

Hockey Saskatchewan

Board of Director Nominee – Information Package

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Who I Am:

- Over 33 years of experience in education, including 22 years in school administration, and 2 years in senior leadership.
- Deeply committed to youth development, leadership, and community service.
- Involved in hockey for over four decades as an official, mentor, clinician, coach, and board member.
- Vice-Chair of the Hockey Saskatchewan Board (2024–Present), with service on multiple committees.
- Recognized with the Queen's Platinum Jubilee Award (April 2023) for community leadership.

1. Priority for Hockey Saskatchewan to Positively Influence Grassroots Hockey:

- **Support and Retain Volunteers:** Strengthen recruitment, training, and recognition of coaches, officials, and administrators.
- Enhance Accessibility: Promote inclusive programming for rural, Indigenous, and underrepresented communities.
- Focus on Development: Invest in mentorship, coaching, and education for players and officials at all levels.
- **Promote Respect and Safety:** Continue to build a culture of respect, mental wellness, and safe sport environments.

2. Experiences and Competencies That Add Value to the Board:

- **Governance Experience:** Over a decade on the Hockey Saskatchewan Board, including leadership roles in governance, finance, HR, and officiating. Over three decades of involvement in the Sasktchewan Officiating Development Committee (Referees Division Executive)
- **Policy Development:** Active contributor to the transition to a Policy Governance model.
- **National Perspective:** Participation in Hockey Canada task teams, Hockey Canda meetings, and national officiating programs.

PROVINCIAL LEADER IN SPORT EXCELLENCE.



- Leadership in Education: Proven success in strategic planning, team leadership, and interagency collaboration.
- **Community Engagement:** Chair of multi-agency HUB committees (Interagency approach to supporting complex child and family situations) and justice initiatives.

3. Current or Recent Experience with Hockey in Saskatchewan:

- Vice-Chair, Hockey Saskatchewan Board (2024–Present). Hockey Saskatchewan Board member since 2013.
- Chair, Audit & Finance and Appeal Committees.
- Member, Human Resources and Governance Committees. Past member of Concession, Member Engagement, Minor and Female Development Program Committees.
- Officiating Mentor and Clinician (1992–Present).
- Past Referee-in-Chief and Chair of Officiating Development Committee (2013-2020).
- Significant involvement in female officiating development.

4. Spare Time Interests:

- Volunteering with community justice and victim services boards.
- Supporting local initiatives and interagency partnerships in the Northeast region.
- Enjoying time with family and staying active in community leadership roles.

Why I'm Interested in Serving:

I believe in the power of hockey to shape character and build community. With my background in education, governance, and officiating, in large medium, and small communities, I bring a balanced, experienced, and collaborative voice to the Board. I am committed to advancing Hockey Saskatchewan's mission and ensuring the game remains accessible, safe, and rewarding for all participants.

I respectfully ask for your support in continuing my work on the Hockey Saskatchewan Board of Directors.

If you would like to speak more about my Hockey Saskatchewan role and future, please email at <u>tnorum@sasktel.net</u> or call at (306) 873-0125.