

# **SOFTBALL MANITOBA**

## **CONSTITUTION**

### **Article I - NAME**

The name of the organization shall be “Softball Manitoba” and herein the Constitution and By-Laws also be referred to as the Association or the Manitoba Softball Association.

### **Article II – HEAD OFFICE**

The Head Office of Softball Manitoba is to be located in the City of Winnipeg in the Province of Manitoba.

### **Article III - JURISDICTION**

1. Softball Manitoba claims jurisdiction over and recognizes its responsibilities as the governing body of softball, which includes Fast Pitch and Slo-Pitch softball as played by participants of Softball Manitoba.
2. Softball Manitoba is recognized by Softball Canada and Sport Manitoba as the governing body of amateur softball which includes both Fast Pitch and Slo-Pitch softball in Manitoba.

### **Article IV – MISSION, VISION, OBJECTIVES and CORE VALUES**

1. Softball Manitoba’s Mission is to promote and develop softball at all levels, by providing leadership, programs and services to meet the needs of all participants, thus enhancing the profile of softball in Manitoba.
2. Softball Manitoba’s Vision is a unified softball community providing life-long, healthy opportunities that enhance participation and excellence for all.
3. Softball Manitoba’s Objectives are as follows:
  - a. To develop a representative organizational structure which is open, natural and progressive in nature, and is effectively managed in order to meet the goals of Softball Manitoba.
  - b. To provide the required resources to our participants in an efficient and effective manner in the following areas:
    - i. Administrative and support service.
    - ii. Recruitment, development and recognition of volunteer participation and staff.
  - c. To procure and manage efficiently the monies necessary to carry out those activities prioritized as most important by Softball Manitoba.
  - d. To create an effective communication system which will inform all parties, internal and external and will provide feedback for the Association’s decision-making process.
  - e. To provide proficiently run competitions for all of our participants, from recreational to elite categories.
4. Softball Manitoba provides the following Core Values:
  - a. Fair and inclusive access.
  - b. Ethical, respectful and moral behavior.
  - c. A safe, supportive and fun environment.

### **Article V - DISSOLUTION**

Upon the dissolution of Softball Manitoba and after the payment of all debts and liabilities, its remaining property shall be distributed or disposed of to charitable organizations that carry on their work solely in Canada.