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**Rehoboth**

Christian Ministries  
Newsletter



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# BOARD PRESIDENT UPDATE

For me, I am starting my final year on the Board of Directors for Rehoboth Christian Ministries. This is both exciting, and bittersweet, as I look forward to the work we hope to accomplish this year. There is much to be done, but firstly I'd like to reflect on some recent changes:

1. The legal name change proposal was approved at the Annual General Membership in June in Calgary; we will now be officially called "Rehoboth Christian Ministries Association".
2. The quorum requirements for the membership meetings were updated to enable the Board to have meetings more effectively in the future.

Currently the Board is actively working on:

1. Documenting requirements to serve as a member of the Board of Directors (i.e., church membership, previous experience, etc.)
2. Creating public relations materials and a strategy for increasing the visibility of Rehoboth within and outside of our supporting community
3. Working toward fulfilling the Board requirements to achieve a higher level of accreditation in 2017

We've also had a change in the make-up of our Board of Directors. Brian Stoutjesdyk has completed his three year term and we welcome Bob Dykstra and Jim Beusekom to the Board. We are grateful for Brian's service, and we look forward to the contributions of Bob and Jim.

October is "Membership Month". We've written previously on the importance of renewing your membership, and also actively seeking out friends and family to join this wonderful ministry. Look for your renewal information in this edition of *Flourish!* or your church mail slot, and if you're interested in helping with the membership drive, please send me an email. We are really keen to see the next generation of Christ's church continue to support Rehoboth, in order to help all adults with disabilities "Flourish".

In Christ, and on behalf of the Board,

- Brian de Haan

## VISION

By the grace of God, all persons with disabilities have a meaningful and dignified place in society where they can live, contribute and fellowship with others.

## MISSION

Rehoboth conveys God's love to persons with disabilities and their families by making room for them and enabling them to flourish.

## VALUES

Rehoboth values are Christ-like, including: Serving; Compassion; Dignity; Inclusivity; Integrity; Commitment

## BELIEFS

We believe:

- That Rehoboth is diligent in using the power of prayer
- That Rehoboth serves God through serving its clients
- That the work of Rehoboth is blessed by God
- That Rehoboth is deliberate in applying and nurturing the God-given talents of everyone involved.

# October is Membership Month

Once again, Rehoboth's Annual Membership Drive is upon us! This membership drive is crucial to the operations of our programs to ensure that the individuals we serve can continue to flourish in all they do.

There are many reasons to support Rehoboth and the men and women we support. Some of these are deeply personal to our current members, and are often linked tightly to their lives of faith and conviction.

In more general terms, Rehoboth members are interested in supporting the work of Rehoboth Christian Ministries, and this support helps us to:

- Develop, improve and deliver effective Residential, Vocational, Employment, and Respite Programs
- Strengthen our profile and success across Alberta as a leading service provider with a Christian foundation
- Educate and make the public aware of the needs, rights and abilities of people who live with disabilities
- Flourish through the prayers of our members and supporters

As a member, you are entitled to:

- Receive regular updates on Rehoboth's work through the *Flourish!* newsletter and our website: [www.rehoboth.ab.ca](http://www.rehoboth.ab.ca)
- Voting privileges on decisions needed at Rehoboth Christian Ministries' Annual General Meeting every June, or at Special Meetings
- Advocate for Rehoboth and the people we support, as someone with a vested interest, to government leaders and decision-makers

October is Membership Month. Please renew your annual membership. If you're not a current member, please consider becoming one as an individual, or as a couple or an entire family.

Thank you. May God bless you and your generosity.



# AGM MINUTES

## RCM Annual General Meeting - June 17, 2017

Meeting Type : RCM Association AGM  
Start time : 10:30 AM

Date : Saturday, June 17, 2017  
End time : 11:30 AM

Location : Calgary Regional Offices

### Welcome & Opening

Brian De Haan opens with words of welcome, reading of Psalm 150 and prayer.

### Establish Quorum

It is noted that quorum is reached since there are just over 20 people in attendance.

