



## Board of Directors Nomination Form 2017

Nominations must be received by  
June 19, 2017

### Please Print:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Organization (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City or Town \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Nomination is for the following open Board position: (check one)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Member at Large                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal (3 open positions)        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Industry: Agricultural Producer      | <input type="checkbox"/> Industry: Oil and Gas                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Industry: Forestry                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Industry: Mining or Utility          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> NGO: Health or Environment           | <input type="checkbox"/> NGO: Stewardship                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> NGO: Research or Academia            | <input type="checkbox"/> Government: Municipal (Upper Basin*) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Government: Municipal (Lower Basin*) | <input type="checkbox"/> Government: Federal or Provincial    |

\*Municipal Government positions are defined as follows:

Upper Basin: Woodlands County, Yellowhead County, Brazeau County, M.D of Big Lakes, M.D.of Greenview, and M.D. Lesser Slave River

Middle Basin: Lac St. Anne County, Barrhead County, Westlock County, and Athabasca County

Lower Basin: Lac La Biche County, M.D. of Opportunity, and R.M. of Wood Buffalo

These definitions include the towns, villages, hamlets, summer villages, First Nation Reserves, and Métis Settlements within each sub-region.



**RETURN TO:**  
Janice Pitman, Secretary  
admin@awc-wpac.ca

**Election Statement:**

Please describe your experience and skills to contribute (key points, 100 words max, will be viewed by voting members at AGM):

I (print name) \_\_\_\_\_ agree with the Vision, Mission, and Values of the Athabasca Watershed Council. I understand that being a Director of the Board comes with both privileges and responsibilities. I will strive to be an active member of the Board and support the Council by participating in its activities and operations, including meetings, projects, events, fundraising, communications, and administration.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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**VISION:** The Athabasca watershed is ecologically healthy, diverse and dynamic.

**MISSION:** The Athabasca Watershed Council promotes, fosters respect, and plans for an ecologically healthy watershed by demonstrating leadership and facilitating informed decision-making to ensure environmental, economic and social sustainability.

**VALUES:**

- We value integrity, trust, and transparency.
- We respect all points of view.
- Water is a blessing and gift and is essential for environment, society, economy and the spirit.
- Respect the environment and people.
- We believe in consensus decision making.
- We respect economic necessities.
- We value a high standard of achievement and conduct in the WPAC.
- We value ecological health as foundational to all life.
- We value timely responses to issues.
- We value and respect the aboriginal communities, culture, and knowledge in the Athabasca watershed.
- We value inclusivity.
- We value creativity, innovation, and risk taking.
- We are responsible and accountable to all members.
- We are purpose driven.

**GOALS:**

- Ensure the Athabasca Watershed Council is an effective, efficient and sustainable Watershed Planning and Advisory Council.
- Improve watershed knowledge and understanding within the Athabasca Watershed Council.
- Champion increased awareness by providing information and education to all.
- Encourage and work towards protection, conservation, and enhancement of the ecological integrity of the watershed.
- Facilitate development and implementation of integrated planning for the watershed.
- Promote best practices to help achieve healthy aquatic ecosystems, safe and secure drinking water supplies and reliable quality water supplies for a sustainable economy.