



February 22, 2018

MEMORANDUM

Purpose: Action Information

TO: Chair and Members of the Commission

FROM: Laurie Hawn, Chair
Governance Committee

SUBJECT: EPC Policy #5.8 – Commission Association Memberships

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission maintain its membership with the

- Alberta Association of Police Governance (AAPG)
- Canadian Association of Police Governance (CAPG)
- National Association for Civilian Oversight of Law Enforcement (NACOLE)
- Canadian Association for Civilian Oversight of Law Enforcement (CACOLE)
- REACH (Edmonton Council for Safe Communities)

BACKGROUND:

As per Edmonton Police Commission Policy #5.8 (Commission Association Memberships) the Commission, at its second meeting of the year, shall review and approve Commission corporate memberships.

Individual Commissioner memberships must be approved by the Commission as a whole.

Below are the Commission's current memberships:

- Alberta Association of Police Governance (AAPG)
- Canadian Association of Police Governance (CAPG)
- National Association for Civilian Oversight of Law Enforcement (NACOLE)
- Canadian Association for Civilian Oversight of Law Enforcement (CACOLE)
- REACH (Edmonton Council for Safe Communities)

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The Governance Committee is recommending the above motion for Commission approval.

Laurie Hawn
Chair
Governance Committee

Attachment (1)

Effective: November 30 th , 2007	Revised: April 19, 2012
Repealed:	September 17, 2015 October 27, 2016

5.8 COMMISSION ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS

The Edmonton Police Commission supports the goals of associations and other organizations that share common interests and that advocate in support of community safety, and innovative, responsive community policing. Where the Commission determines that membership in such an association is warranted, the Commission is authorized to hold a corporate membership in the organization. A decision to hold a corporate membership of this nature shall be made by a vote of the majority at a Commission meeting.

Examples of the organizations that may warrant support and membership include:

1. Canadian Association of Police Governance (CAPG);
2. Canadian Association of Civilian Oversight of Law Enforcement (CACOLE);
3. National Association of Civilian Oversight of Law Enforcement (NACOLE);
4. Alberta Association of Police Governance (AAPG); and,
5. Other associations as deemed appropriate by the Commission.

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