



PD&G Committee: Priorities Report

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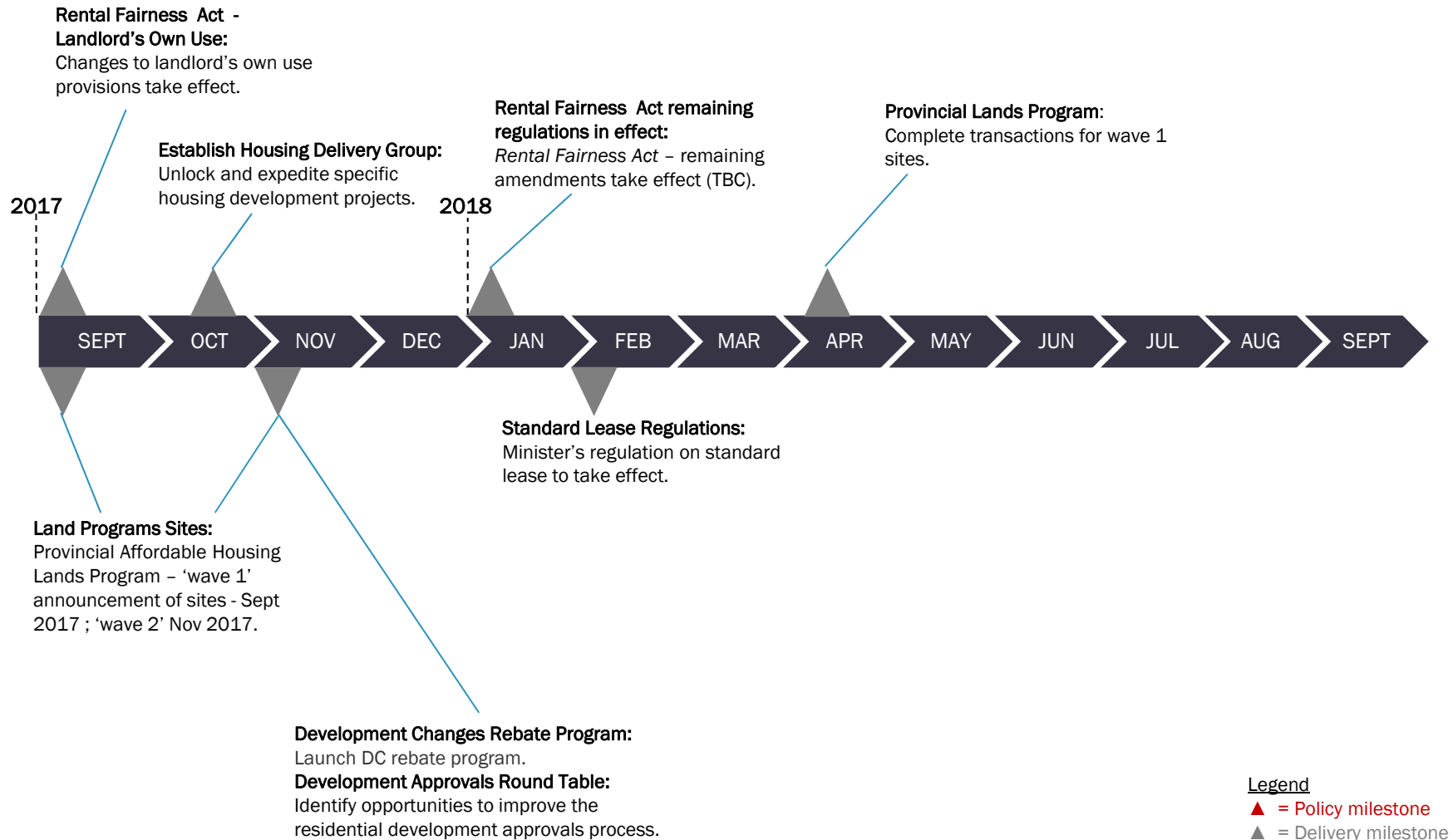
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1. Helping You and Your Family

