

Board of Directors (BOD)

The Yellowknife Vineyard Church board is responsible for the fiscal and financial life of the church. The board accomplishes this through the general supervision of the ongoing operation of the church and, as such, establishes the policies and procedures that govern the day-to-day operation of the church and its ministries. The senior pastor and church administrator of Yellowknife Vineyard form part of the BOD but cannot chair the board nor have voting rights.

Responsibilities of the board of directors (BOD)

- Following the PLT's recommendation, plan the development of the vision and mission statements, goals and objectives of the church, and the steps to reach those goals.
- This also includes development of an organizational plan, outlining the various ministries and positions needed to implement the ministry plan.
- Monitor the progress towards our vision and mission at regular intervals with the PLT and ministry leaders.
- Ensure that appropriate records are kept of legal and financial matters.
- Monitor progress (regular bi-monthly meetings, 6 total per year)
 - Average 5-10 hours monthly additional work outside of mtgs
- Ensure the church runs smoothly, efficiently and ethically (policies, records keeping, communication)
- Facilitates the Lead Pastor's performance review (evaluation)
- Conduct at least once a year, along with the pastors, a planning session for the purpose of updating a clear written understanding of vision, mission, goals, plans, and objectives.
- Provide for the development and adoption of an annual budget
- Provide ways and means for the support of the pastors or any other paid workers of the church.
- To adopt and implement a plan to reduce the risk that individuals placed in positions of authority within the church will use that position of trust or authority to engage in misconduct

Assigned roles

Chairperson

Initiates and facilitates meetings. Creates agendas and follows up on work with other directors.

Treasurer

Provides regular financial updates to the board and ensures annual tax reporting and charitable receipts are completed. Oversees healthy banking practices to protect fiscal responsibility.

Governance Director

Ensures constitutional & bylaw compliance and review. Enables policy development and oversight as necessary (i.e., abuse prevention policy). Is responsible for updates both territorially and federally, such as adding new directors or bylaw changes.