### Minutes Approval

**Resolution** Moved By: Sheldon Kok Second By: Johan Knol  
Motion to approve minutes for meeting Rehoboth AGM - June 11, 2016 (2016/06/11) as presented.  
**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

### Audited Financial Statements for 2016-17

(Standing Items)

Audited Financial Statements for the 2016-17 fiscal year, ending March 31, 2017:  
Stefan Dykema, treasurer, walks attendees through the audited financial statements of 2016-17. The bulk of our funding comes from the Government of Alberta and goes to staffing. Private donations are up a bit while corporate donations are down. Camp is running well and generating some revenue. There were no estate donations. It was a balanced budget.

**Resolution** Moved By: Carl Price Second By: Jim Braaksma  
Motion to accept the audited financial statements.  
**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

### Motion to Appoint Auditor for 2017-18

(Standing Items)

**Resolution** Moved By: Stefan Dykema Second By: Jim Braaksma  
Motion to continue using the services of Hawkings Epp Dumont LLP as auditor for the fiscal year 2017-18.

### 2017-18 Operating Budget

(Standing Items)

Operating Budget for the 2017-18 fiscal year:  
Stefan Dykema presents the budget for 2017-18. The biggest concern is that minimum wage is going up but government funding is not. A request is made for people to talk to their MLA regarding this matter.  
*Question from the floor:* Has PDD been asked for further funding? Answer: PDD is aware of the situation but the government is stalling, dealing with this situation across all sectors. We are expected to find efficiencies within the organization to cover the shortfall.  
*Question from the floor:* Do we need to fundraise more, plus create more awareness of Rehoboth's needs? Answer: Yes, we need to speak with MLAs to bring this matter to their attention.

**Resolution** Moved By: Jim Braaksma Second By: Wendell Koning  
Motion to accept the 2017-18 budget as presented.  
**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

### Election/acclamation of new board members

(Standing Items)

Introduction of Bob Dykstra from Coleman and Jim Beusekom from Ft. McLeod. No nominations arise from the floor. By acclamation Brian de Haan recognizes that Bob and Jim will be appointed to the board



## Bylaw change proposal - Quorum

(Standing Items)

Brian de Haan presents proposed by-law changes regarding quorum: If there are not 20 people present at an AGM then the meeting is closed, and a new meeting begun with the people in attendance constituting quorum.

**Resolution** Moved By: Johan Knol Second By: Carl Price

Motion to accept the Special Resolution: *Proposed Bylaw Change #5E, regarding quorum.*

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

## Rehoboth - Legal name change proposal

(Standing Items)

Proposal to change legal name of Rehoboth from:

*Rehoboth, a Christian Association for the Mentally Handicapped of Alberta ... to ... Rehoboth Christian Ministries*

And to amend Bylaw No. 2 Clause A from:

*The name of the Association is, and the word "Association" where it appears in these Bylaws, shall mean and refer to Rehoboth, a Christian Association for the Mentally Handicapped of Alberta.*

to

*The name of the Association is, and the word "Association" where it appears in these Bylaws, shall mean and refer to Rehoboth Christian Ministries Association.*

**Resolution** Moved By: Johan Knol Second By: Jim Braaksma

Motion to accept the *Special Resolution: Proposed New Legal Name as "Rehoboth Christian Ministries" and associated Bylaw No. 2 Clause A.*

(There is one dissenting vote by proxy.) **CARRIED**

## Recognition of Retiring Board Member(s)

Brian Stoutjesdyk is honoured and thanked in absentia.

## Question Period

*Do people have to change their will to state Rehoboth's new name to make the bequest valid?* No, the name is clear and the ministry itself has not changed.

*Do cheques need to specify "Association" now that it's not part of Rehoboth's name?* No.

Compliments to the *Flourish!* newsletter editorial team.

*What are big issues that membership should be aware of?* Answer: Our membership base and who we actively seek membership from.

Comment from floor: Rehoboth is largely supported by the Reformed community and we need to examine how broad we want to be. We need to have a succession plan in place for future leaders in the organization.

## Closing & Adjournment

Janet Postma closes with a prayer of thanksgiving for how Rehoboth has been blessed.

# FUNDRAISING

## COALDALE GOLF TOURNAMENT

Rehoboth South Region held its tournament on May 27 at the beautiful Paradise Canyon Golf course in Lethbridge. One hundred sixteen golfers participated in this year's event, and we exceeded our goal of \$50,000, as golfers and contributors raised over \$51,000! The staff and clients of Rehoboth – South Region extend a huge thank-you to everyone who helped sponsor our tournament, by way of sponsorship, golfing or donation. And oh, save the date for next year – we plan to be playing again on May 26, 2018.



