MACKENZIE COUNTY

Title	AGRICULTURE SERVICE BOARD	Policy No.	ASB001
	MISSION STATEMENT		

Legislation Reference	Municipal Government Act, 5 (b)
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Purpose

The Agriculture Service Board advises Council on innovative and sustainable agriculture policy and programs designed to assist Mackenzie County.

Policy Statement and Guidelines

The Agriculture Service Board is accountable to Council.

The Board's client is the Agricultural Sector.

OBJECTIVES:

- 1. To establish policies and programs which accomplish our mission.
- 2. To provide and promote programs that strives to improve the economic viability of farms.
- 3. To ensure programs address the changing needs of clients.
- 4. To have good public awareness of our policies and programs and those involved in implementing them.
- 5. To provide information /technology transfer to our Clients.
- 6. To ensure that the public sees the Agricultural Service Board as a receptive, responsible, concerned board and that employees show good work ethic.
- 7. To work with the Council in a positive and productive manner.
- 8. Continually assess and recognize the needs and direction of the local agricultural. industry
- 9. Identifying obstacles and working to resolve problems that arise.
- 10. Work with other levels of government and stakeholders to expand the agricultural industry in our region.

The Agricultural Fieldman shall be responsible for policy compliance.

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