Priority: Fair Housing Plan

Key Activity: 4.51 | Housing Affordability

Pillar: Protecting Consumers

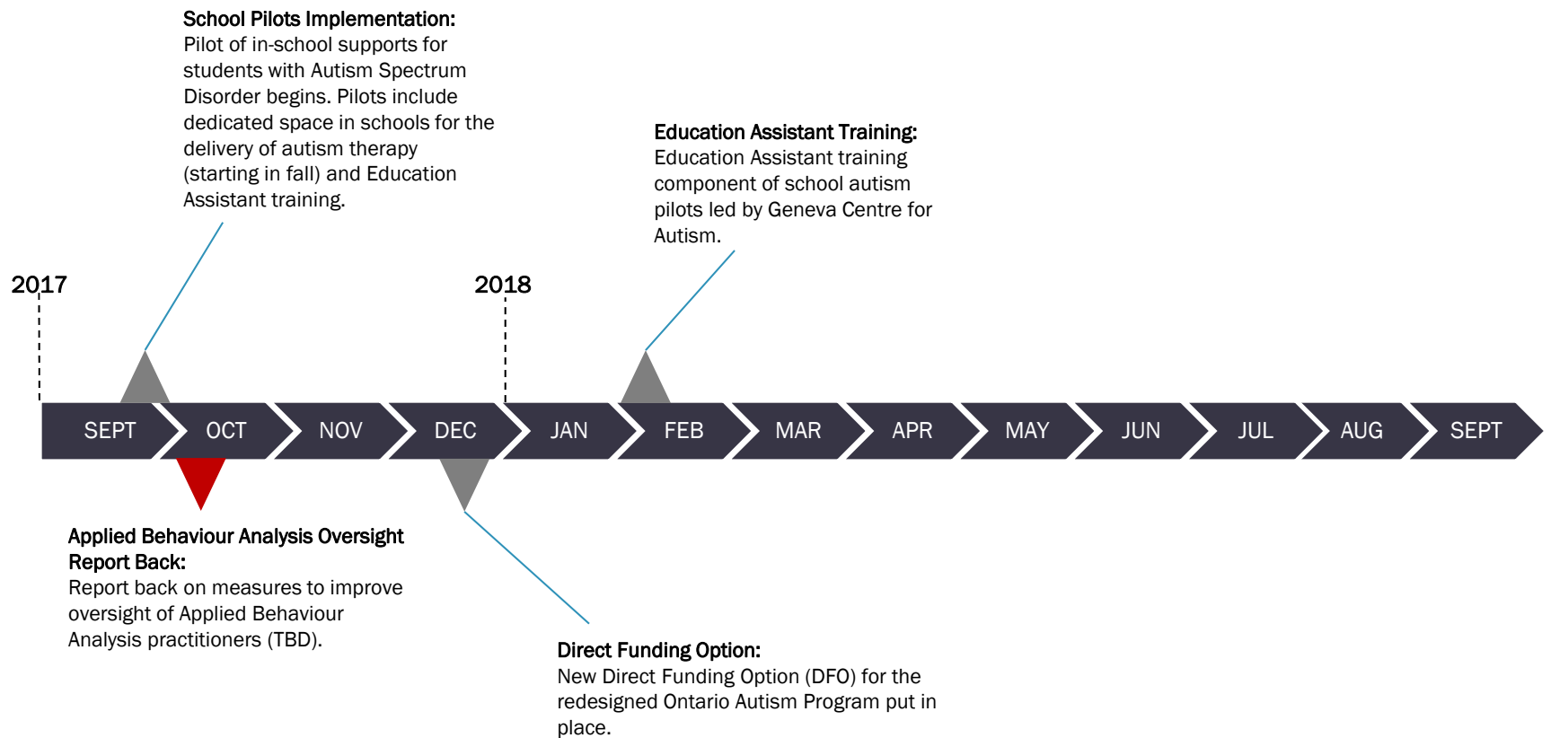


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Priority: Autism

Key Activity: 4.63 | Ontario Autism Program

Pillar: Supporting Children with Complex Needs



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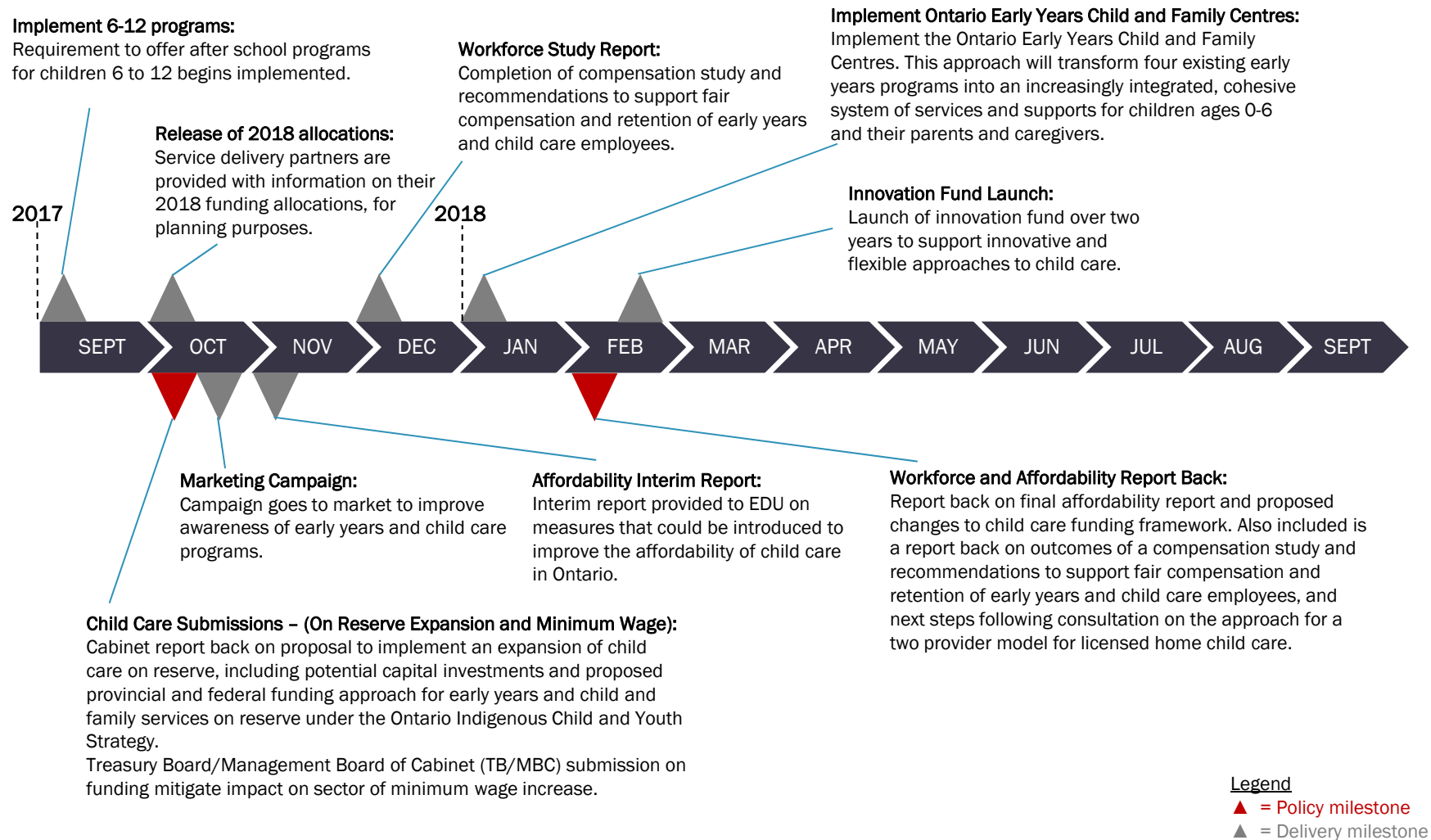
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Priority: Early Years and Child Care

Key Activity: 4.67 | Early Years and Child Care Plan

Pillar: Supporting Children with Complex Needs

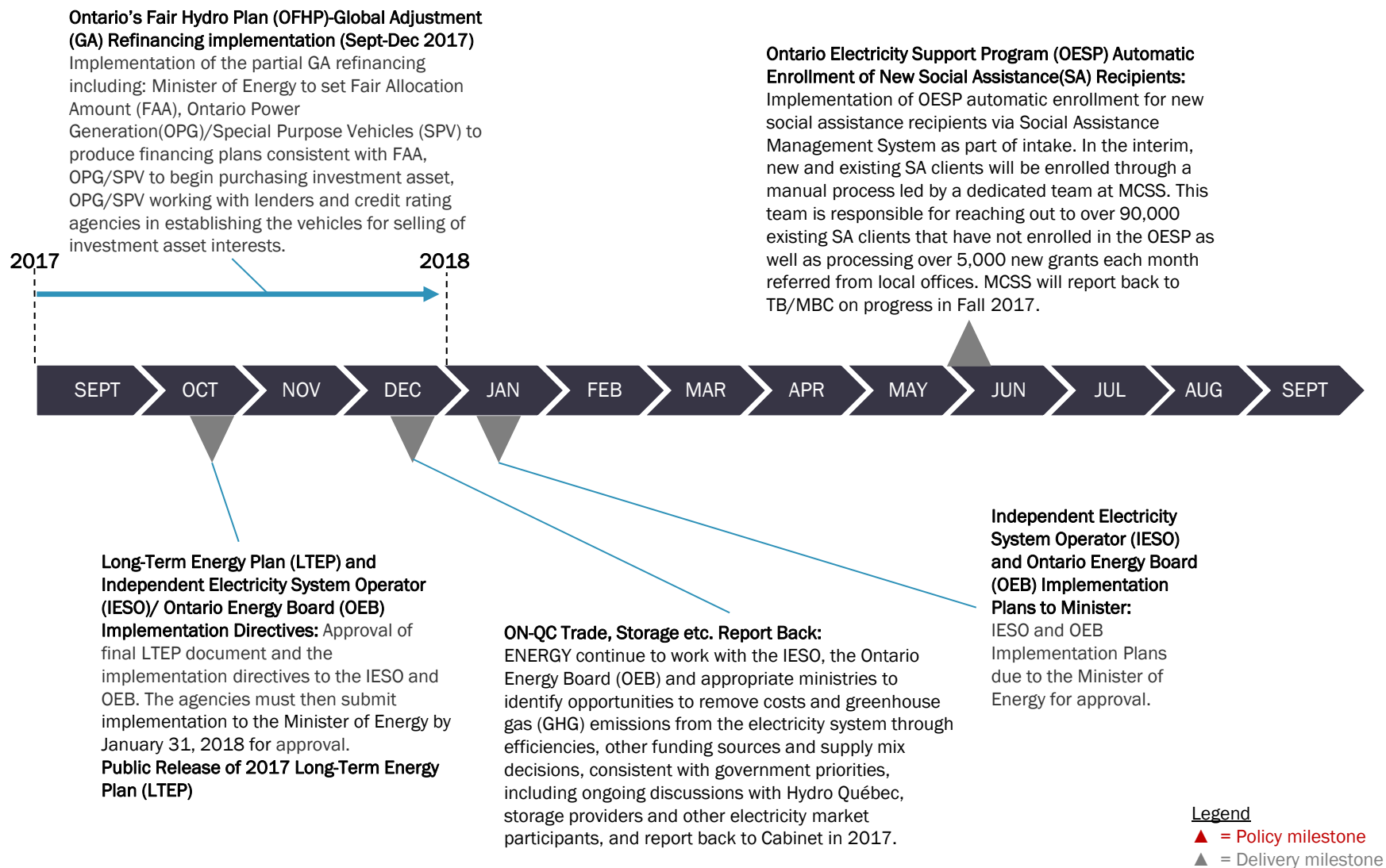


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Priority: Ontario's Fair Hydro Plan/The 2017 Long-Term Energy Plan

Key Activity: 15.11 | Long-Term Energy Plan (LTEP) and Related Initiatives, 15.21 | Ontario's Fair Hydro Plan

Pillar: Managing Ontario's Energy Resources

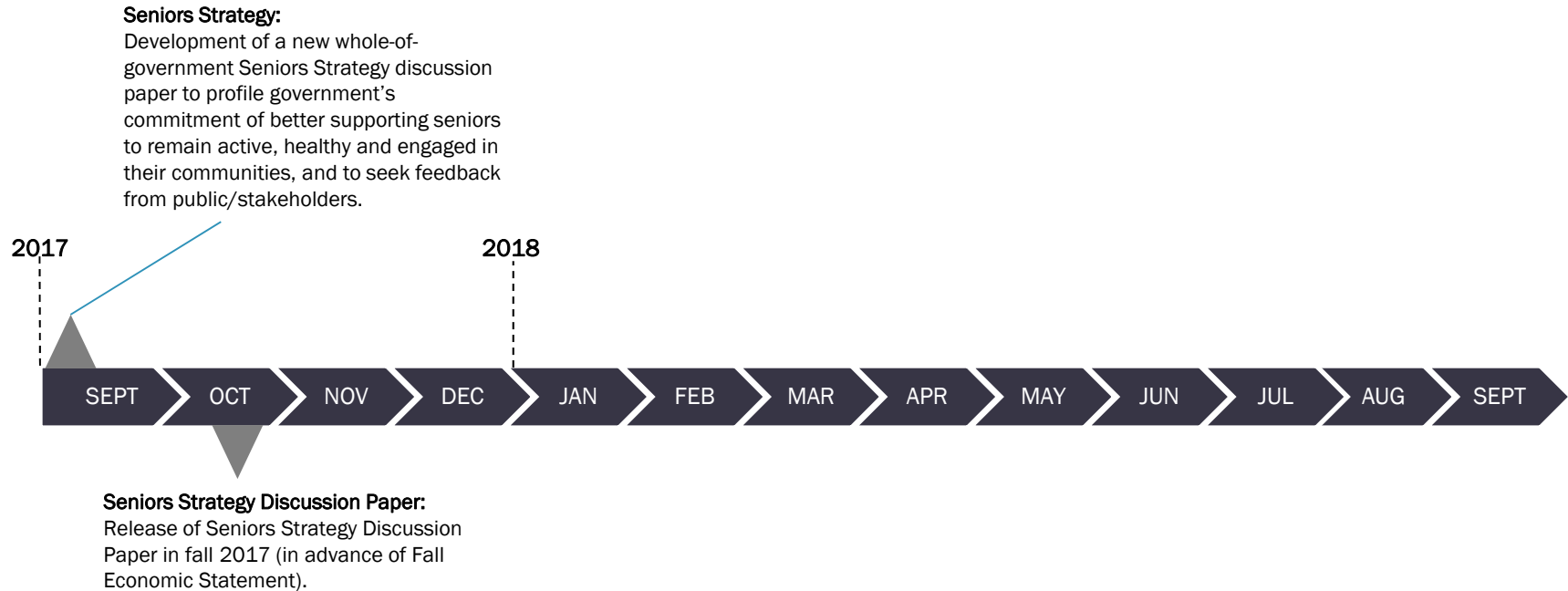


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Priority: Seniors Strategy/Long-Term Care

