## Calgary Philatelic Society

## Statement of Purpose

## **DEFINITIONS**

- 1. When used herein, the following terms shall have these meanings:
  - (a) "CPS" shall mean the Calgary Philatelic Society
  - (b) "Society" shall mean the Calgary Philatelic Society;
  - (c) "Board" shall mean the Board of Directors of the Calgary Philatelic Society;
  - (d) "Director" shall mean a director of the Calgary Philatelic Society;
  - (e) "Member" shall mean a member in good standing of the Calgary Philatelic Society; and
  - (f) Whenever the plural or masculine or neuter is used in this Statement of Purpose, the same shall be construed as meaning singular or feminine and vice versa where the context so requires.

## **OBJECTS**

- 2. The objects of the Society shall be as follows:
  - (a) To promote the hobby of stamp collecting;
  - (b) To promote goodwill and fellowship of its members;
  - (c) To build and maintain a philatelic library;
  - (d) To facilitate circuit book and private treaty sales;
  - (e) To provide members the opportunity to buy, sell, trade, and exhibit philatelic material;
  - (f) To organize and run philatelic shows/exhibitions every year;
  - (g) To have a guest speaker at each monthly meeting for a philatelic presentation;

- (h) To regularly produce and publish a Society philatelic newsletter;
- (i) To promote exhibiting through the Calgary Association of Philatelic Exhibitors;
- (j) To promote and support youth via a juniors section of the CPS;
- (k) To maintain membership in affiliated philatelic organizations: BNAPS (British North America Philatelic Society), RPSC (Royal Philatelic Society of Canada), APS (American Philatelic Society), and ATA (American Topical Association) and generally;
- (l) For the Board and Directors to promote philatelic knowledge and encourage interest in philately for the CPS membership and the general public through meetings, presentations, seminars, publication of articles, exhibits, bourses, by providing access to philatelic material and resources, and by any other means which will further the objects of the Society.

Approved by the Society Members via Special Resolution on <u>June 4, 2014</u>
Date

<u>Larry Tweedale</u> President

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