

## Code of Conduct for Council Policy

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**Section:** Governance

**Sub Section:** General

### References and Related Documents

Municipal Act 2001

Municipal Conflict of Interest Act

Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act

Criminal Code of Canada

[Code of Conduct for Council Procedure](#)

[Freedom of Information Requests Procedure](#)

[By-law 4943-16 Council Code of Conduct](#)

[Procedural By-law 5003-18](#)

[Employee Use of Computers \(new format\)](#)

[Employee Use of Internet and Electronic Mail \(new format\)](#)

### Forms

## Policy Statement

A written code of conduct helps ensure that the members of council, advisory committees and local boards of the municipality (as defined in the Municipal Act) share a common basis of acceptable conduct.

## Purpose

These standards are designed to provide a reference guide and a supplement to the legislative parameters within which the members must operate. These standards should serve to enhance public confidence that Grey County's elected and appointed representatives operate from a base of integrity, justice and courtesy.

## Scope

The Code of Conduct shall apply to all members of council, advisory committees and local boards of the municipality as defined in the Municipal Act.