

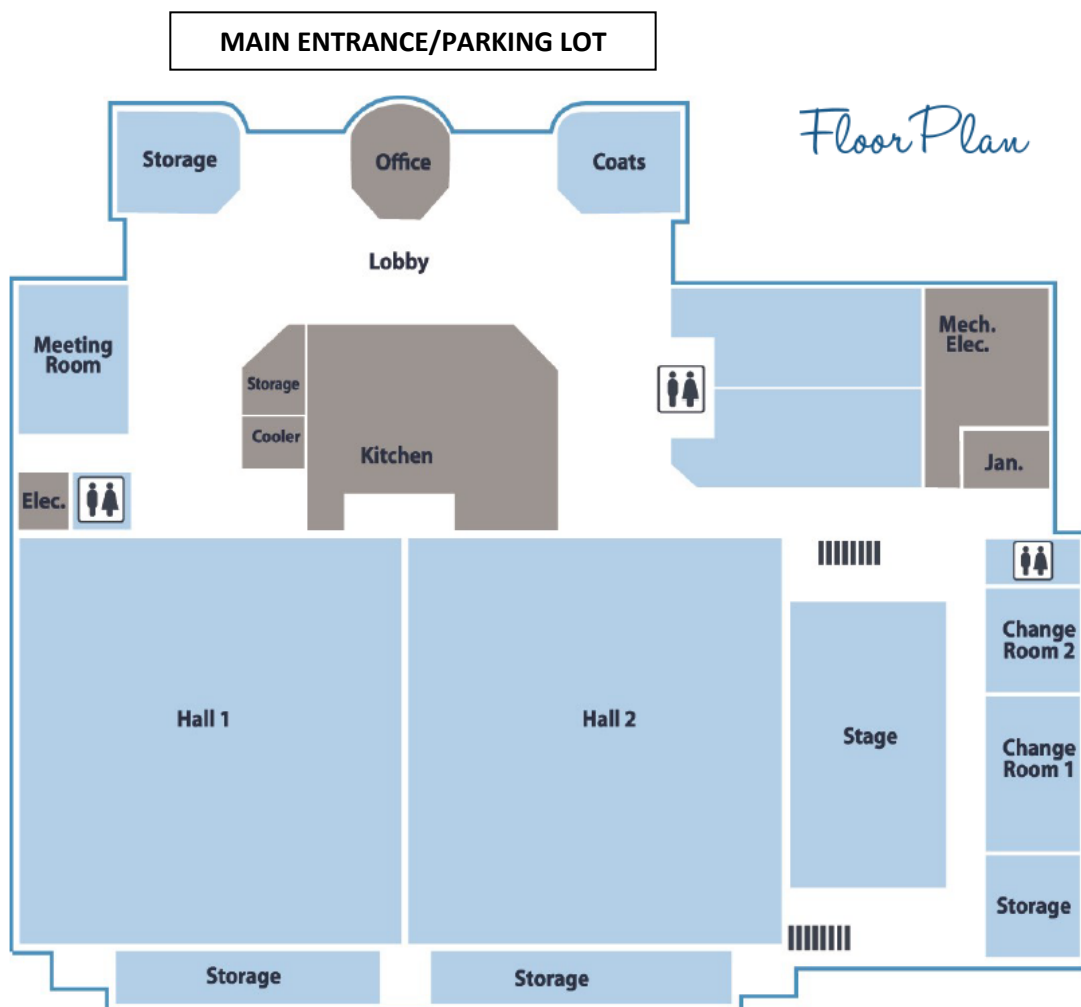


Alberta Association of Police Governance

# 2023 CONFERENCE PROGRAM

## LOU SOPPIT COMMUNITY CENTRE

4733 54<sup>th</sup> Ave., Rocky Mountain House AB T4T 1C8



Thursday, June 1, 2023

Time	Description	Location
6:00 pm -7:30 pm	Early Registration Open at the Venue: Lou Soppit Community Centre	Lobby – Lou Soppit Community Centre