## CALGARY GOLF TOURNAMENT

Rehoboth Calgary Region held its 20th Annual Golf Tournament on May 29 at Redwood Meadows, Bragg Creek. This year's tournament was attended by 68 golfers who enjoyed a beautiful sunny day with temperatures in the mid 20's. Scott Hesje and Jeffrey St. Pierre, two Rehoboth residents pictured beside, thoroughly enjoyed the experience as they participated in the tournament. They represented Rehoboth's spirit with their incredible enthusiasm and perseverance. The tournament raised \$20,000, which will be used to enhance life skills and educational programs for the clients that are supported in the residential and vocational programs. Many thanks to those that continue to support our tournament – one couple coming all the way from Manitoba, and some who have attended every year for the past 20 years!



## STONY PLAIN GOLF CLASSIC

On June 3, 81 golfers participated in the 27th Annual Golf Classic at the Stony Plain Golf Course. Golfers and contributors raised \$38,000 that will be put toward the lease of a 15-passenger Ford Transit Wagon to assist the individuals in the Stony Plain/Spruce Grove area to get around (there is no public transportation in the community to allow our individuals to access their communities). Rehoboth Edmonton Region thanks the numerous sponsors, community donors and individual golfers for their ongoing support of the Annual Golf Classic, which is vital to our programs at Rehoboth! We look forward to seeing you on the course on June 2, 2018!





## PLANTING SONGS OF JOY - THE JOYFUL NOISE CHOIR BEGINS SEASON 39

The children of the Joyful Noise Choir along with Rehoboth Camp Manager Kevin DeBree are getting ready to visit churches and communities with songs and invitations to engage with Rehoboth's ministry as members, supporters and volunteers. The choir's theme, Seeds to Sow, recognizes how the Lord works his wonders even through the hearts and minds of children.

If you wish to join the choir in worship and song, here are the dates and locations of the choir's visits this season:

September 10	10:00 am	Woodynook Christian Reformed Church, Lacombe
September 24	10:00 am	Inglewood Christian Reformed Church, Edmonton
October 22	10:30 am	Covenant Christian Reformed Church, Edmonton
November 5	10:30 am	First Christian Reformed Church, Rocky Mountain House
November 18	6:30 pm	Choral Coffee House (West End CRC, Edmonton)
November 19	10:00 am	West End Christian Reformed Church, Edmonton)
December 15	6:30 pm	Nativity Show (West End CRC, Edmonton)
January 14	10:00 am	Trinity Christian Reformed Church, Edmonton

*If you wish to learn more about the choir, visit us at [www.joyfulnoisechoir.ca](http://www.joyfulnoisechoir.ca) or on Facebook.*



## JEN FLOURISHING

Jen attends the Vocational Program in Rehoboth's Coaldale facilities. This past year, she has grown in many areas such as customer service and production. She has taken on more responsibility and has demonstrated her independence. Jen enjoys watering the plants, planting seeds, and inputting greenhouse data into the computer. She has also helped with tours around the greenhouse. Jen is very creative and uses her skills by helping make Christmas crafts. She has helped come up with ideas for crafts, and she participated in making them by painting, sanding, and "Dremel-ing". Jen is looking forward to the coming year, especially helping customers to find what they need at Rehoboth.

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## LANDEN FLOURISHING

Landen is our safety officer at the Rehoboth Christian Ministries vocational centre in Coaldale. He has been responsible for safety checklists every month and he enjoys these tasks immensely. Landen has taken on the responsibility of making the forklift safety announcement over the intercom to ensure everybody remains safe while the forklift is in operation. Landen strives to be the best safety officer that he can be; he is very aware of safety hazards and is quick to point them out to others. Landen also knows the importance of drinking lots of water to stay hydrated and so he has been responsible for making sure that the water coolers around the building are stocked. Landen works very hard at being Rehoboth's "gentleman with good manners" and is encouraged when his staff and peers thank him and let him know how proud they are of him. We are all very proud of his accomplishments here at Rehoboth.