Key Activity: 4.27 | Promoting Healthy, Active and Engaged Seniors

Pillar: Supporting Senior's Health and Wellness

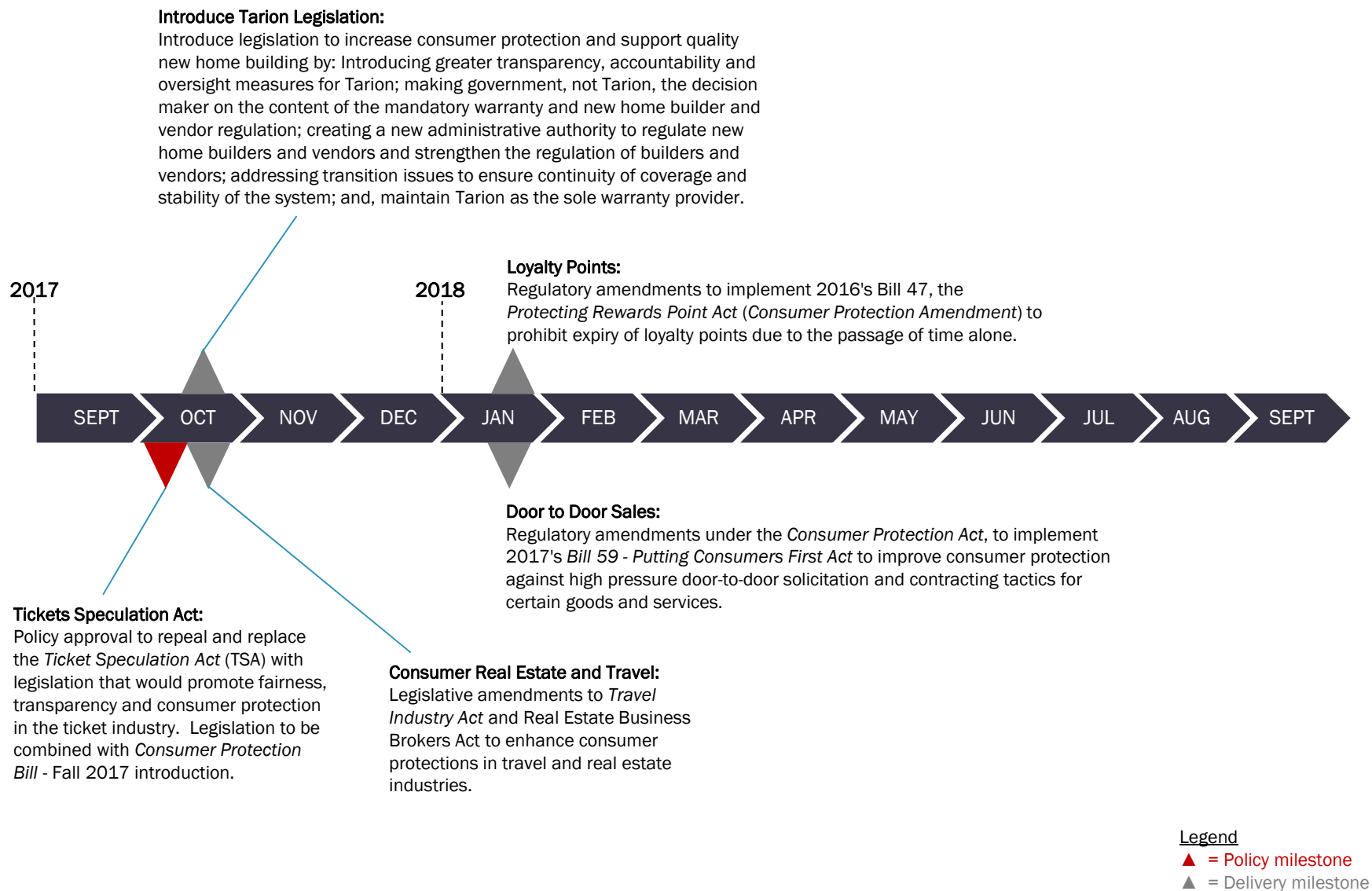


1. Helping You and Your Family

Priority: Consumer Protection

Key Activity: 4.52 | Enhancing Consumer Protections

Pillar: Protecting Consumers

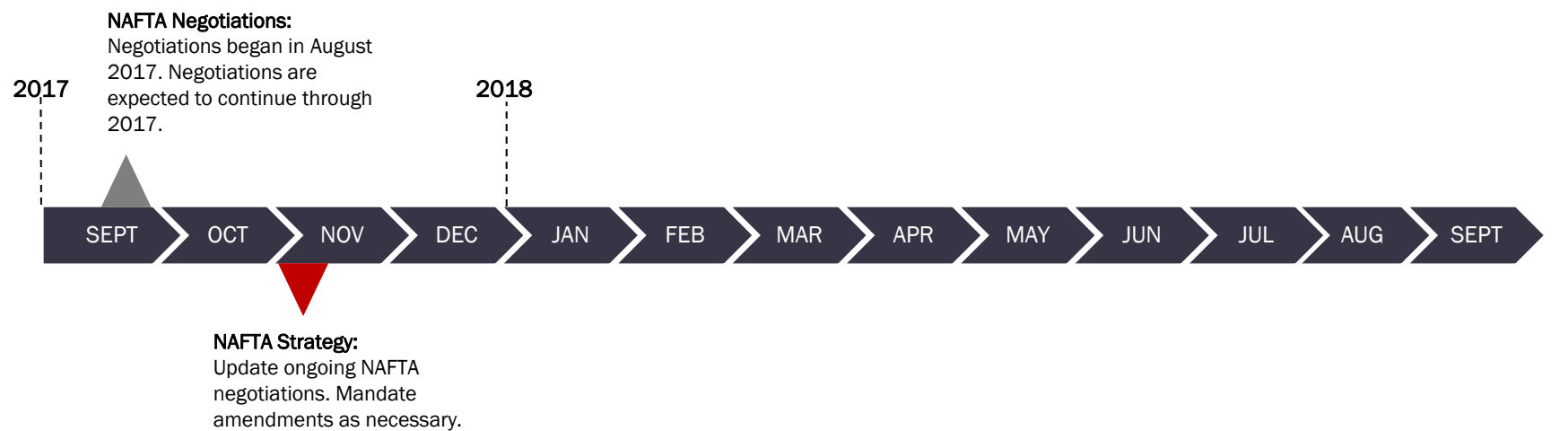


2. Creating Opportunities and Security/Investing in People and Jobs

Priority: NAFTA/Trade Issues

Key Activities: 1.11 | Trade Agreements and Measures (NAFTA), 1.12 | Global Trade Strategy

Pillar: Reducing Trade Barriers



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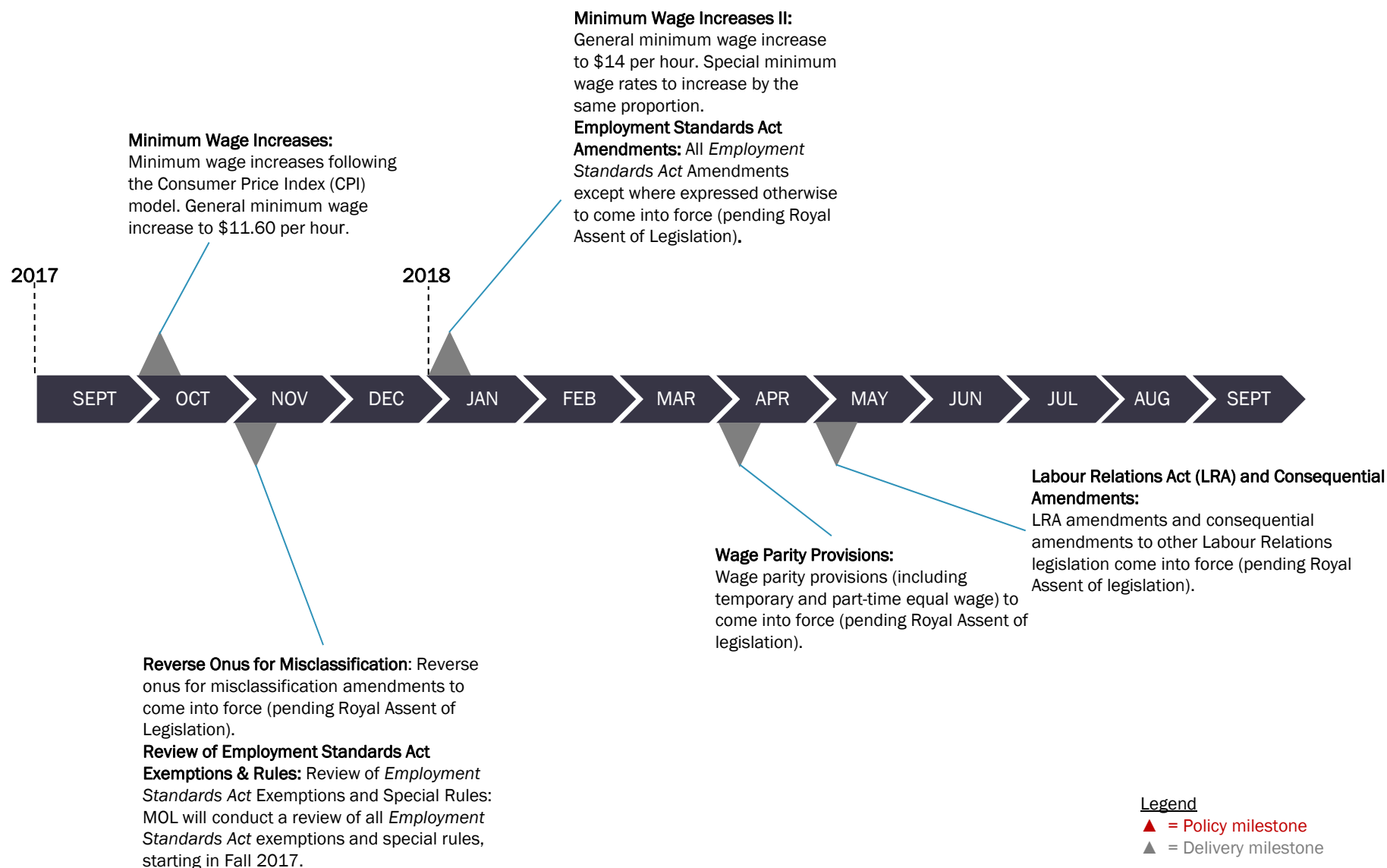
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2. Creating Opportunities and Security/Investing in People and Jobs