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8:00 am – 3:00 pm	<b>Registration OPEN:</b> Lou Soppit Community Centre - Lobby <i>Silent Auction Open</i>	Lou Soppit - Lobby
7:00 am – 8:30 am	<b>Breakfast:</b> Included with hotel room at Canalta Hotel	
7:30 am – 9:30 am	<b>Shuttle</b> from Canalta Hotel to Lou Soppit Community Centre ( <i>every 20 minutes</i> ) <i>Last Shuttle at 9:30 am</i>	Canalta Hotel
8:00 am – 8:30 am	<b>Smudge Blessing</b> – for those who wish to attend First Nations Elder - Glen Waskewitch	Lou Soppit – Hall 1/2
8:30 am – 9:30 am	<b>OPENING CEREMONIES</b> Krazy Creek Drummers from the Bighorn Nakota Sioux Nation, Colours & VIP Entrance. Rise for O’Canada sung by Alina Kenzler, Grade 7 student at Pioneer Middle School. First Nations Elder Blessing by Glen Waskewitch. Welcome Address and Greeting: Mayor Debbie Baich, Town of Rocky Mountain House, Maureen Janke, Policing Committee Chair, Town of Rocky Mountain House Detachment Commander and AAPG Board Chair Rachel Hopf.	Lou Soppit – Hall 1/2
9:30 am – 10:30 am	<b>PRESENTATION</b> <b>Community Safety &amp; Well-Being in Canada Today</b> This session will highlight the current progress in Canada from crime prevention to community safety and well-being. The presentation will illustrate this trend using examples of community safety and well-being plans and will identify the potential roles for those in police governance roles. <i>Presented by: Felix Munger, Canadian Municipal Network on Crime Prevention</i>	Lou Soppit – Hall 1/2
10:30 am – 10:45 am	<b>Break:</b> Coffee & Tea with Ham and Cheese Rolls	Lou Soppit - Lobby
10:45 am – 12:00 pm	<b>Police Commissions</b> <b>EDUCATION &amp; TRAINING</b> <b>New Commission Member Orientation</b> This is an attendee directed session that will discuss the role of a Police Commission, the basics of police oversight and governance, the structure of the municipal police service and board basics. <i>Presented by: AAPG Chair &amp; Commission Board Member Rachel Hopf</i>	Lou Soppit – Hall 1
	<b>Policing Committees &amp; Advisory Members</b> <b>EDUCATION &amp; TRAINING</b> <b>New Member Committee &amp; Policing Advisory Orientation</b> This is an attendee directed session that will discuss the role of Policing Committees, the basics of police oversight and governance, the structure of the RCMP, board basics, and FOIP legislation. <i>Presented by: AAPG Vice-Chair &amp; Committee Board Member Ian Sanderson</i>	Lou Soppit – Hall 2
12:00 pm – 12:45 pm	<b>Lunch Buffet</b> – Sandwich/Soup/Mini Treats	Lou Soppit – Lobby
12:45 pm – 2:00 pm	<b>PRESENTATION</b> <b>First Nations Police Governance – Sharing Our Similarities and Differences</b> <i>Presented by: Violet Meguinis, Commission Chair, Tsuut’ina Nation Police Commission, and Chief Randy Ermineskin, Chief of Ermineskin Cree Nation, with AAPG Moderator</i>	Lou Soppit – Hall 1/2
2:00 pm – 2:25 pm	<b>Canadian Association of Police Governance: Update on National Governance Priorities</b> <i>Presented by: Amtul Siddiqui, CAPG Vice-President</i> <b>Depart to Networking Events</b>	Lou Soppit – Hall 1/2
2:30 pm – 6:00 pm	<b>EVENT 1: 9-hole Shotgun Golf Tournament at Pine Hills Golf Club – 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2:30 pm: <b>Shuttle</b> from Lou Soppit to Canalta Hotel (15 minutes to grab clubs and change)</li> <li>3:00 pm: <b>Only 1 Shuttle</b> from Canalta Hotel to Pine Hills Golf Course</li> <li>3:30 pm: Golf tournament check-in &amp; get to cart</li> <li>4:00 pm: Shotgun Start!</li> </ul>	Bus to Pine Hills
2:30 pm – 4:20 pm	<b>EVENT 2: Rocky Mountain House Museum Tour &amp; Scavenger Hunt</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2:15 pm: <b>Walk</b> from Lou Soppit to Rocky Mountain House Museum (2-min walk/its adjacent)</li> <li>2:30 pm: <b>Check-in</b> at the Museum</li> <li>2:40 pm – 4:20 pm: Tour and Scavenger Hunt!</li> <li>4:20 pm: <b>Shuttle depart</b> from Rocky Mountain House Museum to Pine Hills Banquet venue</li> </ul>	Walk to Museum
4:30 pm	<b>Shuttle</b> Canalta to Pine Hills Golf Club (Quick stop to pick up those who did not attend any event)	Canalta Hotel
5:00 pm – 10:00 pm	<b>AAPG Networking and Dinner Buffet</b> 5:00 pm – 6:30 pm: Join us for happy hour in the lounge of Pine Hills Golf Club and enjoy work and music by local artists. The silent auction will be open at this time. Drink Ticket can be used here. 6:30 pm: Buffet Dinner: New York Steak, Chicken Parmesan, Applewood Mac and Cheese, Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Grilled Vegetables, Caesar Salad, plus dessert to follow! Red & White wine included with your meal. 7:30 pm: <b>KEYNOTE SPEAKER:</b> Dr. Irvin Waller, Emeritus Professor, University of Ottawa <i>The Future of Police Governance- Harnessing What Works to Achieve Significant Reduction in Violent Crime</i>	Pine Hills Golf Club
9:00 pm & 10:00 pm	<b>Shuttle</b> from Pine Hills Golf Club to Canalta Hotel (9pm and 10pm Departures from Pine Hills)	Pine Hills Golf Club