## HOT DOG FUNDRAISER

Rehoboth Central Region (Three Hills) had a very successful Hot dog lunch fundraiser June 2, 2017. The local Servus Credit Union and Cooperators Insurance collaborated with Rehoboth for this community function. Our success is attributed to all the staff, clients, and family members volunteering their time to plan, set up, cook, bake, serve and clean up. Thanks to those who contributed supplies (Servus Credit Union, Cooperators, and family), we were able to raise \$1200 from sales, and then received an extra donation of \$500 from Servus Credit Union. Proceeds for this fundraiser are designated to a Sensory Room project for our vocational program.

## PASSION PLAY 2017

*By Vernon Lane*

I had a real good time being part of the Badlands Passion Play. We rehearsed on Saturdays and Sundays of May and June for my role. Then the performances were from July 7 -23 at the Drumheller amphitheatre. The valley was very hot this year so we all had to make sure we drank lots of water and used sunscreen. Even though I was doing these things my feet were sun burnt around my sandals.

It was great to be able to carry a shield, sword and spear in my role as temple guard in the second act. It was sad though that Jesus was treated that way. I played one of the guards that arrested and walked Jesus to the cross. The director and the person in charge of the temple guards gave me lots of praise for doing a good job in both of my roles – I was a villager in the first act. I would definitely do it again.

I like the story of the Gospel of Luke as well as the fellowship with the cast members and the audiences. Meeting people from all over Alberta was a big part of the fun. We had many meals together called fiestas and brunches as well as afternoon snacks during rehearsals and performances, then a big wrap up party after our last performance.



*Vernon as a villager in the 1st Act*



*Vernon as a temple guard in the 2nd Act*



*The 2017 Cast & Crew*



## DREAMS DO COME TRUE!

Dreams that begin with an idea and a desire can come to fruition...as proven by Troy Bradbury. What started as a conversation with the Mayor of Spruce Grove at a Saints hockey game years ago has blossomed into his dream job of working for the City of Spruce Grove - Public Works Division.



Troy has spoken of this particular career path for many years. By volunteering for the Saints hockey games and otherwise networking within his community, he built a reputation for himself with many people who spoke to his enthusiasm and commitment. Troy kept his dream alive by speaking of it on a continual basis, and initiating email contact to the Mayor of Spruce Grove with the assistance of supporting staff. Over the years, with Employment Services guidance, Troy's conviction that he would someday achieve the occupation of his dreams has been realized through his commitment to learn, grow, and improve his skills. Many stepping stones allowed Troy to follow his dream. Troy is a natural in his new work environment; competent and well liked. By acquiring his most desired job, and being embraced by his work colleagues, Troy has flourished!

## EDMONTON FUNDRAISING INITIATIVE

Rehoboth Edmonton Region was blessed with a beautiful day for the 1st Annual Car Show and Shine on August 26. Along with the classic vehicles on show, there was a pancake breakfast, lunch BBQ, Silent Auction and the popular Car Boot Sale. We are excited for next year's event and the new partnerships we have made with the community.





## STAMPEDE 2017

Every year, Andrew and Gabriel with Rehoboth Calgary Region are very excited to attend the event, because it's summer time and they're able to dress Western, including hats. They always enjoy watching agricultural competitions, chuckwagon racing, the dog show and taking pictures with the animals. Aside from that they love playing "water gun" to win stuffed toys.

This year's Stampede was a wonderful experience. While these fellows were enjoying the exhibition we found out that Prime Minister Justin Trudeau was also there. Andrew and Gabriel had the chance to meet, shake hands and talk to the Prime Minister. "Hi Justin, you know where we're going after this?" Andrew asked. "Oh Hi! Where you guys going?" Justin replied. "We're going for lunch because I am hungry," Andrew replied. "Wow, enjoy your lunch guys and Happy Stampeding," Justin replied. And Gabriel had a huge grin on his face while looking at the Prime Minister.

Andrew and Gabriel are looking forward to attend again next year to collect more souvenirs, photos and great memories.



## ANDREW AND OTHERS FLOURISHING



Andrew with Rehoboth Northwest Region received a recognition on April 2017 as Volunteer of the Week/Month from the Volunteer Bureau for volunteering at the Goodwill Store. Andrew has been volunteering at Goodwill for a year now sorting, organizing and putting goods on the shelves. He is currently waiting to be with Goodwill's Power of Work program and has hopes to eventually obtain a job at Goodwill. Andrew enjoys working and interacting with his co-workers/volunteers and is always looking forward to go to work. Every week he is eager to learn a new "job" and looks forward to what he will be asked to accomplish.

