

EDMONTON SOCIAL PLANNING COUNCIL

OBJECTS OF THE COUNCIL

NAME: The name of the organization shall be the Edmonton Social Planning Council.

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"The primary objects of the Council shall be research into, and development of plans and proposals to fulfill the social needs of the citizens of the City of Edmonton and to define the techniques by which these plans and proposals may be implemented. In effecting these objectives the Council shall be independent but shall cooperate with all interested agencies, organizations and individuals in the community and shall participate with them in their activities to the extent that these activities are concerned with the fulfillment of the social needs of the community. The Council shall to the extent of its abilities and resources:

- (a) Promote, in cooperation with all interested organizations and individuals, adequate and effective provision of community services.
- (b) Encourage and facilitate cooperation among and between agencies and organizations providing, or concerned about, community services.
- (c) Gather and disseminate information concerning community services.
- (d) Encourage and provided continuous review and analysis of social problems and apparent effectiveness of existing programs in resolving or containing such problems.
- (e) Serve as a clearing house for information on community services.
- (f) Encourage and promote public knowledge and understanding on the need for adequate community services.
- (g) Undertake to provide objective information on which planning and action should be based in order to engage in the coordination of services and the development of new programs.
- (h) Provided consulting and advisory services to organizations and agencies upon request.
- (i) Cooperate with other councils and related organizations in this and other communities having similar purposes.
- (j) Secure and accept money and other assistance for furthering the above objects.
- (k) Carry on such activities in relation to the foregoing as may be deemed advisable.

GEOGRAPHICAL AREA:

The area to be served by the Council shall include all of the City of Edmonton and adjacent communities, and such other municipalities and communities as may be determined from time to time by the Board of Directors.