



## The United Church of Canada L'Eglise Unie du Canada

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### **Roles and Responsibilities for the Regional Council Members**

Thank you for your discernment to be a Regional Council Member. Being a member of the Regional Council is an important ministry. It is a way for you to offer your leadership as you continue to live out your discipleship in the wider church. If you are considering being a member here are some things to consider.

- You will need to be committed to attending the Annual Meeting of the Region and other full meetings of the Regional Council, if required.
- You are a connection in the covenant between the Region and the community of faith, bringing the experience of each to the other. (Access to a computer, and reliable internet is needed.)
- You are one of our communications agents in the system. We rely on you to be the person who receives correspondence from the region and brings that to your governing body (board/council).
- It is recommended that one of the elected members from your community of faith to the Region be a member of your governing body (board/council)
- Encourage your communities of faith to visit the Regions website, sign up for weekly announcements and be part of the Facebook page as a way to find resources and information.
- Provide a copy of the Regional executive minutes to the board or council quarterly.
- Bring a report from the annual meeting to your communities of faith.
- We encourage you to consider serving on one of the Committees or Divisions of the Region and help members of your communities of faith discern where they might serve on the various committees and divisions of the Region and encourage them to get involved.
- Please Note: You must be a full member of The United Church of Canada and of the community of faith from which you are elected; a community of faith within the Region.
- As an Elected Member of the Region you will be automatically registered to receive the weekly announcements. If at anytime you wish to unsubscribe you may do so. We do however, encourage you to continue to receive the weekly announcements, as well as your office admin and board chairs to do the same.

The Region is made up of all of us, communities of faith, clergy, and laity. We are called to fulfill this ministry together. You are an important part of the Regional structure. Thank you for your ministry.

