



# 2026 Ministers' Dinner

<b>Attendee Company</b>	<b>Attendee Name</b>
<b>TABLE 1</b>	
Manitoba Heavy Construction Association	Dennis Cruise
PCL Constructors Canada Inc.	Jason Hannah
Manitoba Chambers of Commerce	Brent Hutton
Winnipeg Construction Association	Darryl Harrison
Canada Life	Mehalan Garoonanedhi
Manitoba School Boards Association	Leah Klassen
Deer Lodge Centre Foundation	Cat Ross
Graham Construction & Engineering LP	Chris Erbus
KPMG LLP	Andrew Behnke
<b>Public Service Delivery</b>	<b>Honourable Mintu Sandhu</b>
<b>Justice</b>	<b>Honourable Matt Wiebe</b>
<b>Finance (Legislative Assistant)</b>	<b>JD Devgan</b>
<b>TABLE 2</b>	
Manitoba Heavy Construction Association	Adriana Mingo
Manitoba Heavy Construction Association	Tony Teixeira
PCL Constructors Canada Inc.	Kristjan Sackney
KPMG LLP	Ross Homeniuk
Keystone Agricultural Producers	Colin Hornby
Travel Manitoba	Heidi Thomas
Business Council of Manitoba	Kate Doer
CAA	Ewald Friesen
Heavy Equipment & Aggregate Truckers Association of Manitoba Inc. (H.E.A.T. Inc.)	Jordan Brown
<b>Transportation and Infrastructure</b>	<b>Honourable Lisa Naylor</b>
<b>Public Service Delivery</b>	<b>Honourable Mintu Sandhu</b>
<b>Justice</b>	<b>Honourable Matt Wiebe</b>
<b>TABLE 3</b>	
Manitoba Pork Council	Grant Melnychuk
Keystone Agricultural Producers	Kevin Peters
CN	Thomas Bateman
Dairy Farmers of Manitoba	Miriam Sweetnam
WSP Canada Inc.	Cam Tytgat
Fairmont Winnipeg	Karen Bryk

North Forge	Joelle Foster
PTI Transformers LP	Brett Todd
SaskTel	Kelly Money
<b>Labour and Immigration</b>	<b>Honourable Malaya Marcelino</b>
<b>Transportation and Infrastructure</b>	<b>Honourable Lisa Naylor</b>
<b>Public Service Delivery</b>	<b>Honourable Mintu Sandhu</b>

**TABLE 4**

Manitoba Heavy Construction Association	Chris Lorenc
Manitoba Real Estate Association	Kim Gandier
Miller Environmental	Paul Bauer
Town of Niverville	Councillor Meghan Beasant
Winnipeg Construction Association	Peter Bernatsky
Canada Life	Nina Chiarelli
Calm Air	Tara Elder-Young
Manitoba Chambers of Commerce	Elisabeth Saftiuk
Harvest Manitoba	Vince Barletta
	Elder Barbara Nepinak
<b>Finance</b>	<b>Honourable Adrien Sala</b>
<b>Labour and Immigration</b>	<b>Honourable Malaya Marcelino</b>
<b>Transportation and Infrastructure</b>	<b>Honourable Lisa Naylor</b>

**TABLE 5**

RRC Polytech	Fred Meier
Manitoba Pork Council	Scott Peters
Manitoba Pork Council	Didi Daman
Manitoba Heavy Construction Association	Nicole Chabot
Miller Environmental	Ryan Hardy
Vale Base Metals	Jeff Gaulin
CPHR	Laura Haines-Morrisette
Travel Manitoba	Angela Cassie
Manitoba Chambers of Commerce	Chuck Davidson
<b>Business, Mining, Trade and Job Creation</b>	<b>Honourable Jamie Moses</b>
<b>Finance</b>	<b>Honourable Adrien Sala</b>
<b>Labour and Immigration</b>	<b>Honourable Malaya Marcelino</b>

**TABLE 6**

PCL Constructors Canada Inc.	Adam Taferner
TC Energy	Bob Boyce
Sigfusson Northern	Sean Campbell
Credit Union Central of Manitoba	Louise Smith
Vale Base Metals	Jeremy Sawatzky
Valley Fiber	Larry Goerzen

