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The Digital ID and Authentication Council of Canada (DIACC) is a non-profit coalition of public and private sector leaders committed to developing a Canadian digital identification and authentication framework to enable Canada's full and secure participation in the global digital economy.

For more information on the DIACC, our members, our mandate and our governance, visit diacc.ca.

DIACC Federal Pre-Budget submission

A large part of Canada's 20th century prosperity was made possible by nation-building projects – projects that without leadership from the government of Canada would not have been possible. Throughout Canada's history, our country has been shaped by visionaries who understood that Canada's strength lies in connection, collaboration and innovation. DIACC recognizes that collaboration between peers, partners, and competitors is a critical component for Canada's full participation in the global Digital Economy.

Read the **DIACC Canadian Federal Pre-Budget Submission**: <https://goo.gl/3M3G0I>

Government of Canada Treasury Board Secretariat Publishes Guidance for Identity Assurance

The Government of Canada Treasury Board Secretariat has recently published the **Guideline on Identity Assurance** (<http://goo.gl/rwroZc>) (March 31, 2016). This guideline supports the implementation of the **Standard on Identity and Credential Assurance** (<http://goo.gl/YEbUBa>) by setting out

Events

- **Internet Identity Workshop (IIW) - DIACC participating in unconference Mountain View, California | Apr 26-29**
<http://goo.gl/U7uWHA>
- **Of Interest: IAPP Canada Privacy Symposium, Toronto, ON | May 10-12 (More info coming)**
- **Evanta Executive CIO Summit - DIACC Presentation "Are CIOs ready for the Digital Identity Transformation" Vancouver, BC | Jun 8**
<http://goo.gl/ljFBgG>
- **IdentityNorth 2016 - LIMITED NUMBER OF EARLY BIRD TICKETS ON SALE NOW! Toronto, ON | Jun 15-16**
<https://goo.gl/wRjsoG>

Proof of Concept - Online Proof of Residency

So you need to renew your government issued health card?

To do it today you will have to:

1. Gather printed copies of credit card statements, utility bills, mortgages and other documents that provide proof that you have been resident within your province for a given number of days over the past 365 days.
2. Get in your car and drive to the local government office where you will wait in line to hand over all of your personal information to a customer service agent – who really

guidelines to enable digital delivery methods, including the acceptance of electronic alternatives to physical documents and face-to-face identity-proofing methods. The guideline also encourages an approach to manage identity risk collaboratively across organizational and jurisdictional boundaries.

The complete Treasury Board Secretariat Identity Policy Suite may be found under: **Directive on Identity Management:** <http://goo.gl/bHqW7o>

Trust Framework Update

Since October 2015 a small team has been working to draft a pan-Canadian Trust Framework for the Canadian digital ID and authentication ecosystem.

This spring, the team will be engaging a broader group of DIACC stakeholders to refine the framework and ensure that essential use cases are represented.

The DIACC's objective is to unlock economic opportunities for Canadian consumers, and businesses by providing the framework to develop a robust, secure, scalable and privacy enhancing digital identification and authentication ecosystem that will decrease costs for governments, consumers, and business while improving service delivery and driving GDP growth.

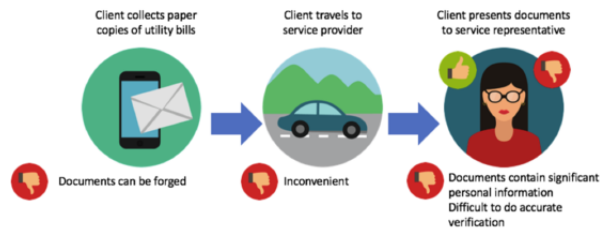


The framework describes consensus 'rules of the road' for adopters to increase certainty and reduce risks when interacting and transacting online. The

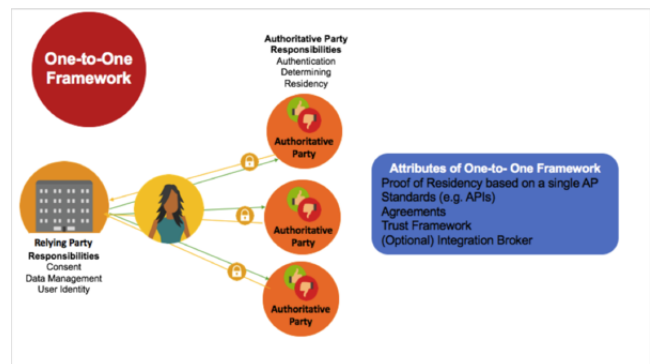
only needs to know that you have been resident and not that you bought tickets to Justin Bieber last week.

3. The agent will review your documents (while you wait) and then come back to either approve or deny your application.

Current State



As you can see this process is time consuming, not privacy enhancing, costly for government and open to fraud (you do not have to be a photoshop expert to create a fake utility bill). There has to be a better way.



Over the past six months, a team of DIACC members- from both the public and private sectors- have been focused on developing that better way. An on-line solution that puts the client at the centre of the residency proof experience and promotes both privacy and efficiency.

*DIACC members have access to the full documentation and to help shape this and other PoC's. Interested parties should **contact us.*** <https://goo.gl/LKp1Yn>

DIACC.ca has a new look

The DIACC has been growing at an exciting pace and to celebrate we've refreshed

framework is designed for the Canadian context and regulatory environment. It is compatible with, and oriented to, international standards in order to allow full participation in the global internet.

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New Members

Welcome to our newest Member!

- Symantec Corporation

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the [DIACC.ca](http://diacc.ca) website. We'll be posting regular blog entries and updates on our progress. So please visit us early and often! The public site redesign kicks off our new look and feel and soon we'll be launching the DIACC Member's Only site "myDIACC".

Join the DIACC

Interested in playing a part of shaping Canada's digital future? To share your expertise and insights and collaborate with other leaders in the transactions and digital identity ecosystems, please contact: membership@diacc.ca

Follow us

Follow our new twitter handle [@mydiacc](https://twitter.com/mydiacc) for the latest news and networking. (<https://goo.gl/KIKw9Q>)

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