Alberta Conservation Association

2018/19 Project Summary Report

Project Name: Internal Communications Needs

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Project Leader: Don Myhre

Primary ACA staff on project: Charmaine Brunes, Colin Eyo, Don Myhre, Dean Ostafichuk,

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Partnerships: N/A

Key Findings

• Coordinated and facilitated support for program and project operations as required.

Introduction

Our Information, Education, and Communications Program provides creative and technical

services to the President & CEO, Human Resources, and Business Development teams, and the

Wildlife, Fisheries, and Land Management resource programs. Working with program managers,

regional managers, and project leads, Communications ensures ACA programs and projects

receive the media and materials needed for their success.

Methods

We work closely with program managers and regional managers to identify and pre-approve

project communications needs, as well as to ensure all programs and projects are represented

appropriately. Some of this work includes providing technical support for preparing reports and

other print media, developing key communications materials to ensure appropriate branding and

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messaging (e.g., media releases, digital presentations, poster templates), developing and producing signage, and coordinating ACA fleet vehicle decaling.

Results

Our Information, Education, and Communications team provided all planned and approved communications needs as well as addressed any unforeseen needs.

Conclusions

Developing effective internal communications is an essential component of our overall operations as well as our programs and projects. Sharing information on a continual basis and in an effective manner allows us to maintain effective relationships with our project partners, stakeholders, the business community, and Alberta Environment and Parks.

Communications

- Print media
- Web
- Social media