

**Notice to All Members & BCWF Affiliated Clubs
Announcing the 67th Annual General Meeting of the B.C. Wildlife Federation**



As per the Bylaws of the B.C. Wildlife Federation:

4.4 Annual Meetings

An Annual General Meeting of the Federation shall be held at least once in every calendar year at the time and place the Board determines. The AGM reports on the business of the previous year, providing members the opportunity to hear various reports and ask questions.

Our Annual General Meeting will be held on **Thursday, April 20th, Friday, April 21st and Saturday, April 22nd, 2023**, at the Vancouver Island Conference Centre located in Nanaimo, BC. All BCWF members are eligible to attend, however advanced registration is required. Please visit our webpage to register for the AGM & Convention, bcwf.bc.ca/2023AGM/ as well as for more information.

Club Voting Eligibility:

Only selected and registered delegates may vote, with verification that their BCWF Club Membership is current and paid in full up to December 31st, 2022.

Clubs are granted voting rights based on the number of their club members.

- 100 or less members = 1 vote
- 101 – 200 members = 2 votes
- 201 – 500 members = 3 votes
- 501 and over = 3 votes
- Plus 1 vote for every 500 members over 501

BCWF Direct Members Club:

BCWF Direct Members (those that are not Members of a local Fish & Game Club), are entitled to send **voting delegates** to represent them at the 2023 BCWF AGM & Convention. Delegates chosen will be expected to represent the diverse interests of the Direct Members and speak on their behalf at the AGM & Convention.

How to Apply – Voting Direct Member Delegate

In addition to registering with the link provided below, Members that are interested in attending the 2023 BCWF AGM & Convention as a Direct Member Delegate are also required to submit a short letter outlining their reasons for attending the event.

The Executive Committee will review the applications and notify members of the results the week prior to the 2023 AGM & Convention. To be a Voting-Direct Member you must have paid dues for 2022 and be a member in good standing, at the time of the 2023 AGM & Convention.

Applications must be received by Monday, April 3th, 2023 at 11:59 pm by email to: Janelle.Robertson@bcwf.bc.ca

Board of Directors Nominations & Election Information:

Board of Directors nominations will occur both online prior to and live, from the floor, at the 2023 AGM & Convention. More information will be available on our website, along with the nominations form, at: bcwf.bc.ca/2023agm - Board Nominations & 2023 Board Election. In order to have your nomination information posted on the website in advance of the AGM & Convention, it must be submitted online by **April 3rd, 2023**. All nominees will have the opportunity to give a 5-minute presentation to delegates on the final day of the AGM & Convention, prior to the elections.

Resolutions:

The Resolutions package can be found [HERE](#). The package will allow registrants to review vital details regarding the resolutions presented to the BCWF for consideration at the 2023 AGM & Convention.

Important Deadlines:

- BCWF Direct Members Voting Delegate Application: **11:59pm on April 3rd, 2023**
- AGM & Convention Registration: **Open at 1:00pm on February 16th, 2023, Closed at 11:59pm on April 3th, 2023.**

Important Links:

- [BCWF AGM & Convention Landing Page](#)

Please note: Should you require assistance with the Registration Process you are welcome to contact our office at 1-888-881-2293 and we will be happy to assist you.