



## **Affirming Ministry Resource Team**

### *Position:*

- Seeking four (4) members

### *General Description:*

The Affirming Ministry Team is responsible for guiding the Regional Council through the required Affirm United process to be recognized as an Affirming Ministry and to hold the Regional Council **to its** commitment made in the process.

### *Membership:*

- Member or adherent of a community of faith within the bounds of the Regional Council.

### *Responsibilities:*

- Review the required Affirmed United process;
- Develop and set a timeline for the regional Council's process to being recognized as an Affirming Ministry;
- Guide the regional Council through the process;
- Give to support and act as a resource to communities of faith within the bounds of the regional council who are seeking to be recognized as an Affirming Ministry;
- Assist in the creation of an Affirming Ministry network across the region;
- Accountable to the Regional Council and its Executive.

### *Skills / Interests:*

- Access to internet and e-mail;
- Ability to use (or willingness to learn) technology as a tool for meetings;
- Commitment to living into the United Church's vision of being and inclusive and loving church;
- Interested in building an Affirming Ministry network within the region, as well as broadening the network to include Shining Waters Regional Council.

### *Time Commitment:*

- Minimum 1 meeting annually ~ 2 - 3 hours through technology, more as needed.

### *Support:*

- Primary support is the Regional Council Executive.

To nominate someone or to self-nominate for an Affirming Ministry Resource Team Member position, go to the CSRC website at: [www.canadianshieldrc.ca](http://www.canadianshieldrc.ca)