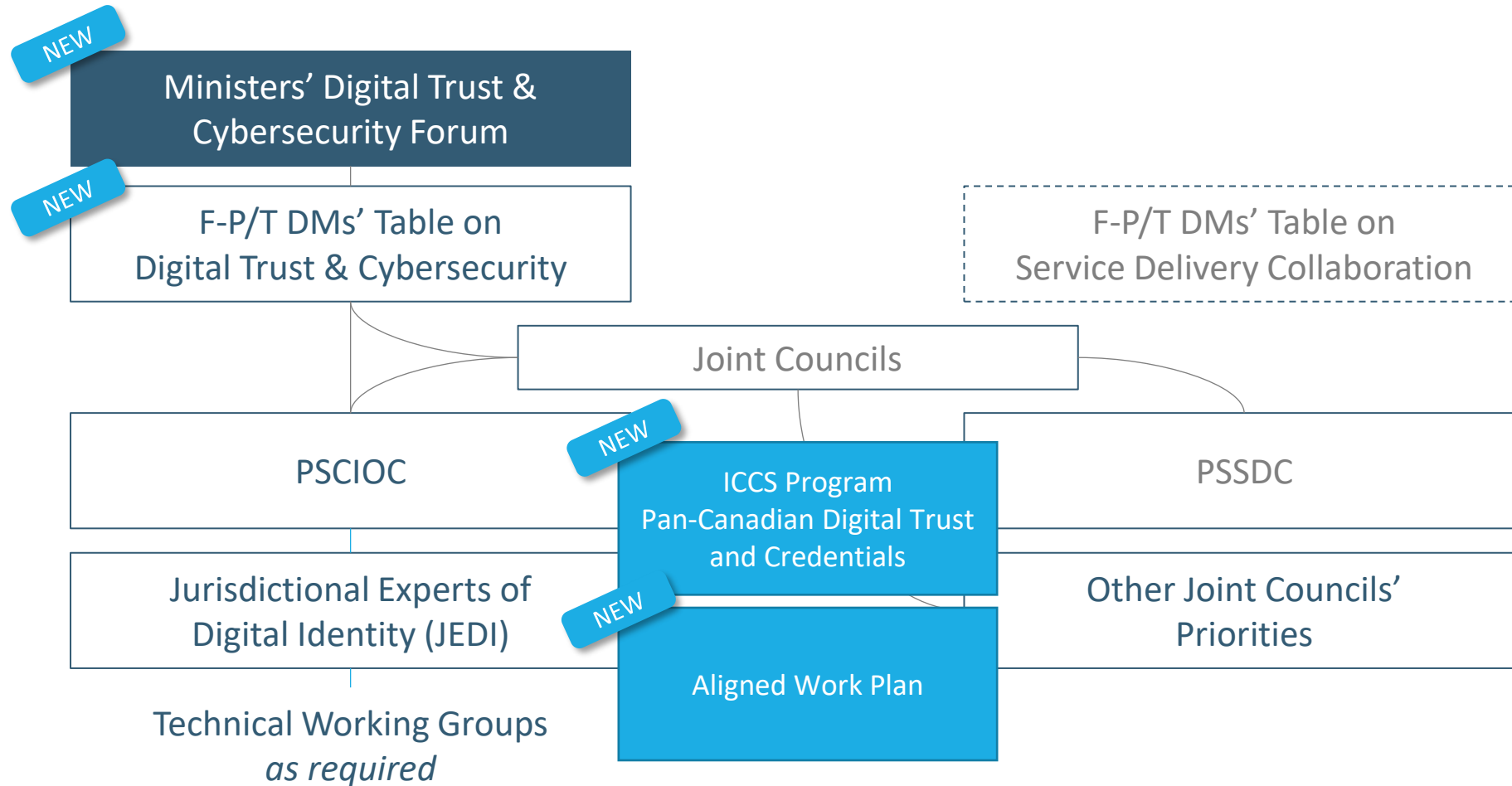
- A. The need for the three components
- B. The elements of the components
- C. The approach for distribution of the required funding

From January Symposium in Vancouver

How This All Fits



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Pan-Canadian Digital Trust and Credentials Program

Better Together *(shorter timelines, less cost, create value for Citizens)*

Each Jurisdiction independently has a program with workplans & deliverables

Jurisdictional Digital Trust & Credential Service Initiatives

ICCS Program Pan-Canadian Digital Trust and Credentials

Mission: **Support** the accelerated and compatible implementation of digital credentials across participating jurisdictions for the sake of enabling safe and trusted ways for citizens to interact digitally.

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Immediate Next Steps

Secure funding per the Joint Councils agreement

Design program and establish core team

- Formalize program management, governance and oversight considering digital trust ecosystem
- Establish ICCS FPTM Secretariat
- Establish outcomes and related workplan (Now, Next, Later)
- Identify and target key roles and other essential capabilities that are needed ASAP

Priorities for next 6 months

- Establish funding per the JC's agreement in principle to do so
- Design program and establish core team
- Scoping, Planning & Activities related to:
 - Communications and stakeholder engagement
 - Ongoing support for teams that are already collaborating in their implementations
 - The startup team to focus on small and medium size jurisdictions

Goal: Complete in time for September Symposium

Asks

- Advance funding as per Joint Council agreement in Sept 2022
- Support if/when asked for help to resource teams with dedicated appropriate resources
- Continued support for engagement through JEDI on advancement of pan-Canadian efforts.

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