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Volunteer Canada 2013 Annual General Meeting: September 16 in Toronto

Volunteer Canada will host its 2013 Annual General Meeting this September in Toronto. The meeting will take place in conjunction with a meeting of Volunteer Canada's Corporate Council on Volunteering and will be hosted by RBC.

Date: Monday, September 16, 2013
Time: 8:30AM – 10:00AM
Location: 155 Wellington Street West, 11th floor, Americas Room, Toronto, ON

If you're a member who cannot attend the AGM and wish to exercise your vote, please complete and submit a proxy form.

For more information about the AGM or to RSVP, please contact Melanie Hientz at mhientz@volunteer.ca.

Help Theme National Volunteer Week 2014

With National Volunteer Week 2013 behind us, our sights are already set on NVW 2014. One of the first steps is to land on a theme for next year's national celebration of Canada's 13.3 million volunteers. In follow up to our 2013 post-campaign survey, we will be taking the unprecedented step to engage the sector in developing the NVW 2014 *theme*. We have some ideas on what would make a meaningful NVW 2014 theme, but we would like your feedback.

If you are interested in sharing your thoughts with us to help shape NVW 2014, please send an email to Joanna Kaleniecka at jkaleniecka@volunteer.ca before July 31, 2013. We will then invite you to have your voice heard through an anonymous online forum later this summer.

Volunteer Canada President and CEO Recruitment

Until Friday, August 9, 2013, we will be searching for a skilled and dynamic leader to direct us as our incoming President and CEO. Click here for more information.

Code Audit Coming Soon

A flagship Volunteer Canada resource, the Canadian Code for Volunteer Involvement is a framework for involving volunteers in all levels of any organization. This includes volunteers working in leadership, direct service and virtual roles. It has been designed to be adaptable, and meant to meet the needs of organizations of all sizes, in every community across Canada. In 2012, we revised the CCVI to better reflect today's volunteer landscape. Later this summer, we will be launching a member-exclusive Code Audit tool for organizations to assess their volunteer programs, whether they have already adopted the Code or not. Stay tuned in the coming months for this in-depth and sector-leading Volunteer Canada member benefit!