Priority: Fair Workplaces, Better Jobs

Key Activity: 4.45 | Changing Workplaces Review and Increasing Minimum Wage

Pillar: Labour Law Reform



2. Creating Opportunities and Security/Investing in People and Jobs

Priority: Small Business Strategy

Key Activity: 1.05 | Small Business Strategy (and Supporting Regional Communities)

Pillar: Strategic Partnerships



Small Business Strategy:

Supports to ensure continued vitality and inclusive growth of main street small business in Ontario. Targeting sectors with transitional support.

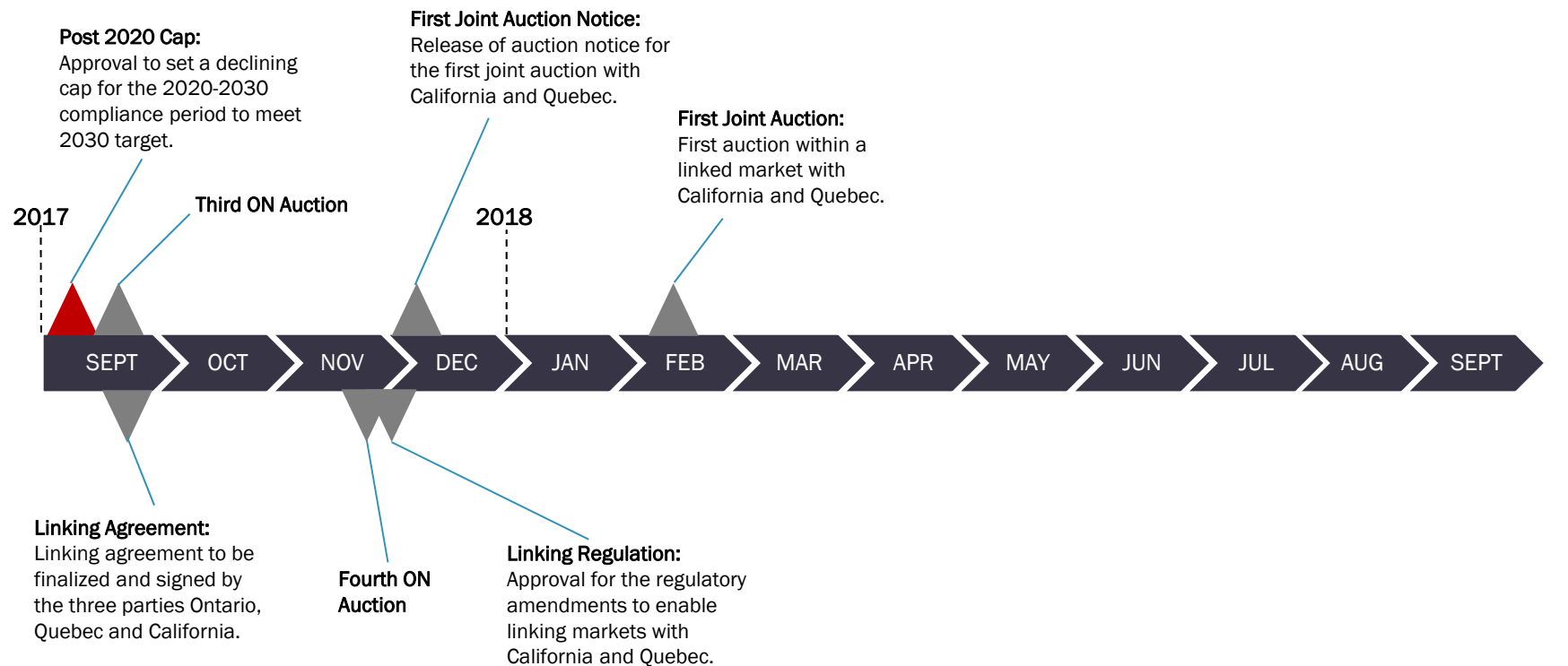
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Priority: Cap and Trade

Key Activity: 3.03 | Cap and Trade Program Pillar: Putting a Price on Carbon



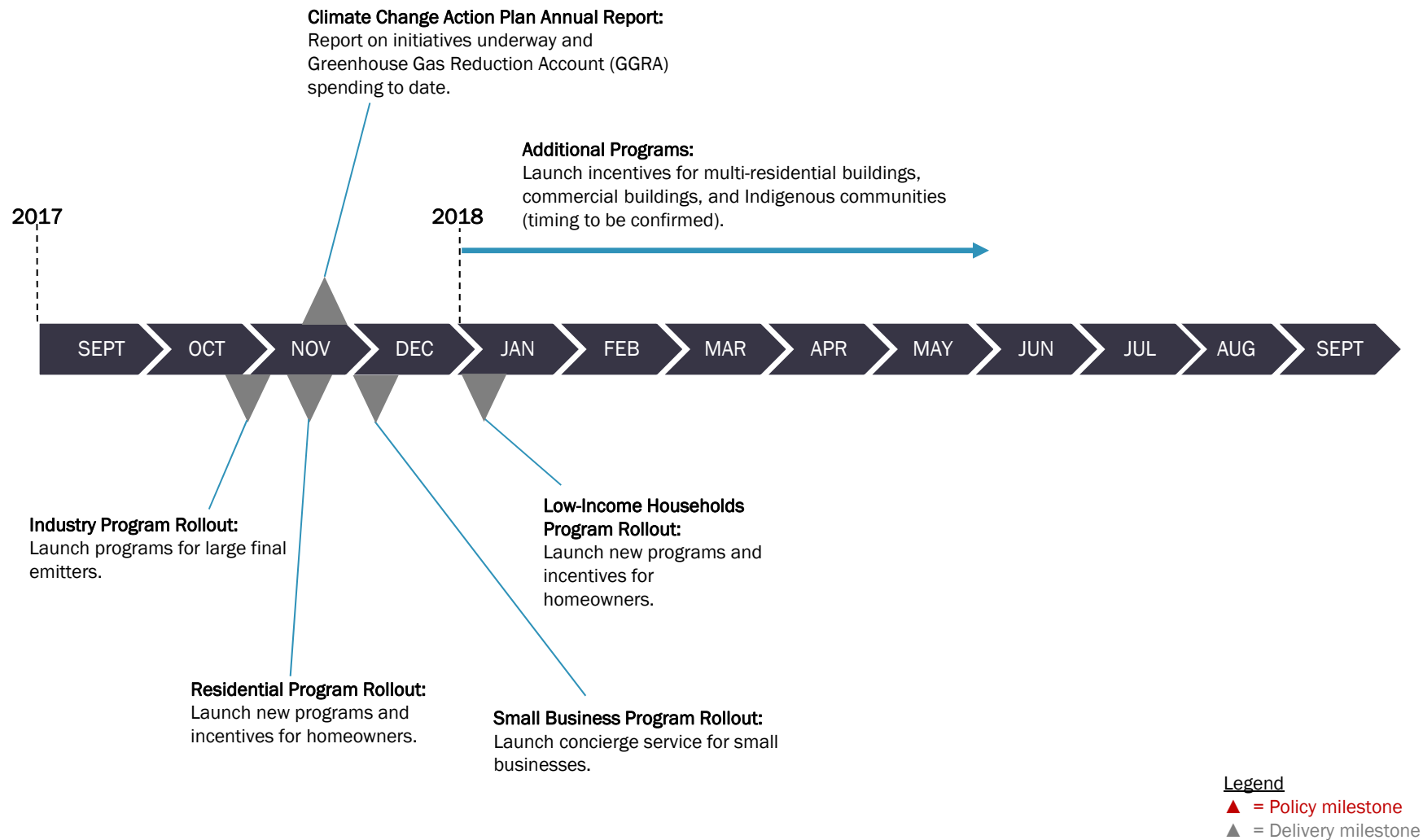
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Priority: Green ON and Climate Change Action Plan

Key Activity: 3.02 | Climate Change Action Plan and 3.13 | GreenON Pillar: Putting a Price on Carbon

