

THE MANITOBA CRIMINAL JUSTICE ASSOCIATION

CONSTITUTION

1. The name of the Association is “The Manitoba Criminal Justice Association” and is an affiliate of the Canadian Criminal Justice Association.
2. Our Values are: Commitment, Integrity, Resolve, Respect.
3. Our Mission is: active participation and involvement in crime prevention initiatives through awareness and education.
4. The Purposes of the Association are:
 - (1) To promote and encourage cooperation and participation among all individuals, groups and organizations in Manitoba interested in problems and issues that result from criminal behaviour and to foster an environment for the expression of diverse interests in criminal justice;
 - (2) To promote the awareness of issues surrounding the administration of justice, prevention of crime, protection of the public, probation and parole, and correctional institutions;
 - (3) To help promote and coordinate crime prevention strategies through community involvement of all interested parties including providing forums for discussions and the opportunity to network with those interested in addressing these issues;
 - (4) To participate in programs aimed at increasing awareness and understanding of current issues in the Canadian justice system, including legislation, criminal justice services, education, rehabilitation and victim resources;
 - (5) To encourage research and participate in programs and studies addressing criminal justice issues.

- (6) To promote fellowship and co-operation within the Criminal Justice System;
 - (7) To facilitate the sharing of information between the Justice System and the community;
 - (8) To raise funds by any lawful means including, but not limited to, subscriptions, grants, donations, legacies or fees.
5. The Association shall be operated exclusively as a non-profit organization without financial gain to its Members and all profits and other monies and assets of the Association shall be used to promote the purposes as set forth in paragraph 4 of this Constitution.
6. On the winding-up or dissolution of the Association all funds and assets of the Association remaining after the satisfaction of its debts and liabilities shall be given or transferred to the Canadian Criminal Justice Association Trust Account for future rejuvenation activities. This provision shall be unalterable