

Opening on FMCBC Board of Directors

The FMCBC currently has an opening on its Board of Directors.

Following the departure of Director Sherry Durnford of the Island Mountain Ramblers, the Island region is still fairly represented by Directors Dunbar and Spencer. At their meeting on November 22nd, the Board decided to exercise the opportunity to replace her with a new Board member from another club for the remaining seven months—to June 2019 and the next AGM. It would be most helpful to the Fed if the new Board member could be derived from the Kamloops or Kootenays regions.

That said, if **any** individual—rep or club member—would like to join the Board for the next few months to help out it would be greatly appreciated. If you have any questions or are interested in filling the vacancy, you can contact Barry at barry.janyk@mountainclubs.org.

A description of the position is below.

Duties of members of the FMCBC Board of Directors (elected by Club Reps)

The role of an FMCBC Board Director (Director) is to participate in development of the strategic direction of the FMCBC, act on issues of policy and planning, contribute their individual skills and strengths, support the growth and improvement of FMCBC, act as a representative, and advocate for the organization and its mandate in the backcountry recreation community.

Time Commitment: Usually between 5-15 hours per month.

Communication

Directors play an important role in communicating important issues and information between the clubs in their region and the FMCBC.

The Directors listserv is the main method for the Board to discuss FMCBC business so it is important that the Directors review and, when requested, respond to emails received on the Directors listserv.

Administrative/Financial

Directors are required to submit their current contact information to be included in the FMCBC's Annual Information Return to the Canada Revenue Agency. This information includes the Director's home address including postal code, phone number and date of birth.

Directors are expected to review financial statements and provide ideas and feedback on the budget.

Directors are expected to attend monthly teleconference meetings between September and June and the FMCBC's Annual General Meeting, which usually takes place between late May and mid June. Some of the Directors' travel costs to attend the AGM are covered by the FMCBC. Monthly meetings generally occur in the evening from 7:30pm to 9:30pm via teleconference.

Committees

Directors are expected to participate on some of the FMCBC's committees based on their experience and individual skills.