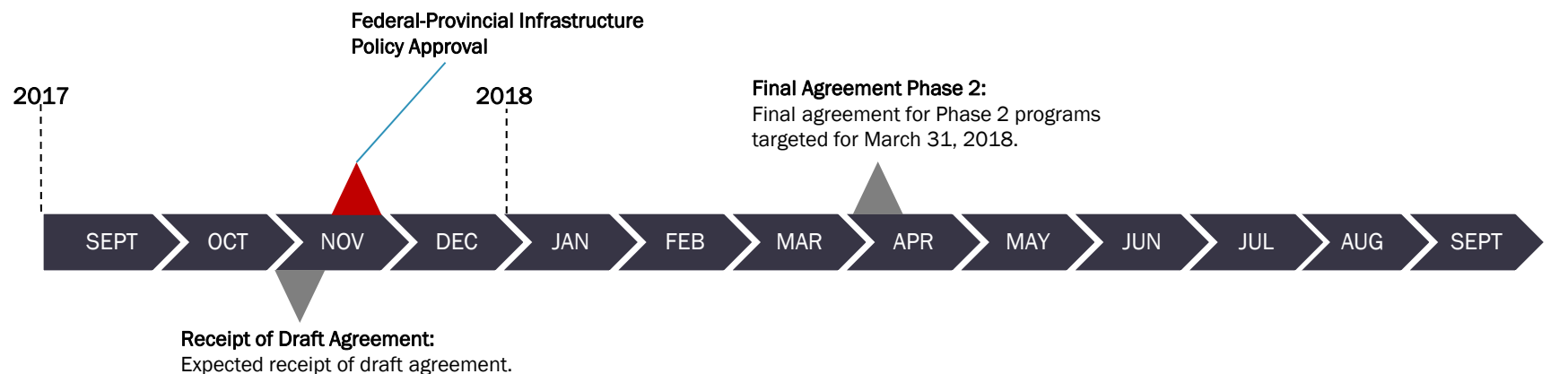


2. Creating Opportunities and Security/Investing in People and Jobs

Priority: Federal-Provincial Infrastructure

Key Activity: 13.10 | Federal-Provincial Infrastructure

Pillar: Infrastructure Plan



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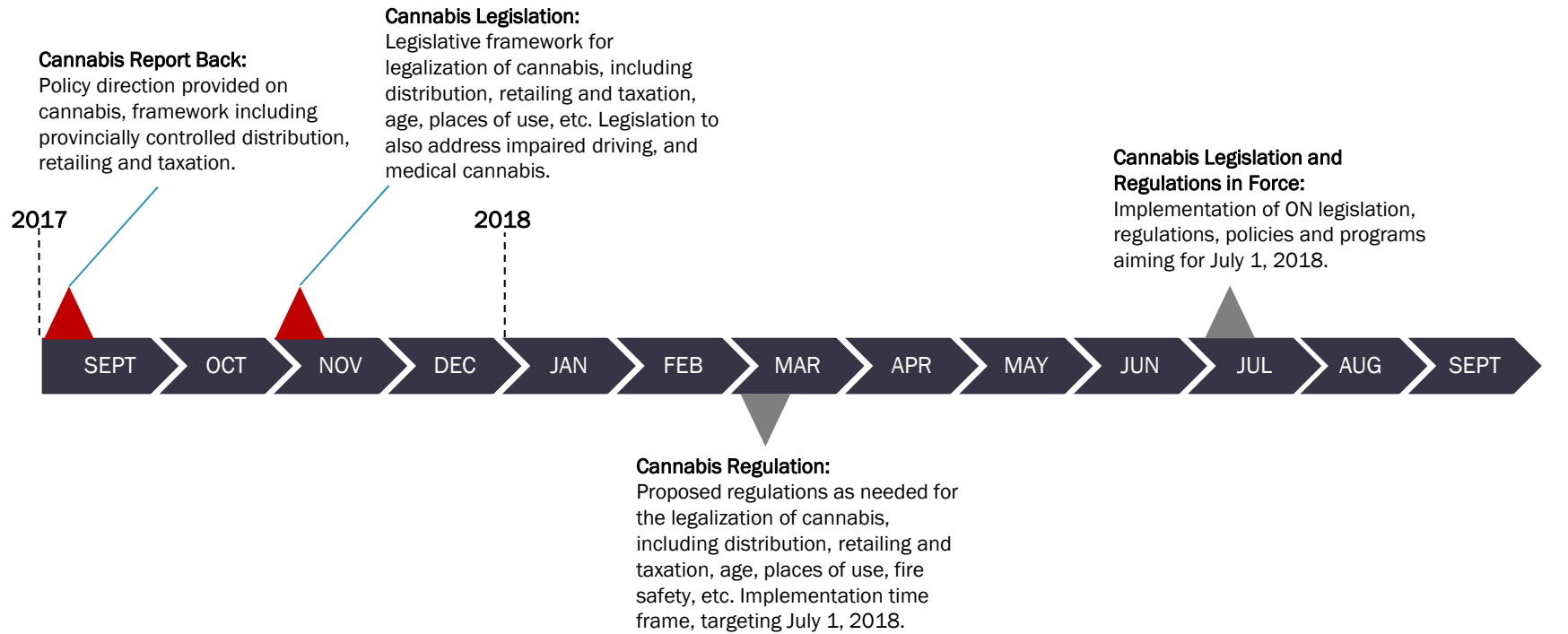
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Priority: Cannabis

Key Activity: 4.56 | Cannabis

Pillar: Safety and Access to Justice



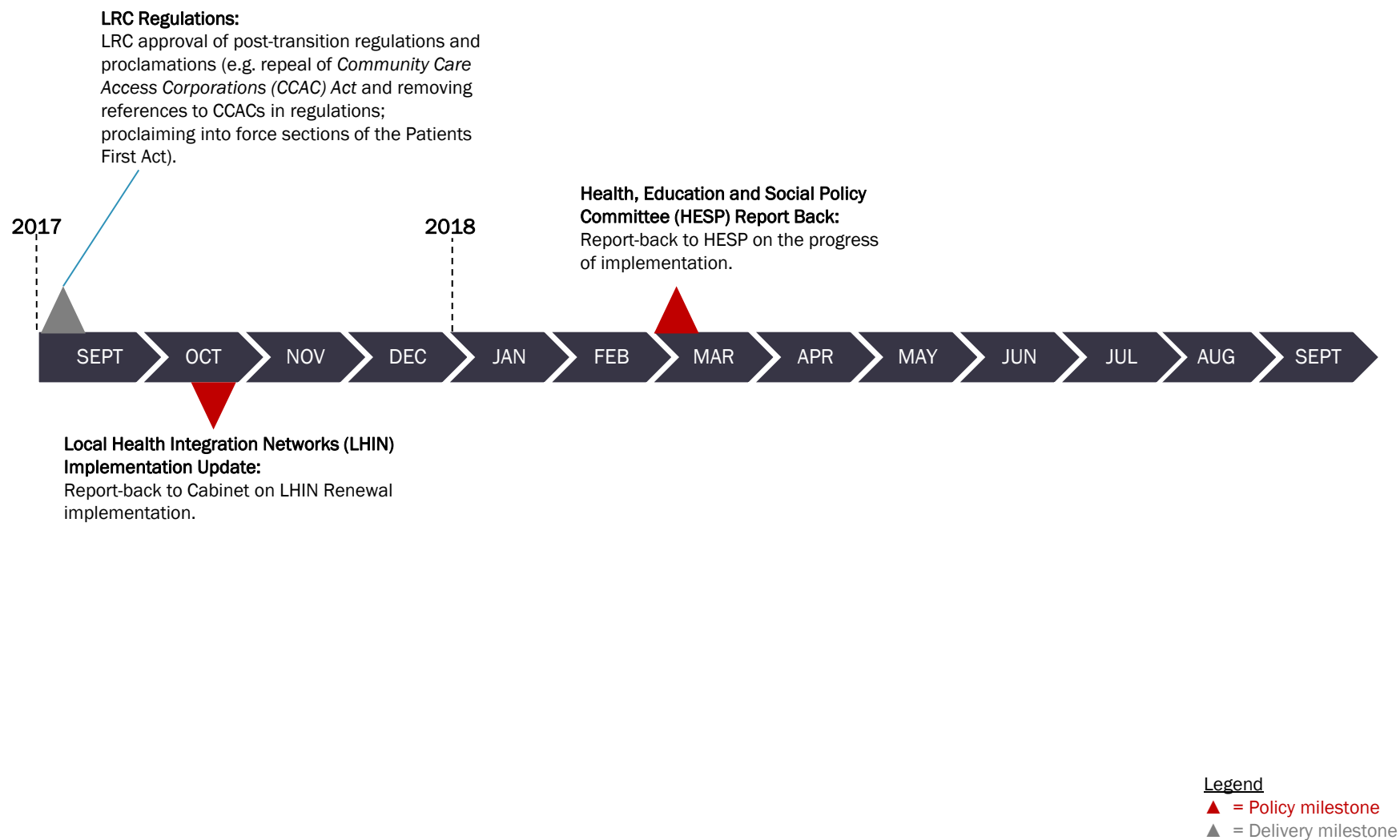
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3. Strengthening Health Care

Priority: LHIN Transformation

Key Activity: 7.02 | LHIN Transformation Pillar: Access: Provide Timely Access to the Right Care