MITT	Beverlie Stuart
Winnipeg Airports Authority Inc.	Nicole Stefaniuk
Upstream Strategy Group	Jen Anthony
<b>Health, Seniors and Long-Term Care</b>	<b>Honourable Uzoma Asagwara</b>
<b>Business, Mining, Trade and Job Creation</b>	<b>Honourable Jamie Moses</b>
<b>Finance</b>	<b>Honourable Adrien Sala</b>

**TABLE 7**

Manitoba Heavy Construction Association	Felicia Wiltshire
TC Energy	Lane Boucher
Labatt Breweries (Guest of Beer Canada)	Warren Chandler
Winnipeg Labour Council (Guest of UCN)	Melissa Dvorak
Calm Air	Michel LaRiviere
Doctors Manitoba	Keir Johnson
Cambrian Credit Union	Marilyn Brennan
Global Public Affairs	Kim Kline
Manitoba International Pharmacists Association	Jordan Jones
<b>Chief of Staff</b>	<b>Mark Rosner</b>
<b>Health, Seniors and Long-Term Care</b>	<b>Honourable Uzoma Asagwara</b>
<b>Business, Mining, Trade and Job Creation</b>	<b>Honourable Jamie Moses</b>

**TABLE 8**

Manitoba Pork Council	John Nickel
Valley Fiber	Conley Kehler
Canadian Beverage Container Recycling Association	Jill Knaggs
Rural Municipality of Ritchot	Chris Ewen
EPLS Group of Companies	Mark Colley
WSP Canada Inc.	Larry Halayko
Winnipeg Economic Development & Tourism	Amanda Macdonald
Bird Construction Group	Travis Paul
Stantec	Ben Lee
<b>Municipal and Northern Relations</b>	<b>Honourable Glen Simard</b>
<b>Chief of Staff</b>	<b>Mark Rosner</b>
<b>Health, Seniors and Long-Term Care</b>	<b>Honourable Uzoma Asagwara</b>

**TABLE 9**

Beer Canada	Evan Southern
Manitoba Hotel Association	Michael Juce
RMED	Margot Cathcart
Town of Niverville	Deputy Mayor Nathan Dueck
Chadwick Consulting Ltd.	Tom Garrett
Thompson Regional Airport Authority/Area_55	Laura Finlay
Counsel Public Affairs Inc.	Jodee Mason

Harris Leadership Strategies	Keith Sinclair
MNP LLP	Rossana Buonpensiere
<b>Deputy Chief of Staff</b>	<b>Rebecca Witticombe</b>
<b>Municipal and Northern Relations</b>	<b>Honourable Glen Simard</b>
<b>Chief of Staff</b>	<b>Mark Rosner</b>

**TABLE 10**

Manitoba School Boards Association	Josh Watt
Doctors Manitoba	Katiana Krawchenko
Blueprint Inc.	Michelle Kuly
EPLS Group of Companies	Busola Famuyide
CAA	Meagan Klassen
Manitoba Council for International Education Inc. / Le Conseil d'éducation internationale du Manitoba Inc.	Cheryl Prokopanko
Municipal Property Assessment Corporation Commercial Software	Carl Sader
Manitoba Chambers of Commerce	Munzareen Raza
Stantec	Robyn Koropatnick
<b>Education and Early Childhood Learning</b>	<b>Honourable Tracy Schmidt</b>
<b>Deputy Chief of Staff</b>	<b>Rebecca Witticombe</b>
<b>Municipal and Northern Relations</b>	<b>Honourable Glen Simard</b>

**TABLE 11**

RRC Polytech	Christine Watson
UW Foundation	Dallas Goulden
CPHR	Ed Keddy
Chadwick Consulting Ltd.	Jamie Dumont
Steinbach Chamber of Commerce	Eugene Warwaruk
Brandish	Lee Waltham
Graham Construction & Engineering LP	Drew Monnier
I.H. Asper School of Business	Kathy Knight
New Media Manitoba	Louie Ghiz
<b>Advanced Education and Training</b>	<b>Honourable Renée Cable</b>
<b>Education and Early Childhood Learning</b>	<b>Honourable Tracy Schmidt</b>
<b>Deputy Chief of Staff</b>	<b>Rebecca Witticombe</b>

**TABLE 12**

Manitoba Chambers of Commerce	Kay Gardiner
RRC Polytech	Emily Doer
Keystone Agricultural Producers	Jill Verwey
Miller Environmental	Dave Howes
UCN	Jackie Fitzpatrick
University of Winnipeg	Dr. Jino Distasio