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7:30 am – 9:15 am	<b>Registration OPEN:</b> Lou Soppit Community Centre - Lobby <i>Silent Auction Open</i>	Lou Soppit - Lobby
7:00 am – 8:30 am	<b>Breakfast:</b> Included with room at the Canalta Hotel	
7:30 am – 9:00 am	<b>Shuttle</b> from Canalta Hotel to Lou Soppit Community Centre Last shuttle at 9:00 am	Canalta Hotel
8:00 am – 9:00 am	<b>AAPG Annual General Meeting</b> A representative from ALL AAPG Members should attend! <i>Facilitated by: Rachel Hopf, Chair of AAPG</i>	Lou Soppit – Hall 2
9:00 am – 9:15 am	<b>Break:</b> Coffee & Tea with Cinnamon Buns	Lou Soppit – Lobby
9:15 am – 9:45 am	<b>ALERT-CAC and Alberta Police Advisory Board (APAB) Updates</b> <i>Presented by: Shazia Amiri – ALERT CAC member, and Gloria Brathwaite - AAPG representative on the APAB</i>	Lou Soppit – Hall 1/2
9:45 am – 10:15 am	<b>PRESENTATION</b> <b>Online Training Program Overview: A Taste of Governance and Oversight</b> <i>Presented by: Victoria Chester, Executive Director AAPG</i>	Lou Soppit – Hall 1/2
10:15 am – 10:45 am	<b>PRESENTATION</b> <b>Transitioning to a Municipal Police Service</b> <i>Presented by: Lorrie Sitler, Executive Director, Grande Prairie Police Commission</i>	Lou Soppit – Hall 1/2
10:45 am – 12:00 pm	<b>EDUCATION &amp; TRAINING</b> <b>Creating Policy on Race-Based Data Collection</b> In 2017, Ontario passed the <i>Anti-Racism Act</i> that required the collection of race-based data by specific public organizations, including the police. The Toronto Police Services Board followed suit by requiring their police service to collect race-based use of force data. <i>Presented by: Danielle Dowdy, Strategic Policy Advisor, Toronto Police Services Board</i>	Lou Soppit – Hall 1
	<b>EDUCATION &amp; TRAINING</b> <b>Building Future Partnerships for Restorative Justice and Victims Services</b> How building relationships, working smarter, and crafting an efficient referral process in partnership with Victim Services and the RCMP has elevated a community-based restorative justice program. Hear how a collaborative approach saw an increase in referrals and continues to strengthen the relationship between the three partners to increase accessibility to this important community program. <i>Presented by: Brian Turpin- Regional Coordinator, Peace Regional Victim Services, China Sieger - Program Coordinator, Peace Regional Restorative Justice</i>	Lou Soppit – Hall 2
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	<b>Lunch Buffet</b> – Shepherd’s Pie/Salad	Lou Soppit - Lobby
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	<b>PRESENTATION</b> <b>Community Perspectives on Hate Crimes in Alberta</b> AHCC research study findings, recommendations, and resources. <i>Presented by: Nina Saini, Executive Director, Alberta Hate Crimes Committee, and Cameron Stewart, Board President, Alberta Hate Crimes Committee</i>	Lou Soppit – Hall 1/2
2:00 pm – 3:15 pm	<b>Police Commissions</b> <b>ROUND TABLE - Sharing Best Practices and Challenges</b> Question, Answer and Sharing session <i>Facilitated by: AAPG Commission Board Members</i>	Lou Soppit – Hall 1
	<b>Policing Committees &amp; Advisory Members</b> <b>ROUND TABLE - Sharing Best Practices and Challenges</b> Question, Answer and Sharing session <i>Facilitated by AAPG Committee &amp; Advisory Board Members</i>	Lou Soppit – Hall 2
3:15 pm – 3:30 pm	<b>Break:</b> Coffee & Tea with Assorted Cookies <b>SILENT AUCTION CLOSES – pay at the Registration Desk</b>	Lou Soppit - Lobby
3:30 pm – 4:00 pm	<b>PRESENTATION</b> <b>New Ministry Vision/Plan and Discussion on Bill 6</b> <i>Presented by: Rachel Hopf, Chair AAPG and Ian Sanderson, Vice Chair AAPG</i>	Lou Soppit – Hall 1/2
4:00 pm – 4:15 pm	<b>CLOSING ADDRESS</b> <i>2024 Conference &amp; AGM Host</i> <b>Please fill out Evaluation Forms!</b>	Lou Soppit – Hall 1/2
4:20 pm – 5:00 pm	<b>Shuttle</b> from Lou Soppitt Community Centre to Canalta Hotel Last shuttle departs Lou Soppit at 4:50 pm	Lou Soppit – Entrance