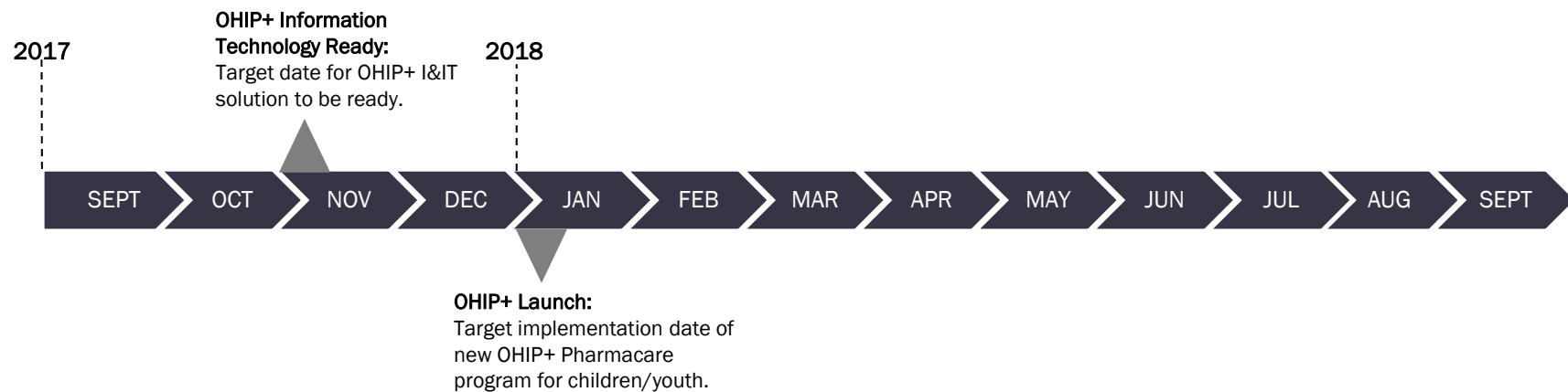


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Priority: OHIP+ and Other Public Drug Programs

Key Activity: 7.16 | OHIP+ and Other Drug Programs

Pillar: Other - Health



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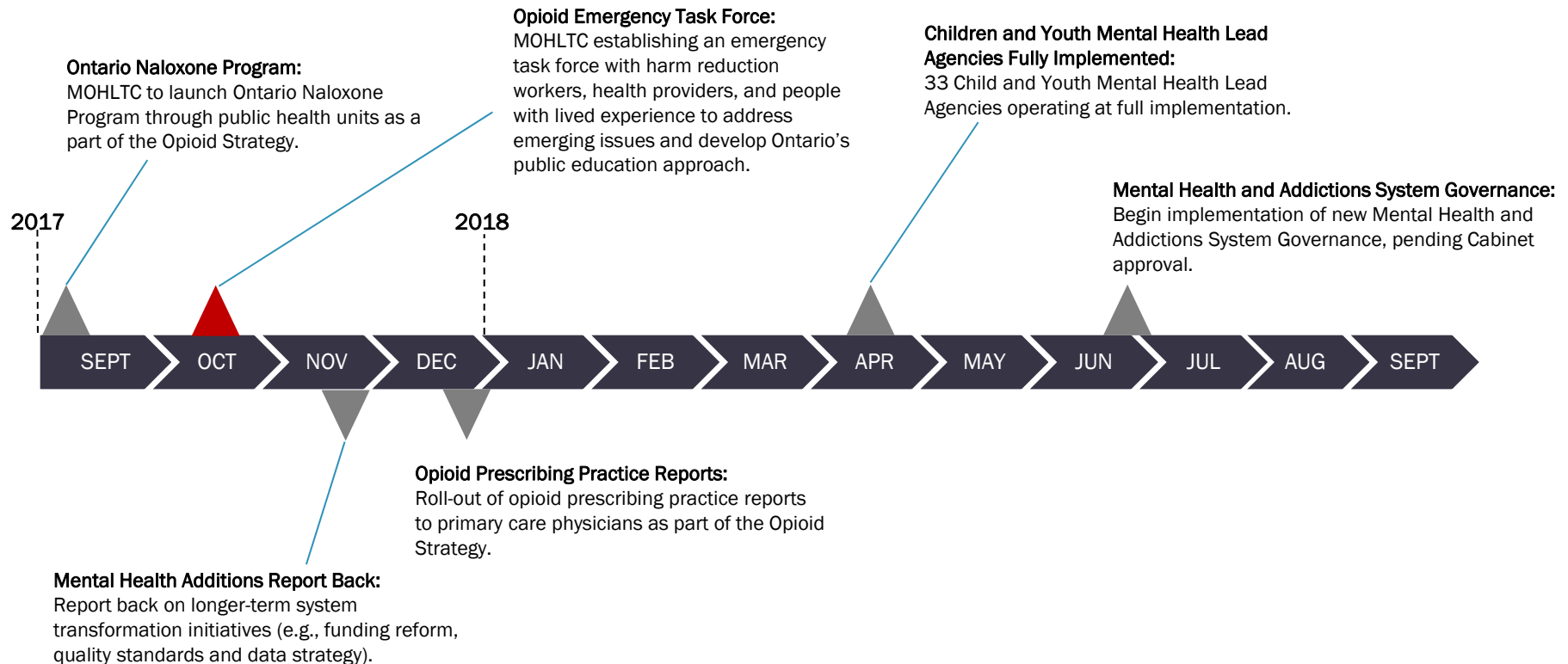
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3. Strengthening Health Care

Priority: Mental Health and Addictions (including Opioids)

Key Activity: 4.61 | Children and Youth Mental Health Transformation (CYMH), 7.07 | Mental Health and Addictions Services and Supports

Pillar: Connect: Deliver Coordinated and Integrated Care in the Community and Closer to Home



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4. Investing in Education and Building a Highly Skilled Workforce

Priority: Achieving Excellence for the Whole Learner (including Measures to Improve Equity and Well-Being)

Key Activities: 8.03 | Close the Achievement Gap for Underrepresented Groups, 8.05 | Well-Being Strategy for Education (to Enhance Mental and Physical Health of Students), 8.29 | Achieving Excellence for the Whole Learner

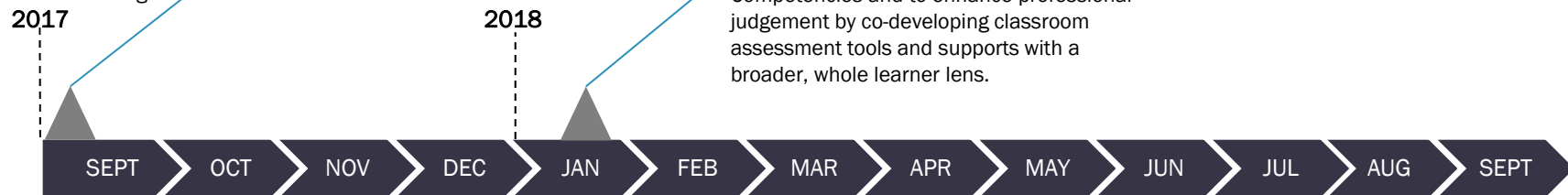
Pillar: Highly Skilled Workforce Strategy

Achieving Excellence for the Whole Learner Announcements :

- \$49 million over three years investments in new and expanded well-being programs for students across the province.
- Multi-year and multi-prong plan to update the school curriculum and student assessment tools to unleash the full potential of every child.
- Equity Action Plan, a new three-year strategy to reduce systematic barriers and improve student achievement and well-being.

Capacity Building:

Professional learning and development begins to build educator capacity around teaching, learning and assessing Global Competencies and to enhance professional judgement by co-developing classroom assessment tools and supports with a broader, whole learner lens.



Consultations and Education Quality and Accountability Ontario (EQAO) Review Begin:

Three streams:

- 1) Review begins of EQAO's large-scale assessment program.
- 2) Consultations begin on revitalized curriculum and on the assessment framework.
- 3) Engagements held with parent/guardians and communities on effective communication strategies to improve engagement with schools.

Well-being Budget Initiatives:

Well-being programs totalling \$49 million over three years begin implementation.

Grade 9 Redesign Pilots:

Pilots begin of new Grade 9 design and supports for grades 7 and 8.

Index Established:

A new provincial index on well-being is launched.

New Report Card Implemented:

Global Competencies would replace Learning Skills and Work Habits on the Provincial Report Card.

Climate Surveys:

Updated school climate surveys to include well-being and equity released.

