ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WINNIPEG INC.  
(formerly Destination Winnipeg Inc.)

MEMBERS

Mayor Scott Gillingham, Honorary Chair  
Premier Heather Stefanson

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Appointed for a 2-year term expiring December 31, 2021
Michael Legary    Karl Loepp
Bill Parrish       Karin Pooley
Margaret Redmond  Denise Zaporzan

Appointed for a 2-year term expiring December 31, 2022
Jeffrey Betker

JURISDICTION

On April 24, 2002, Council adopted Clause 3 of the Report of the Executive Policy Committee dated April 17, 2002, which directed “That Economic Development Winnipeg and Tourism Winnipeg amalgamate their operations into one agency (Destination Winnipeg), and that the amalgamated agency work with the Winnipeg Convention Centre to develop a strategic marketing and communication partnership.

On May 13, 2010, Destination Winnipeg Inc. announced it would restructure under the original Economic Development Winnipeg Inc. name with a refined mandate and a new organizational framework.

COMPOSITION

• The Mayor of the City of Winnipeg and the Premier of the Province of Manitoba at any relevant time, or their respective designated person by proxy or, where the offices are vacant or a person has not been designated by proxy, the Deputy Mayor or Acting Mayor, or Deputy Premier or Acting Premier, as the case may be.
• Not less than three (3) and not more than fifteen (15) directors as the Members may from time to time determine appointed by both of the Members.
• Each of the Members shall appoint an ex-officio director.

FUNCTION

To market the City and provide services to facilitate economic development and tourism opportunities for Winnipeg in collaboration with partners, consistent with the Economic Opportunity Framework – Winnipeg, a City of Opportunity, adopted by Council on December 6, 2006.

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