

CPMA PM Policy Committee Charge 2014

Number of active, voting Members: 8

Method of Appointment: Appointed by the President, in consultation with the Provincial Association Directors, and Executive Director of CPMA. The President will also appoint a committee chairperson.

Term of Office: One year. Reappointment is permissible. The term of committee chairperson is two years.

Meeting Frequency: Two face-to-face meetings annually (in conjunction with CPMA's (spring) Annual Convention and fall board meeting. Additional teleconference meetings as needed.

CPMA will cover the expense of air/hotel expense for each voting member to participate in the fall meeting; the member will be responsible for all costs related to participating in the meeting hosted in conjunction with the annual convention.

Role: Direct CPMA staff in the development of CPMA's positions on legislative and regulatory issues impacting the professional pest management industry and generally guide staff in representing the industry on public policy issues.

Committee Responsibilities:

- Discuss and consider legislative and regulatory issues impacting the professional pest management industry
- Determine if CPMA should take a position on a given issue and, if so, what the position should be
- Educate CPMA staff on issues and explain the impact on the industry
- Raise funds for _____ and _____

Active Committee Member Responsibilities:

- Attend all committee meetings and teleconferences prepared and informed about issues on the agenda
- Become knowledgeable about legislative and regulatory issues facing the industry

- Contribute to meetings by expressing one's point of view with the best interest of the association in mind
- Consider other points of view, make constructive suggestions, encourage and respect questions, discussions that help the committee make recommendations to benefit the association
- Volunteer for and willingly accept assignments and complete them thoroughly and on time

Correspondent Information:

- Correspondents will receive committee information and are welcome to contribute to meetings; however they are non-voting members of the committee and may or may not be invited to participate in committee teleconferences. Additionally, correspondents will not be reimbursed for any committee-related travel.