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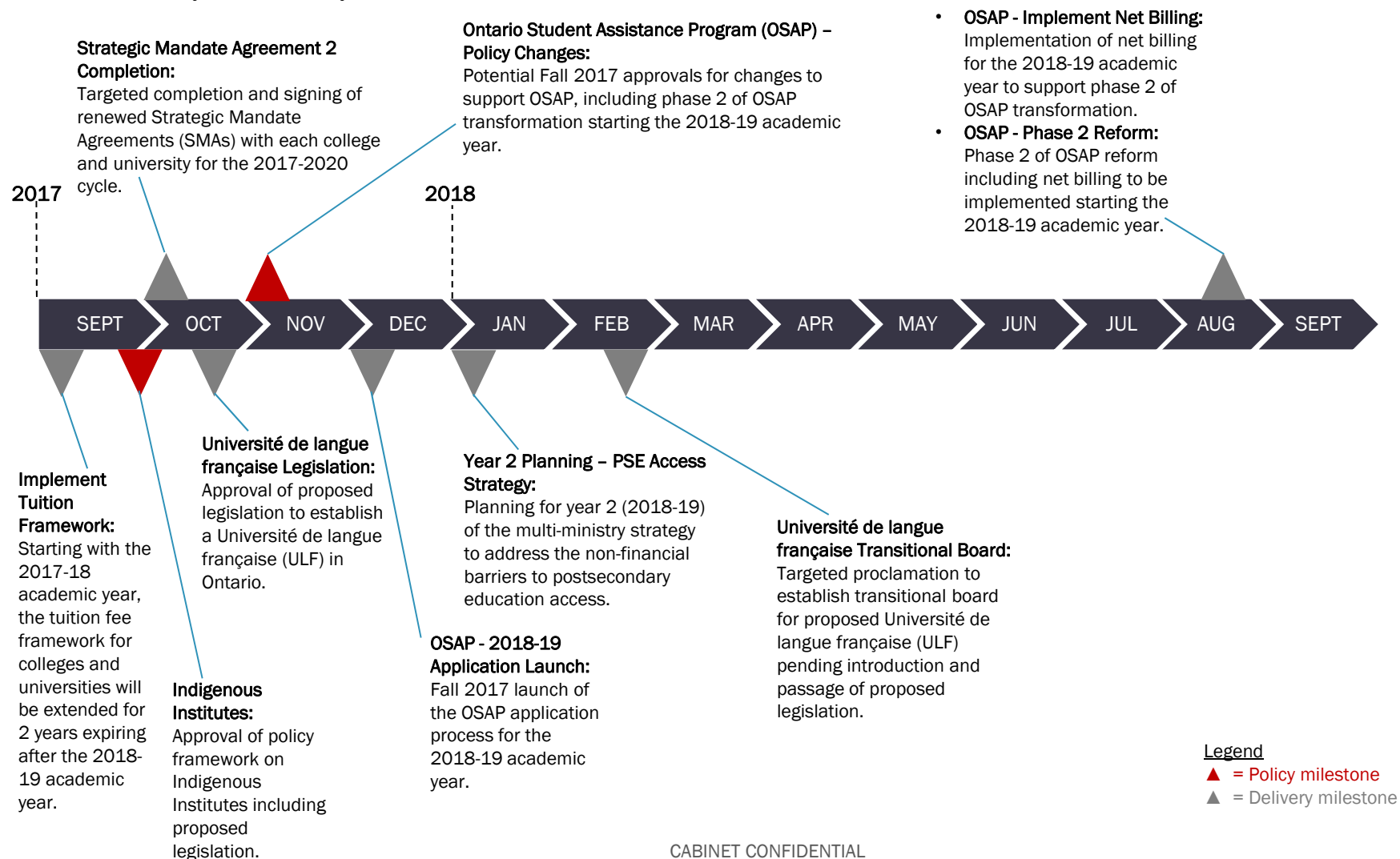
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4. Investing in Education and Building a Highly Skilled Workforce

Priority: Access to High Quality Postsecondary Education (PSE)

Key Activities: 4.08 | Indigenous Postsecondary Education Strategy (Indigenous Institutes Policy), 8.10 | OSAP Transformation, 8.11 | Access Strategy to Address Non-Financial Barriers to Postsecondary Education, 8.12 | University and College Reform, 8.15 | French-language Postsecondary Education

Pillars: Ontario's Action Plan for Reconciliation: Closing Gaps and Removing Barriers, High Quality and Sustainable Postsecondary Education System



4. Investing in Education and Building a Highly Skilled Workforce

Priority: Experiential Learning including Career Kick-Start Strategy

Key Activities: 8.18 | Modernized Apprenticeship Program, 8.23 | Experiential Learning and Mentorship (including Career Kick-Start Strategy),

Pillars: Employment and Training System Transformation, Highly Skilled Workforce Strategy

Apprenticeship Modernization:

Fall 2017 policy submission by MAESD to seek approval for a strategy to modernize the apprenticeship system focused on increasing completion rates, increasing the participation of under-represented groups, and creating clearer, better pathways for learners working with EDU, MOL and MOF.



Adult Education Policy Report Back:

Policy report back to Cabinet on status of implementation and further policy approvals related to elements of Ontario Lifelong Learning and Skills Plan.

Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM):

As part of the Career Kick-Start Strategy, EDU is expanding the Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM) program over the next three years starting September 2017 to introduce more Grade 11 and 12 students to career options while obtaining their high school diploma.

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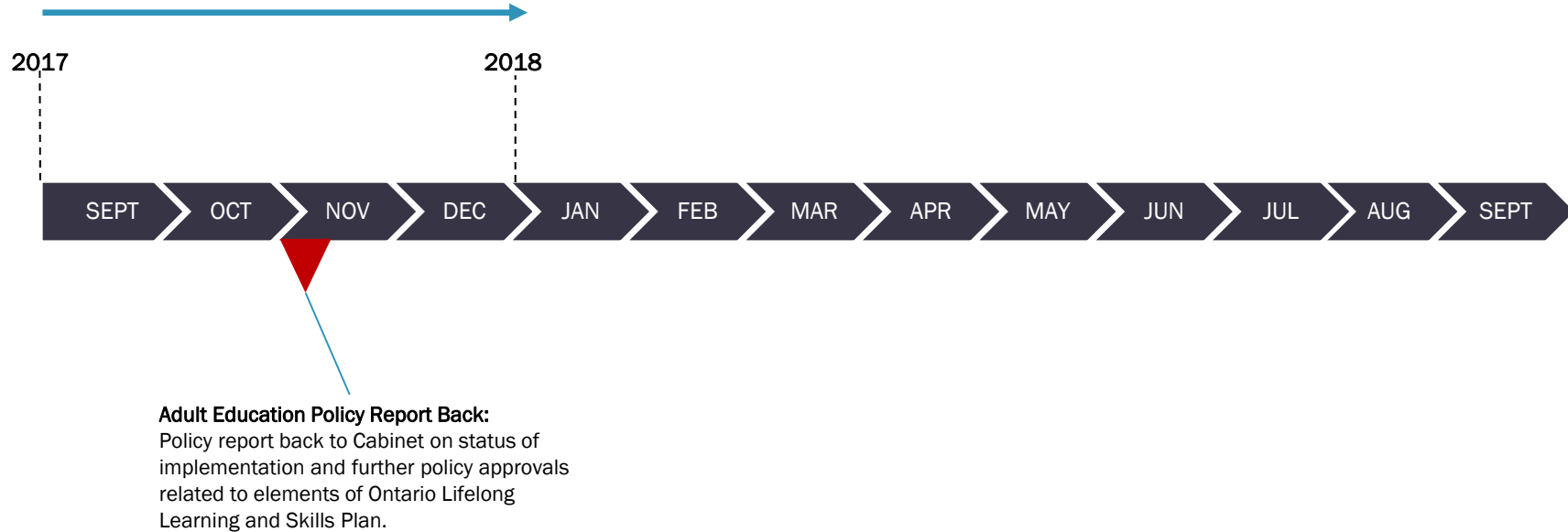
Priority: Lifelong Learning and Skills Plan

Key Activity: 8.17 | Ontario Lifelong Learning and Skills Plan

Pillar: Employment and Training System Transformation

Implementation of Plan:

Following 2017 approvals and announcement of plan, ongoing implementation of elements of Ontario Lifelong Learning and Skills Plan.



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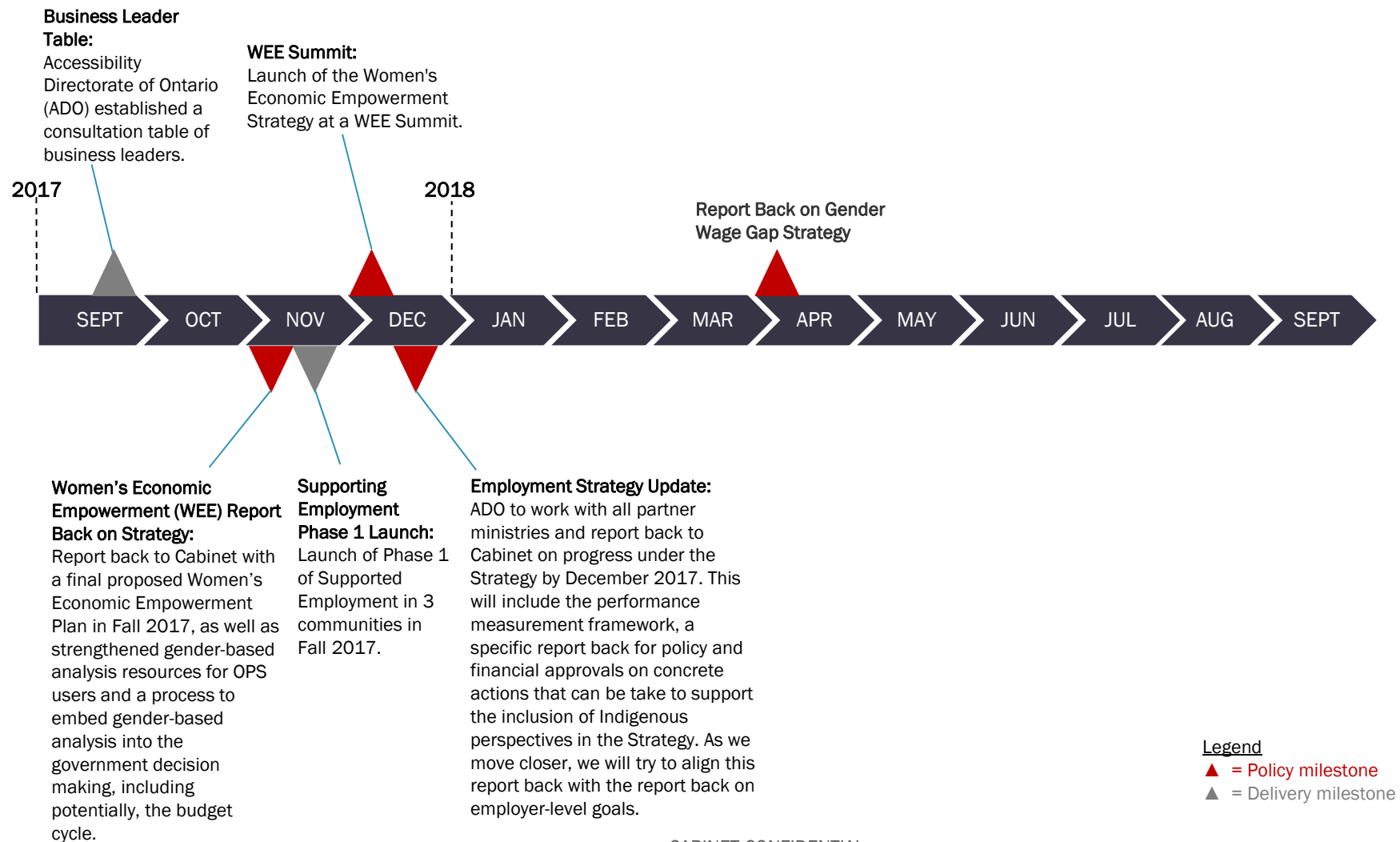
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4. Investing in Education and Building a Highly Skilled Workforce