Staff are committed in supporting our individuals to be involved in the community, to encourage them to pursue their passions and interests. Through community involvement our individuals are active in employment, volunteer placements, and attending church services. Individuals become self-reliant, overcome fears and become effective.

Out of town summer camps, without their regular support staff, have also helped them to be more sociable, and increase their interactions with new people. This experience helps to promote their independence, and they become more open to making adjustments and changes in a positive way.

Special Olympics helps our individuals to achieve joy, acceptance, and success. Through sports they gain confidence, meet other people and experience an opportunity to travel and compete.

It is great to see the results of our individuals flourishing!



## NEW CAMPERS AND A NEW CAMP MANAGER

This year, Rehoboth Camp Programs had the privilege of welcoming Kevin Debree as the new Camp Manager! Kevin has been involved with Camp for many years and we look forward to some of the exciting things he hopes to implement.

This year, Camp had many new faces who at times were very unsure of the whole experience. We are extremely proud of all our new campers as they had a fantastic time with us, and we saw them grow and flourish in a new environment. Some of the clients participated in activities their families and staff members did not even know they enjoyed or knew how to play!

Campers this year participated in many offsite activities such as Discovery Wildlife Park, the Bird Farm, bowling, swimming and so on. When campers were not offsite, they enjoyed games, crafts, sports and water fights outside. Tuk Shop is a daily must for all where they can load up on their favorite snacks and goodies. Campers attend Chapel daily, enjoying worship and taking part in the Bible Leaders' lessons for the day. Campers also assisted with daily devotions before meals and took turns assisting with mess hall clean up!

All in all, we had a very busy summer, full of laughter, smiles and memories shared. Here's to next year when we can all meet again!





## REHOBOTH CAMP - SUMMER 2017

God's Promises Never Fail! That was the theme of Rehoboth Camp this summer, and we saw it happen in many ways! From Client Week to Youth Week, we saw it in the smiles and laughter we were able to share together. We had 167 campers attend this summer, many of them participating in activities for the first time in a new environment, as well as 123 volunteers (with 30 first-timers!).

My biggest stress this past spring was hoping for enough volunteers to be able to run our camps this summer. We were short on staff but the ones we had did a fantastic job! I can't say thank you enough to those who volunteered whether they were a Director, Nurse, Cook, Bible Leader, Techie, Night Watch, Counsellor, or CIT! Our goal every summer is to have a full set of staff so that our campers can have a one-on-one relationship and with your help, it can happen in 2018!

We were also blessed with some of the best weather I've seen in the past 25 years! It allowed us to go places like Discovery Wildlife Park, the Ellis Bird Farm, bowling, and swimming. While we were onsite, we enjoyed wide games, crafts, sports, and the slip-and-slide. Everyone attended Chapel daily, enjoying worship and taking part in the lessons for each day. We did have some rain, hail, and thunderstorms, but nothing that seriously affected any of our activities. And the best part of a rainstorm is the rainbow that appears afterwards to remind us that God's promises never fail.



# Thank You to Our Supporters

Rehoboth Christian Ministries thanks all who have contributed in the following manners, from April 2016 through March 2017:

## **IN MEMORIAM DONATIONS:**

Cornelis 'Casey' Verschoor	Mar-18-16
Henry Noppers	May-24-16
Antonetta Lubbers	May-24-16
Trijntje 'Tena' Velthuizen	Aug-31-16
Christina VanSpengen	Oct-20-16
Otto Salomons	Oct-31-16
Ralph Prins	Jan-08-17
Margaret Van Haren	Jan-18-17
Neeltje Ovinge	Feb-02-17
Nancy Abma	Feb-07-17
Louis Greidanus	Mar-01-17
Sam Talsma	Mar-19-17
Jeanette Bareman	Mar-29-17
Ann Sips	
Carel Gaastra	

