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Objects Of Bow Valley Agricultural Society

The Objects of the Bow Valley Agricultural Society are as follow:

1. To encourage improvement in agriculture and in the quality of life of persons living in an agricultural community by developing programs, services and facilities based on needs in the agricultural community.
2. To maintain a viable non-profit organization to represent and serve the citizens of Indus and surrounding agricultural areas.
3. To promote the interests of the BVA and to organize and promote social, recreational, cultural, athletic, educational, creative and other activities for its members.
4. To demonstrate the values and abilities of all citizens and create an awareness of their unique agricultural contribution to the Canadian lifestyle.
5. To encourage physical, social and creative achievements through participation and friendly activities;
6. To engender a sense of community spirit by providing the opportunity and catalyst for community activities for all ages.
7. To acquire funds, whether through gifts or otherwise, to assist the Bow Valley Agricultural Society with its objects and purposes;
8. To acquire and hold lands and real and personal property and to sell, lease or otherwise dispose of same as Bow Valley Agricultural Society shall from time to time see fit, with power to mortgage or otherwise encumber the same in such way or subject to such conditions, covenants, powers of sale or otherwise as Bow Valley Agricultural Society deems requisite;
9. To hire or otherwise employ persons to assist Bow Valley Agricultural Society in the fulfillment of its other objects and purposes;
10. To enter into any arrangements with any governmental authority, municipality, local or otherwise, that may seem conducive to Bow Valley Agricultural Society's objects, or any of

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them, and to obtain from any such governmental authority any rights, privileges or concessions which Bow Valley Agricultural Society may think it desirable to obtain, and to carry out, exercise and comply with any such arrangements, rights, privileges and concessions;

11. To apply for, secure, acquire by grant or legislative enactment, carry out and enjoy any charter, license, power, authority, franchise, concession, right or privilege which any government or authority of any company or other public body may be empowered to grant, and to pay for, aid in and contribute toward carrying the same into effect;
12. To do all such other acts or things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects and to exercise all and every power as may be set forth in the *Agricultural Societies Act, 2000*.
13. For the purposes of furthering the objects above, but only for such purposes (and only to the extent permitted under the provisions of the Charities Regulations in respect to charitable organizations) to:
 - a. solicit, receive, acquire and hold donations, gifts and bequests. This includes accepting gifts, donations, grants, legacies, bequests and inheritances;
 - b. lease, purchase or otherwise acquire physical facilities to house the Society and its works, and
 - c. to borrow funds and lease, mortgage, sell and otherwise dispose of property of the Society in accordance with existing agreements.
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To sponsor meetings and short courses on agricultural topics that will benefit the members and the Bow Valley Community.

To sponsor an annual community fair.

To assist in the development of leadership in our community through sponsoring training activities and opportunities for 4-H clubs, youth groups and volunteers

To provide an opportunity for local producers to display and market products through sponsoring a Farmers' Market

To improve the quality of life in our community by sponsoring or supporting cultural events.

Note: All are for consideration. The first one, #1, is directly from the Act. The last unnumbered ones are from the sample given by the Provincial Agricultural Societies Program.