

**Comprehensive Review – DUCC National Gathering Responses
May 2015**

Affirmations:

- *Chasing the Spirit* – Affirm recommendation #1
 - More dreaming and accomplishing of mission(s)
- *Aboriginal ministries* – Affirm recommendation #2
- *Three Council Model of Governance* – Implement recommendation #3 in a timely manner.
 - More nimble – less levels for permission
- *A College of Ministers*– purpose is to “protect the public”
- *An Association of Ministers*– purpose is to “support”
- *Funding New Model* – Affirm recommendation #6 from a diaconal perspective

Concerns:

- More clarity about assessment –Both the national church and regional council can assess.
- Governance – will there be recommendations provided to L.C. of faith?
- Accountability – the college of ministers. Who? Where? Paid?
- Not bold enough – shuffling chairs
- Confusion between a “college” and an “association”.
 - Need clarity on the purpose and accountability of recommendation of #4
 - Try #5 *An Association of Ministers* – DUCC already exists for Diaconal Ministers