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Board of Directors Recruitment Notice

The Alberta Amateur Hockey Association (Hockey Alberta) is seeking qualified candidates for one (1) Director at Large position on its Board of Directors. Deadline to submit a nomination package is **AUGUST 31, 2020**.

[APPLICATION / NOMINATION FORM >](#)

Hockey Alberta is the governing body for organized amateur hockey in the Province of Alberta. The Board provides oversight and approves the vision and policy framework for the organization to carry out its operations. The Board operates under a policy governance model, and is accountable to its Members, ensuring that the mission, vision and values of Hockey Alberta are carried out by the organization. Operations are delegated to the Chief Executive Officer. The Board holds monthly meetings, either in-person in Hockey Alberta's head office in Red Deer or via phone/ digital platform.

Candidate Qualifications

For 2020, the Board has approved the Nominations Committee to seek candidates that meet one or more of the following key criteria in each of two main categories:

I. Diversity

- Female
- Visible Minority
- Younger Age Demographic

II. Skills / Experience

- Advocacy (such as government relations / lobbying)
- Communications (such as public relation / sales/ marketing/ branding)
- Hockey Alberta Member Knowledge/ Experience

In addition to the competencies identified above:

- Previous experience on the Hockey Alberta Board is an asset.
- Previous experience on a not-for-profit board and knowledge of the workings of a board from a good governance perspective are preferred.
- An ICD (Institute of Corporate Directors) designation or equivalent training or experience working with a Board is an asset.
- Experience and understanding of the workings of a Provincial Sport Organization is an asset.
- Successful completion of a Criminal Record Check is required.

[DIRECTOR AT LARGE JOB DESCRIPTION >](#)

Process Overview

The Governance Committee of Hockey Alberta has created an external three-person Nominations Committee that includes a former Chair of the Board of Directors.

All submitted applications are reviewed by the Nominations Committee. Through the application and interview process, the Nominations Committee will prepare a group of qualified candidates endorsed by the Nominations Committee to be presented to the membership for election.

Board of Director positions are elected by the Members of Hockey Alberta at the Annual General Meeting (AGM). The 2020 AGM is scheduled for Saturday, November 21. The intention is to have the meeting in person, however there are provisions if a virtual meeting is required. Elected individuals will serve a term of three years.



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Each candidate is required to be nominated by a Member of Hockey Alberta, as defined in Article 2 of the Bylaws of the Alberta Amateur Hockey Association.

The links below to the Hockey Alberta website provide more information on Hockey Alberta Bylaws, and the Board's Governance Model, Code of Conduct, and Conflict of Interest policy. Candidates are required to complete a conflict of interest declaration with their application.

- I. [BYLAWS AND REGULATIONS >](#)
- II. [BOARD GOVERNANCE, STRUCTURE AND POLICIES >](#)

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Do you believe

in the ideal of “hockey for life”?

Are you ready

to help guide the growth of hockey at all levels in Alberta?

Do you want

to help Albertans enjoy a safe and positive hockey experience?

Hockey Alberta needs you.

Candidates are being sought for one Director at Large position on the Hockey Alberta Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors:

- is committed to ensuring diversity and to diligently act to effect change.
- is accountable to its Members, ensuring that the mission, vision and values of Hockey Alberta are carried out by the organization.
- operates under a policy governance model.
- holds monthly meetings, either in-person in Hockey Alberta’s head office in Red Deer or via phone/ digital platform.

Check out the Director at Large Job Description, Board Structure, Policies and more on the Hockey Alberta website:

[**BOARD OF DIRECTORS INFORMATION >**](#)

[**ONLINE NOMINATION FORM >**](#)

Nominations Deadline: Monday, August 31

Elections: Saturday, November 21 at the Hockey Alberta AGM

ABOUT US: Hockey Alberta is one of 13 member branches of Hockey Canada and takes an active part in setting national policy. Hockey Alberta is the Provincial Sports Organization and governing body for organized amateur hockey in the Province of Alberta, encouraging competition on both a competitive and recreational level for those who enjoy hockey for the sportsmanship, skill and enjoyment it can provide.