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PRESS RELEASE

The Alberta Press Council is seeking applications for three Public Directors, from the circulation areas of the **Edmonton Journal**, the **Calgary Herald** and **AWNA**. The successful candidates will serve on the Press Council for a three year term.

The Alberta Press Council is a volunteer body comprised of public members and professional journalists. Its primary functions are to serve as a medium of understanding between the public and the press; to deal with complaints against the print media; to promote freedom of the press and access to information.

The Press Council meets two times each year, and provides travel expenses for attending meetings. Some committee work and conference calls are required between meetings.

Public members are selected as representatives of the newspaper circulation in their areas. They should be interested in media issues, be able to attend council and committee meetings, express independent opinions and make decisions on those matters brought before the Council.

Applications are invited from members of the public who have not previously been, or presently are, affiliated with the print media.

Please submit a letter of interest and include a brief personal history or a resume and the names of three appropriate references. Applications must be received by the Alberta Press Council no later than June 30th, 2010.

Please send to:

Selection Committee
The Alberta Press Council
P.O. Box 2576
Medicine Hat, AB T1A 8G8

Interested candidates are invited to visit www.albertapresscouncil.ca for further information about the Alberta Press Council.