Priority: Inclusive Skills Development

Key Activities: 4.22 | Women's Economic Empowerment Strategy, 4.34 | Employment Strategy for Persons with Disabilities, 8.20 | Ontario's Immigration Strategy (including the Ontario Immigration Act (OIA) and Ontario Immigrant Nominee Program (OINP))

Pillars: Supporting Opportunities for and Protecting Women, Supporting an Inclusive Ontario, Working with the Federal Government to Maximize the Economic Benefits of Immigration

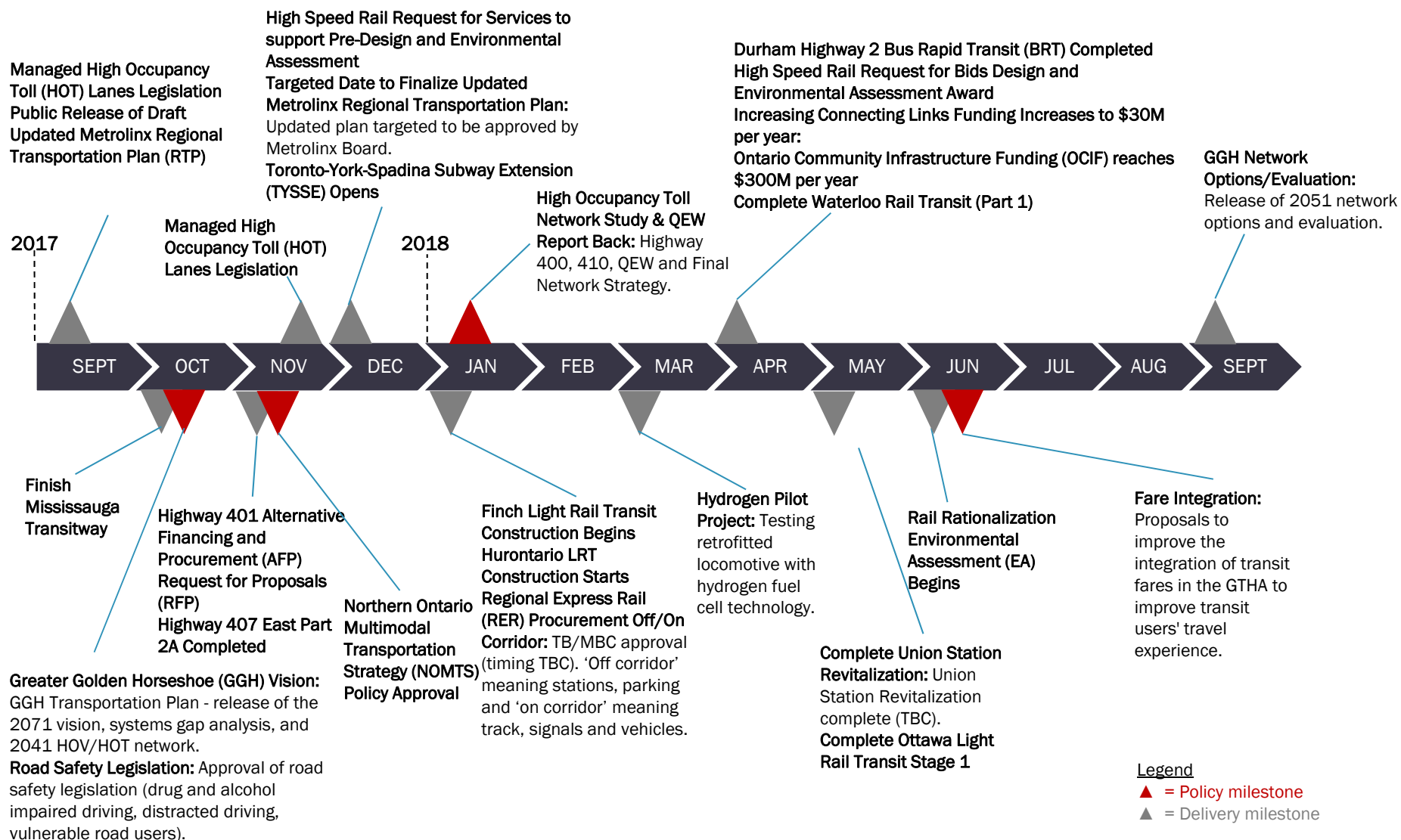


5. Building Transit and Transportation

Priorities: Transit – Inside the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area (GTHA), Transit and Transportation – Outside the GTHA, and Other Transit and Transportation

Key Activities: 13.01 – 13.06

Pillars: Moving Ontario Forward and Other Key Transit and Transportation Initiatives

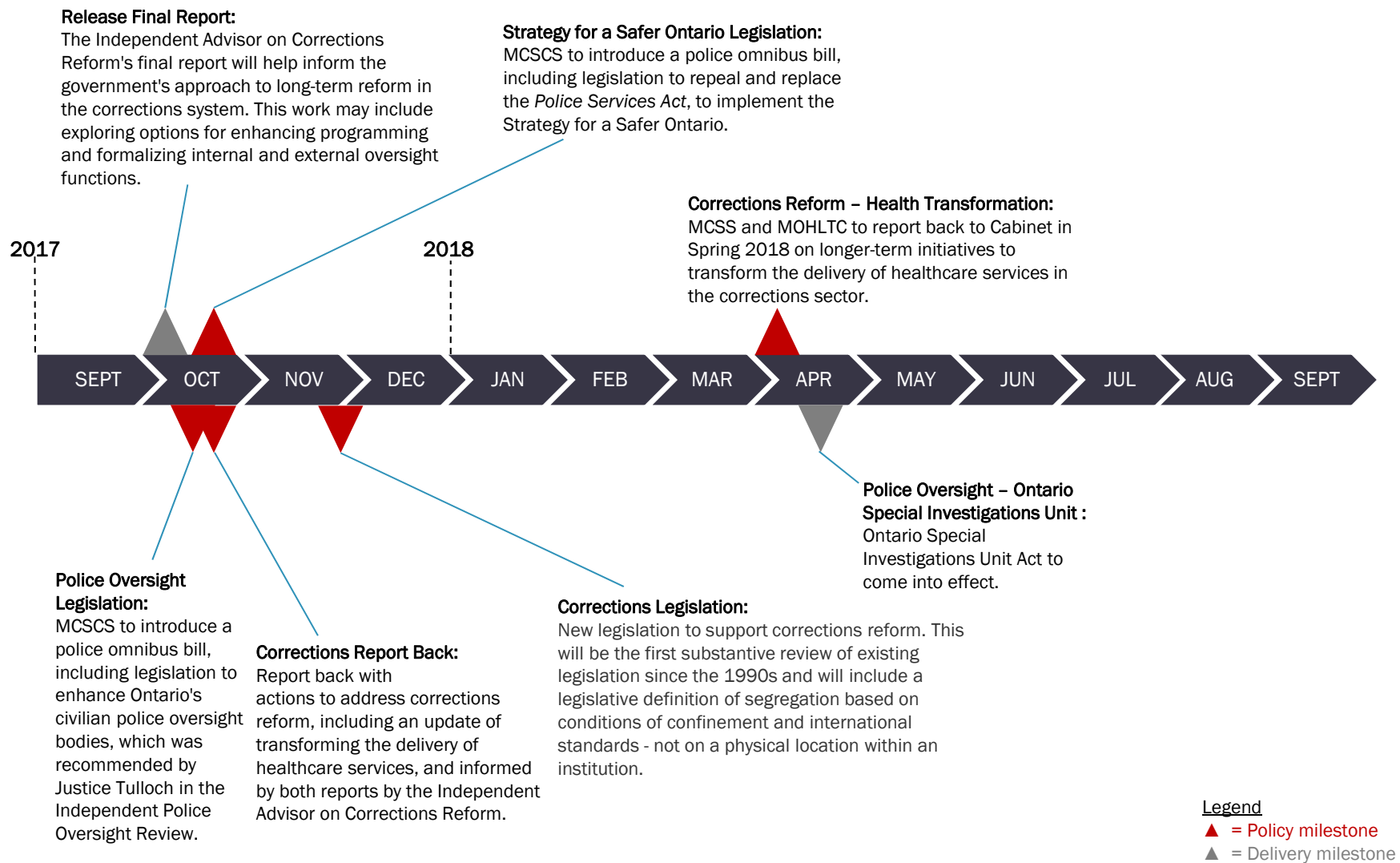


6. Building Inclusive Communities and Improving the Justice System

Priority: Justice Reforms (Corrections and Policing)

Key Activities: 4.42 | Corrections Reform, 4.43 | Strategy for a Safer Ontario and Police Oversight Review

Pillar: Safety and Access to Justice



6. Building Inclusive Communities and Improving the Justice System

Priority: Basic Income Pilot

Key Activity: 5.04 | Basic Income Pilot

Pillar: Moving Towards Income and Employment Security

