Recreation Governance Committee

Mandate

- Foster the creation, development, and operations of recreation programs, facilities, infrastructure, services, Parks, and Park Land;
- Act as an approving body regarding matters pertaining to Recreation and Cultural services in the County, including grant applications, studies, and master plans;
- Support Recreation and Cultural facility development and programs through the Community Recreation Funding program;
- Support the County-wide Recreation Master Plan, recreation planning, and community engagement; and
- Recognize that long-term strategic planning is required, planning for future facilities needs to be prioritized, and funding needs to be allocated.

Committee Authority

Approving authority regarding matters pertaining to Recreation and Cultural Services in the County including grant applications, studies and master plans. May direct Administration by resolution.

Reason for Rocky View County Involvement

On July 23, 2019 Council approved significant changes to County's recreation model, the most noteworthy being the ten Recreation Boards being replaced by a single Recreation Governance Committee comprised solely of Council members.

Policy

Recreation Governance Committee Terms of Reference (Approval date: September 24, 2019)

Voting Membership

Reeve, Deputy Reeve and all Councillors (4 year term)

Appointment Time Commitment

- Number of meetings Four meetings annually
- Pre-Meeting Preparation Fifteen minutes to three hours pending size and complexity of agenda. Reviewing grant applications takes time.
- Meeting Duration Up to four hours per meeting
- Meeting Location County Hall
- Online Meeting Option None

Compensation and Reimbursement

Appointed Councillors are reimbursed as per Rocky View County Policy C-195 Council Compensation and Expense Reimbursement.

Administration Support

Recreation, Parks and Community Support Municipal Clerk's Office