CAPG MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

The Canadian Association of Police Governance (CAPG) primary role is to promote excellence in police governance and oversight in Canada. Our members benefit from a growing list of tools including educational opportunities, training and resources that assist police boards and commissions across Canada in their formal function of oversight and governance of municipal and First Nations police services.

LEADING EDGE COMMUNICATIONS

CAPG brings members and partners together on a regular basis to share knowledge and develop deeper connections.

- **Community News -** A bi-weekly eBlast with updates on community/member items such as newsletters, upcoming events, municipal, provincial and national updates, and more.
- **Hill Times Headlines -** Distribution of exclusive Monday Morning Headlines from the Hill Times, Canada's premier Politics and Government newsweekly.
- **CAPG Board Connection** CAPG's quarterly newsletter that keeps you informed and up to date on trends, happenings and innovations in police governance.
- Social Networking Canada's leading police governance news items on Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn.
- CAPG Website The CAPG website delivers a wealth of information to the general public and members alike
- **Community Calendar** The CAPG has developed an interactive online calendar with upcoming events of interest. Members receive priority for advertising their upcoming events.
- CAPG Job Board The <u>Job Board</u> provides members the opportunity to seek out the best candidates for their service. Job postings will also be added to LinkedIn CAPG Job Opportunity group and disseminated on social media.

INNOVATIVE RESOURCES & LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

CAPG ensures that members have independent access to the information and insights needed to be effective as police governance organizations.

CAPG Conference & Summit Discounts

For over 26 years, the CAPG has delivered sector-leading conferences and summits on police governance, civilian oversight and policing in Canada. Our events offer engaging plenary and group discussions lead by thought-leaders and field experts, skill building workshops led by some of the sectors leading minds, and networking opportunities with decision makers and executive level members. CAPG members receive significant savings to all CAPG events.



Member's Learning Portal

The CAPG Learning Portal is an exclusive feature of CAPG membership. Delivering key resources and training for new and seasoned board and commission members, the CAPG Learning Portal provides members with a user-friendly tool allowing them to keep informed on best practices relating to policing policy and police governance.

Members can use the CAPG Learning Portal searchable database when seeking guidance for their organization, in developing policy, or to stay abreast on the latest from the police governance sector. Members can leverage the Discussion Forum to engage with the CAPG Community and seek guidance in matters of importance to their organizations.

Online Training and Webinars

The CAPG's monthly webinar series delivers timely, engaging training and information sessions from a diverse list of field experts and knowledge brokers. Members receive a 50% discount on registration fees and receive priority registration.

Network Co-ordination between Membership

CAPG co-ordinates and facilitates networking opportunities with boards, commissions, decision makers and other stakeholders across Canada.

Members Directory

A full Members' directory, with up-to-date organizational information, is available on the website exclusively for CAPG members.

ADVOCACY & POLICY DEVELOPMENT

Representing excellence in police governance, the CAPG articulates a common national voice on priority issues in police governance and community safety, and advocates for change.

The CAPG provides a platform where members can make a difference by influencing policy and decision makers. From highlighting how federal legislation can have significant impacts at the local level to conducting a grassroots advocacy campaign on issues identified by members via Resolutions, CAPG will ensure your voice is heard at the highest levels in the country.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

CAPG provides members the opportunity to hone their leadership skills by participating in a variety of committees. CAPG members who are looking to engage with a national group of their peers, to build their network, develop their skills and contribute to the CAPG's mandate. The Committees are set out below and the Terms of Reference are available on the CAPG website.

- 1. Governance
- 2. Member Engagement & Advocacy
- 3. Research & Policy
- 4. Conference
- 5. First Nations

