

2010 Calgary Co-op Director Election Candidate



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Education and professional designations: Diploma (SAIT), BA (University of Calgary), LLB (University of Windsor), Certificate (Wharton / SpencerStuart Directors' Institute)

Occupation and work experience: Lawyer in private practice. Sessional real estate instructor at Calgary Real Estate Board and Mount Royal University

Involvement with Calgary Co-op and its subsidiaries or other co-operatives: Calgary Co-op Member since 1974. Calgary Co-op director for 16 years. Past director- Calgary Co-op Memorial Society and SAIT Alumni Association.

Affiliation with employees, contractors or anyone associated with Calgary Co-op or its subsidiaries:
Daughter is an employee.

Community or volunteer involvement: Member of the Early Bird Club. Volunteer with Junior Achievement and several other community groups.

Board related experience, skills and/or qualifications:

Platform and other comments: The success of Calgary Co-op is your success. As shoppers of Calgary Co-op products and services, you ensure that your hard-earned dollars stay in our community including a portion that is returned to Members. I support Calgary Co-op's continuing patronage dividends paid to our loyal Members and the continuing charitable support to our community.

For me, this success is not by accident. Calgary Co-op consistently presents clean and modern facilities in convenient locations, courteous and unparalleled service, innovative promotions, and fresh quality products at competitive price. All of this is delivered by a dedicated and hard-working staff and management team. Throughout there is an understanding that this success cannot be taken for granted, that Member loyalty must be earned every day, in every way.

As a result, Calgary Co-op is a consistent market leader as well as a true, local success story.

As a Member-owned, Member-operated co-operative business, stewardship of Calgary Co-op is entrusted to the Board of Directors. As one of your elected directors, my goal would be to represent the interests of Members, to encourage the sustainable growth, future direction, and continued success of our co-op.

I am a proud Calgary Co-op Member and it has been a privilege to have served on our board. I pledge to continue to deliver to my vision, my leadership skills, and my professional and governance experience to our board.

Thank you for your support and for your participation in the director elections.