Assiniboine Park Conservancy Inc.	Ray Karasevich
Canadian Beverage Container Recycling Association	Ken Friesen
North Forge	Whitney Morgan
<b>Environment and Climate Change</b>	<b>Honourable Mike Moyes</b>
<b>Advanced Education and Training</b>	<b>Honourable Renée Cable</b>
<b>Education and Early Childhood Learning</b>	<b>Honourable Tracy Schmidt</b>

**TABLE 13**

Manitoba Pork Council	Jonathan Sawatzky
Manitoba Real Estate Association	Stewart Elston
TC Energy	Ashley Mathew-Lang
Miller Environmental	Mitch Obach
Travel Manitoba	Louise Waldman
Mid Canada Transload Services Ltd.	Real Tetrault
Multi-Material Stewardship Manitoba	Christa Rust
Providence University College	Kenton Anderson
Reclay Steward Edge	Adrian Vannahme
<b>Agriculture</b>	<b>Honourable Ron Kostyshyn</b>
<b>Environment and Climate Change</b>	<b>Honourable Mike Moyes</b>
<b>Advanced Education and Training</b>	<b>Honourable Renée Cable</b>

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Manitoba Pork Council	Edna Rich
Credit Union Central of Manitoba	Jackie Wild
CropLife Canada	Elliot Sims
Travel Manitoba	Lauren Reeves
World Trade Centre Winnipeg	Natalie Beaudry
Winnipeg Airports Authority Inc.	Deirdre Zebrowski
360 Private Wealth Management, Manulife Wealth	Bjorn Kragh-Hansen
Capital Prosperity Advisors Inc.	Jodie Parmar
Southeast Economic Development Corporation	Scott Rickey
<b>Caucus Whip</b>	<b>Billie Cross</b>
<b>Agriculture</b>	<b>Honourable Ron Kostyshyn</b>
<b>Environment and Climate Change</b>	<b>Honourable Mike Moyes</b>

**TABLE 15**

Dairy Farmers of Manitoba	Jacob Stephens
Harvest Manitoba	Meaghan Erbus
RBC Convention Centre Winnipeg	Matthew Wedlake
Victoria LifeLife	Krystal Stokes
Victoria Lifeline	Sia Erlendson
Manitoba Real Estate Association	Akash Bedi
Department of Families	Alex Krosney

<b>Families</b>	<b>Honourable Nahanni Fontaine</b>
<b>Caucus Whip</b>	<b>Billie Cross</b>
<b>Agriculture</b>	<b>Honourable Ron Kostyshyn</b>

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TC Energy	Jared Etcheverry
RRC Polytech	Kelly McCrae
Johnston Group	Kristi Meek
Johnston Group	Delaney Meek
Manitoba Association of Women's Shelters	Maria Paz
Department of Families	Alex Krosney
<b>Director of Outreach and Stakeholder Relations</b>	<b>Michael Kelly</b>
<b>Families</b>	<b>Honourable Nahanni Fontaine</b>
<b>Caucus Whip</b>	<b>Billie Cross</b>

**TABLE 17**

Manitoba Real Estate Association	Chris Dudeck
JohnQ Public Inc.	Michelle Pereira
Manitoba Association of Women's Shelters	Tsungai Mvingi Van Landeghem
Manitoba Council for International Education Inc. / Le Conseil d'éducation internationale du Manitoba Inc.	Robert Daudet
MNP LLP	Greg Runke
Assiniboia Chamber of Commerce	Amanda Gibson
Department of Families	Alex Krosney
<b>Housing, Addictions and Homelessness</b>	<b>Honourable Bernadette Smith</b>
<b>Director of Outreach and Stakeholder Relations</b>	<b>Michael Kelly</b>
<b>Families</b>	<b>Honourable Nahanni Fontaine</b>

**TABLE 18**

Steinbach Chamber of Commerce	Chris Esau
Peerless Garments LP	Albert El Tassi
Manitoba Real Estate Association	Catherine Schellenberg
Lazy Bear Expeditions	Darryl Neufeld
Lazy Bear Expeditions	Robyn Lore
Portage la Prairie & District Chamber	Stefanie Dunn
<b>Sport, Culture, Heritage and Tourism (Legislative Assistant)</b>	<b>Diljeet Brar</b>
<b>Housing, Addictions and Homelessness</b>	<b>Honourable Bernadette Smith</b>
<b>Director of Outreach and Stakeholder Relations</b>	<b>Michael Kelly</b>

