

It has now been just over a year since Cabinet and the Financial Management Board (FMB) reassigned the Program Review Office (PRO) from the Department of Executive to the Department of Finance and since the inaugural *Program Review Office Annual Report 2013*.

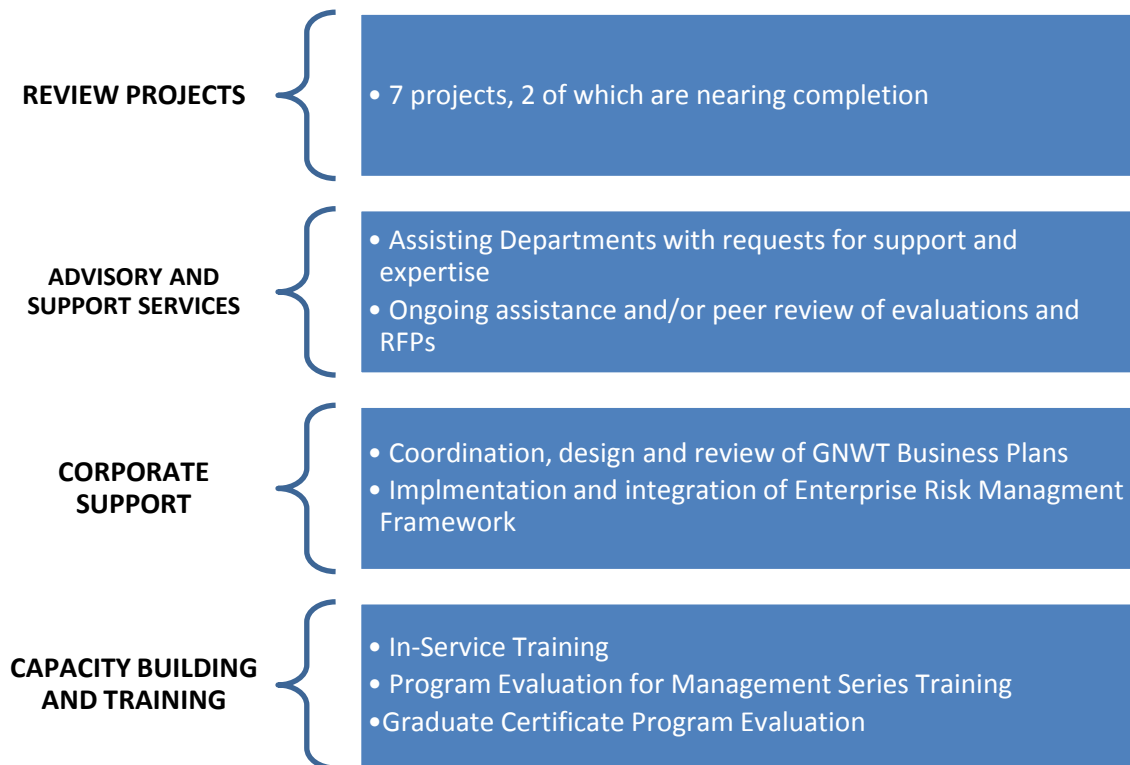
This transfer has continued to support the integration of PRO's work plan into a more streamlined government-wide planning process, and has served to enhance the business planning function, and continue to ensure sound fiscal management.

Guided by the Refocusing Government Committee of Cabinet (RGCoC) and with input from the Standing Committee on Priorities and Planning (SCOPP) a multi-year work plan was developed and approved in 2012-13 to guide PRO activities for the remainder of the 17th Legislative Assembly.

The multi-year work plan includes a number of joint projects with departments to review programs, services, processes, or initiatives in priority areas. PRO continues to undertake projects where improvements in program design, assessment and delivery can be achieved and will continue to identify opportunities to support efficiencies and effectiveness within the GNWT.

The PRO multi-year work plan has been developed under 4 areas of business. These include: (I) *Review Projects*, (II) *Advisory and Support Services*, (III) *Corporate Support* and (IV) *Capacity Building and Training*.

The following provides a snapshot of initiatives undertaken in the 2014 fiscal reporting period:



The *Program Review Office Annual Report 2014* provides updates to review projects identified in the previous annual report as well as identifies and updates additional projects undertaken during the 2014 reporting period.