## **CHURCHES**

Sonlight Christian Reformed Church - Regina, SK  
First Christian Reformed Church - Edmonton, AB  
Bethel Christian Reformed Community Church - Edmonton, AB  
Covenant Christian Reformed Church - Edmonton, AB  
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Ottewell Christian Reformed Church - Edmonton, AB  
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West End Christian Reformed Church - Edmonton, AB  
Hope Christian Reformed Church - Stony Plain, AB  
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Christian Reformed Church - Edson, AB  
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Canadian Reformed Church - St. Albert, AB  
Emmanuel Reformed Church - Neerlandia, AB  
Concordia Lutheran Church - Edmonton, AB  
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Canadian Reformed Church - Coaldale, AB  
Christian Reformed Church - Granum, AB  
Christian Reformed Church - Iron Springs, AB  
Maranatha Christian Reformed Church - Lethbridge, AB  
Christian Reformed Church - Nobleford, AB  
Christian Reformed Church - Taber, AB  
Canadian Reformed Church - Taber, AB  
Trinity Reformed Church - Lethbridge, AB  
Burdett Christian Reformed Church - Burdett, AB  
Netherlands Reformed Congregation - Lethbridge, AB  
Grace Reformed Church - Lethbridge, AB  
Netherlands Reformed Congregation - Picture Butte, AB  
Monarch Reformed Church - Monarch, AB  
Bethel United Reformed Church - Calgary, AB

Brooks Christian Reformed Church - Brooks, AB  
Canadian Reformed Church - Calgary, AB  
Emmanuel Christian Reformed Church - Calgary, AB  
River Park Christian Reformed Church - Calgary, AB  
Christian Reformed Church - High River, AB  
Maranatha Christian Reformed Church - Calgary, AB  
Covenant Christian Reformed Church - Calgary, AB  
Bethel Christian Reformed Church - Lacombe, AB  
New Life Fellowship Christian Reformed Church -  
Red Deer, AB  
Parkland United Reformed Church - Ponoka, AB  
First Christian Reformed Church - Red Deer, AB  
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First Christian Reformed Church - Rocky Mtn.  
House, AB  
Sonrise Christian Reformed Church - Ponoka, AB  
Woodynook Christian Reformed Church - Black-  
falds, AB  
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Christian Reformed Church - Laglace, AB

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ada) Inc.  
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Benevity Community Impact Fund  
Canada Helps.org  
Christian Stewardship Services  
Coaldale Senior Citizen Centre  
Kinsmen Club of Stony Plain  
Parkland Celebration Choir Society  
Stony Plain United Church Women  
TELUS Community Affairs  
The Edmonton Society for Christian Education  
United Way Of Alberta Cap.Reg.  
United Way of Burlington & Greater Hamilton  
Youth in Service

# Serving people with disabilities. Helping them *Flourish*.

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

From a governance perspective, Rehoboth Christian Ministries is led by a Board of Directors, whose members are elected to three year terms by the Society. Currently, the board consists of:

<b>Brian de Haan</b>	President	<i>Edmonton</i>	<b>Sheldon Kok</b>	Director	<i>St. Albert</i>
<b>Johan Knol</b>	Vice-President	<i>Coalhurst</i>	<b>Janet Postma</b>	Director	<i>Red Deer</i>
<b>Stefan Dykema</b>	Treasurer	<i>Calgary</i>	<b>Bob Dykstra</b>	Director	<i>Coleman</i>
<b>Alex Van Geest</b>	Secretary	<i>Ponoka</i>	<b>Henry Van Steenbergen</b>	Director	<i>Edmonton</i>
<b>Wendy Abma</b>	Director	<i>Calgary</i>	<b>Jim Beusekom</b>	Director	<i>Fort Macleod</i>

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## ESTATE DONATIONS POLICY:

Rehoboth will be responsible in prudently managing financial donations from Rehoboth supporters.

All designated (restricted) donated funds will be used for the sole purpose for which it was earmarked for by the donating family within one year of receiving the donation unless otherwise stipulated within the deceased's will and/or original terms of the donation.

All undesignated estate funds are to be placed in an internally restricted reserve for the purpose of funding significant capital projects. In order for funds to be withdrawn, the Executive Director will create a proposal and relevant business case to be presented to the Rehoboth Board of Directors. Pending board approval, the funds will be released for the design, necessary permitting, and construction of the project. Under no circumstances are the internally restricted estate donations to be used for general operating costs.