

SARM's Advocacy Team, at the direction of the SARM Board of Directors meets and speaks with members and outside agencies on issues important to RMs, including bringing concerns forth at the provincial and federal levels.

SARM, through its Act of Incorporation, is mandated to work on files of importance to rural municipalities (RM) and agriculture producers.

There are currently four primary ways such files originate:

- Membership resolution
- RM request
- Board direction
- Federal and/or provincial government influence

Our team is responsible for the oversight of all research, analysis, and development and preparation of related documents and proposals. They evaluate the effectiveness of existing government policies and programs and draft policy related correspondence. This team also attends SARM Board of Directors and committee meetings as required in support of the board and executive director.

Members go to Advocacy for information on any policy related items including resolutions passed at SARM's annual and midterm conventions, provincial and/or federal consultations, and advocacy on matters related to rural municipalities in Saskatchewan.



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