



The Alberta Fish & Game Association is your voice in conservation

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To all members of the AFGA Family (Life Members, Direct Members, Affiliated Clubs and their members, and AFGA Zones),

Your Executive, the Membership-Focus-Priorities-Programs Committee (MFPPC) and the Governance Committee (GOVC) have recently finished their work developing an integrated concept proposal addressing the membership structure of the AFGA.

Please review it below and direct your feedback to me, at president@afga.org . We will also be scheduling at least one Zoom feedback forum in November to discuss this.

Your feedback on this document will become the Bylaws you want for membership in the AFGA.

Those Bylaws will be developed by the GOVC, and approved by your AFGA Executive for release before the end of this year to form the basis for the next round of feedback, as promised when we began this process a year ago.

Please note:

- Nothing has been decided, all options are on the table.
- We need your feedback so we can develop a complete set of integrated Bylaws you are likely to approve at first review.
- All the terms that have the first letter of each word capitalized require definitions (such as Membership Register and Membership Obligations in paragraph [4]). None have been developed yet. If this proposed concept is accepted, the definitions will be developed and will form the first section of our new Bylaws, which you will review and approve.
- All the processes and forms that are needed for this concept to work have not been developed yet (such as organization application forms and criteria for membership). Once the new Bylaws are approved by the AFGA, these items will form part of the new Operations Manual, which you will also review and approve.

Yours in conservation,

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