# **Regional Watershed Alliance**

Update on Recruitment and Opportunities for TRCA to Engage

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## **The Regional Watershed Alliance**

- A multi-stakeholder advisory committee to TRCA's Board of Directors
- Shares TRCA information and initiatives among their networks
- Advocates for TRCA work
- Provides input to TRCA-led and –supported projects and initiatives
- Oversees the TRCA Youth Council





### Regional Watershed Alliance Membership 2023-2025 Term

- Youth Council Representatives: 2
- Indigenous Representative: 1

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- Board of Director Representatives: 2
- Watershed Residents: Up to 12 (Peel:2, Toronto: 2, York: 2, Durham: 2, Remaining 4 spots for Mono/Adjala-Tosorontio and additional reps)
- Sector Experts and Organizations: Up to 6 (both local and broader organizations)
- Municipal Representatives: Up to 5 (Minimum of 1 rep from Toronto, Peel, York, and Durham)
- Provincial Representative: 1
- Federal Representative: 1

## Why Engage with the RWA?

- RWA members can be strong advocates for TRCA work and funding opportunities
- Events and initiatives can be shared more widely
- Proposed or in-development work can benefit from input by a knowledgeable multi-stakeholder committee
- Opportunities to expand the impact of TRCA's work and strengthen networks

### How to Engage with the RWA

- Reports and presentations at quarterly virtual meetings
  - March 22, 2023
  - May 31, 2023
  - September 20, 2023
  - November 15, 2023
- Email notifications about timesensitive opportunities/needs
- Site visits and tours



### **RWA Recruitment for 2023-2025 Term**

- We are recruiting for the membership categories of Watershed Resident and Sectoral Expert or Organization
- Watershed Resident applicants should reside within TRCA's jurisdiction
- Sectoral Expert/Organization applicants should be located or do business in TRCA's jurisdiction. Can be local/community-based or broader in scope and reach
- Recruitment open from November 21, 2022 to January 18, 2023

#### Share this opportunity with your contacts!

https://trca.ca/about/governance/advisory-boards-committees/

### **Coming Up – Youth Council Executive Recruitment**

- TRCA Youth Council
  - Between the ages of 16-30
  - Reside or go to school within TRCA's jurisdiction
- Executive Members:
  - Suggest, plan, and implement event ideas
  - Bring in and build their own expertise
  - Have gained employment at TRCA and other environmental organizations

#### Youth Council Executive Recruitment December 19, 2022 to January 31, 2023



#### **Questions or Discussion**

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