



March 25, 2022

Revised Bylaws Information Package

An Update to Registrants Regarding College Bylaws and June 2022 AGM

Thank you to college registrants who provided feedback to the Governance Committee of Council during the past several months. The Governance Committee has considered registrants' feedback, and this has led to our work to now present revised Bylaws to registrants, leading to our AGM on June 23, 2022.

Governance Committee received feedback from registrants, through the following opportunities and channels:

- Written feedback provided to Governance Committee during September 2021, on the bridge process for Bylaw reform
- Participation in Bylaw Open Forum sessions held in November and December 2021; and
- Written feedback related to Bylaw revisions provided to Governance Committee between December 2021 and January 2022.

A key matter before the Governance Committee of Council is to determine the method by which Council vacancies are filled. An appointed model, with paramedic candidates filling vacancies based on the ability to offer diversity in skills, knowledge, and experience, was reflected in the current version of Bylaws. Our consultation with registrants has shown that some registrants are in favour of this approach while others wish to have paramedic council vacancies filled by an election process. Governance committee has heard this feedback. In addition, Governance committee also heard that as much as possible all registrants should be offered an opportunity to vote on the Bylaws.

Registrants are now asked to review the revised Bylaws, dated March 24, 2022, and each of the supporting documents found in the enclosed Information Package. The Information Package includes:

- This communique
- A [PowerPoint slide deck](#) with detailed background information about:
 - the proposed model for filling Council vacancies
 - the process for asking questions, providing responses related to the revised Bylaws
 - information on how the voting on the Bylaws will occur; and
 - information about the AGM.
- The [Revised Bylaws](#)
- A [Bylaw FAQ](#)



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The Council Governance Committee looks forward to receiving feedback on the proposed Bylaws according to the process and dates outlined in the enclosed PowerPoint information document. In keeping with the Act, Governance Committee will carefully review and consider the comments received. The final version of Bylaws will be circulated to registrants on May 23, 2022.

We thank you in advance for your careful review of all documents and look forward to receiving your feedback and addressing any questions you may have.

Thank you on behalf of CPMB Council Members Leah Braun; Greg Graceffo; Ryan Youngson; Tom Wallace; Karen Martin; Sean Klemick; Nick Kasper; Madeleine Guay; Jean Cox; Matt Maruca