



THE MANITOBA CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE
ENTREPRENEURIAL SPIRIT - COMMUNITY VALUES

Manitoba Chambers of Commerce – 2017 Annual General Meeting

Wednesday, May 3

1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Chamber Executives of Manitoba (CEM) Sessions

6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. CEM Networking Dinner

Thursday, May 4

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Registration

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Annual General Meeting and Business Meeting – Chaired by Kyle Romaniuk

- Launch of MCC Strategic Plan

2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. MCC Policy Debate

6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Host Evening Reception
Journey to Churchill – Assiniboine Park Zoo

Friday, May 5

8:00 a.m.

Breakfast featuring Keynote Address

- Hon. Heather Stefanson – Minister of Justice & Deputy Premier

9:15 a.m.

Session One – Keynote Address

- Colonel Andrew Cook – 17 Wing Commander - Canadian Armed Forces

10:15 a.m.

Networking Break

10:30 a.m.

Session Two – Panel Discussion

Preparing for Climate Change and Carbon Tax

- Phillip Gass – Senior Researcher, International Institute for Sustainable Development (IISD)
- Terry Shaw – Executive Director, Manitoba Trucking Association (MTA)
- James Battershill – General Manager, Keystone Agricultural Producers (KAP)

11:45 a.m.

Luncheon featuring Keynote Address

- Hon. Jim Carr, Minister of Natural Resources

1:15 p.m.

Session Three – Panel Discussion

Political Pundits

- Sean Kavanagh, Provincial Affairs Report, CBC Winnipeg
- Mary Agnes Welch – Research Associate, Probe Research
- Geoff Currier – Talk Show Host, 680 CJOB

2:15 p.m.

Networking Break

2:30 p.m.

Session Four – Panel Discussion

Secrets of a Successful Chamber

- Jennifer Hagen – Director, Chamber Development & Services, Canadian Chamber of Commerce
- Steve McLellan – CEO, Saskatchewan Chamber of Commerce
- Cindy McDonald – Chair, Chamber Executives of Manitoba

3:30 – 4:15 p.m.

Bear Pit Session

- Chuck Davidson – President & CEO Manitoba Chambers of Commerce

5:45 p.m.

Chair's Reception

6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Dinner and Evening Program

- MCC Volunteer of the Year
- MCC Harry Mardon Award – Director of the Year
- Retiring Board Member Recognition

MCC Manitoba Trivia Hosted by Larry McIntosh