**TABLE 19**

University of Winnipeg	Danielle Dunbar
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Access Credit Union	Myrna Wiebe
Cornerstone Timberframes Inc.	Michael Pankratz
WeMB (Manitoba Women's Enterprise Centre)	Jackie Hunt
World Trade Centre Winnipeg	André Brin
Bird Construction Group	Richard Marshall
Brandish	Justine McDonald
Harris Leadership Strategies	Morgan Sinclair
MMI Group	Martin McGarry
<b>Innovation and New Technology</b>	<b>Honourable Mike Moroz</b>
<b>Sport, Culture, Heritage and Tourism (Legislative Assistant)</b>	<b>Diljeet Brar</b>
<b>Housing, Addictions and Homelessness</b>	<b>Honourable Bernadette Smith</b>

**TABLE 20**

PCL Constructors Canada Inc.	Scott McCulloch
RMED	Samuel Solomon
Cornerstone Timberframes Inc.	Brenden Valks
Davis Immigration Law Office	David Davis
Brandon Chamber of Commerce	Emelio Brown
BSDXR (Guest of New Media Manitoba)	Dan Blair
Cambrian Credit Union	Deanne Magnus
CGI	Tamara Pound
Manitoba International Pharmacists Association	Tim Smith
<b>Health, Seniors and Long-Term Care (Legislative Assistant)</b>	<b>Jelynn Dela Cruz</b>
<b>Innovation and New Technology</b>	<b>Honourable Mike Moroz</b>
<b>Sport, Culture, Heritage and Tourism (Legislative Assistant)</b>	<b>Diljeet Brar</b>

**TABLE 21**

Winnipeg Economic Development & Tourism (Guest of Air Canada)	Frances Wellink
Winnipeg Economic Development & Tourism	Natalie Thiesen
Canadian Fossil Discovery Centre Inc.	Adolfo Cuetara
CGI	Sheryl Wachal Lerato
Fairmont Winnipeg	Kristin Valcourt
PM Houde Consultants	Philip Houde
PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP	Karlene Debance
PTI Transformers LP	Stephanie Jacobs-Lockhart
UW Foundation	Jenna Cloughley
<b>Sport, Culture, Heritage and Tourism</b>	<b>Honourable Nellie Kennedy</b>
<b>Health, Seniors and Long-Term Care (Legislative Assistant)</b>	<b>Jelynn Dela Cruz</b>
<b>Innovation and New Technology</b>	<b>Honourable Mike Moroz</b>

**TABLE 22**

Birchwood Inn (Guest of Manitoba Hotel Association)	Bruce MacKay
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Winnipeg Economic Development & Tourism (Guest of Air Canada)	Maria Paletta
Access Credit Union	Adam Monteith
Assiniboine Park Conservancy Inc.	Jana Thorsteinson
Lakehouse	Karly McRae
Teralta (Guest of Counsel Public Affairs Inc.)	Simon Pickup
Deer Lodge Centre Foundation	Tony Mariani
RBC Convention Centre Winnipeg	Drew Fisher
Rural Municipality of Ritchot	Shane Ray
<b>Finance (Legislative Assistant)</b>	<b>JD Devgan</b>
<b>Sport, Culture, Heritage and Tourism</b>	<b>Honourable Nellie Kennedy</b>
<b>Health, Seniors and Long-Term Care (Legislative Assistant)</b>	<b>Jelynn Dela Cruz</b>

**TABLE 23**

Manitoba Real Estate Association	Mardi McNicholl
Keystone Agricultural Producers	Jenneth Johanson
Steinbach Chamber of Commerce	Tessa Masi
Improving Winnipeg	Rod Giesbrecht
Brandon Chamber of Commerce	Curtis Hullick
Assiniboine College	Erin Selby
Heavy Equipment & Aggregate Truckers Association of Manitoba Inc. ( HEAT )	Bruce Henley
Perimeter Aviation	Carlos Castillo
Prairie Sky Strategy	Cameron Friesen
<b>Justice</b>	<b>Honourable Matt Wiebe</b>
<b>Finance (Legislative Assistant)</b>	<b>JD Devgan</b>
<b>Sport, Culture, Heritage and Tourism</b>	<b>Honourable Nellie Kennedy</b>