

Community Services Task Force

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DID YOU KNOW that St. John Ambulance is undertaking a review of community services provided to the public by its volunteers, as part of a strategic plan to become a dynamic, market driven organization?

Professional Consultants in the field of research have been contracted to conduct research to support the review and will be reporting their findings to St. John Ambulance. In order to properly assess the consultants' findings and make appropriate recommendations to Priory Council, a Community Services Task Force has been appointed.

Mandate

The task force's function is to analyze all documentation received from the consultants as well as any other information from other sources relating to this review and make recommendations to Priory Council pertaining to the future Community services Programs.

Composition

The members of the Community Services Task Force have demonstrated an understanding of the problems and issues that have precipitated the consultation; and represent a broad spectrum of interests from across the organization and the public- at-large.

Roles/Responsibilities

1. Review existing policies and procedures pertaining to the operation of community services.
2. Review all reports, research, etc. generated by the consultants conducting the research and from other sources.
3. Discuss various issues with selected persons both from within and outside St. John Ambulance to clarify specific issues arising from the research.
4. Document all pertinent discussions, findings and recommendations through the services of the recording secretary to assist the latter.
5. Provide Priory Council with an interim report for the June 2001 Priory Council meeting.
6. Keep employees and volunteers generally informed of the progress of the Task Force.
7. Provide Priory Council with a final report for the November 2001 Priory Council meeting along with recommendations for approval pertaining to:
 - (a) the future direction and definition of Community Services
 - (b) the structure of the Community Services component of St. John Ambulance
 - (c) the approximate cost of any changes recommended
 - (d) a timeline for implementation of any recommended changes



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