Powell River Action Centre Society

Conflict of Interest

Policy – 2024

A Conflict of Interest exists when a member of a non-profit board, a non-board volunteer, or a staff person has a personal interest that may influence them when making decisions.
While the law focuses primarily on financial interests and provides some guidelines, non-profit organizations contend with various potential and perceived conflicts of interest.

Any Board Director who feels they have a conflict of interest on any issue being discussed must declare that conflict and recuse themselves from any discussion or vote on the topic.

No volunteers, whether board member or not, nor any staff persons may make a decision on a matter that they believe they have a conflict-of-interest in.