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“Committed to Protect and Restore the Qu’Appelle Valley Watershed”

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QU'APPELLE VALLEY
ENVIRONMENTAL
ASSOCIATION

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Meetings every second Wednesday of the month. Everyone welcome.

Objectives*

1. To undertake integrated environmental research and evidence-based public education and organize Working Groups of concerned citizens to enhance ecological protection in the Qu'Appelle Valley;
2. To help organize an environmental network of communications and support that reaches into all parts of the Qu'Appelle Valley and area;
3. To encourage and facilitate respectful communications, cross-cultural understanding and co-operation among indigenous and settler communities to address common environmental challenges in the Qu'Appelle Valley;
4. To undertake public policy advocacy and interventions to achieve enhanced inter-governmental co-operation and protection of the watershed, including lake shores, marshes, flood plains, river banks, bird, fish and wildlife habitats and overall water quality in the Qu'Appelle Valley;
5. To work to ensure that municipal and regional land use planning mandates are enhanced and effectively implemented and evaluated to better protect the valley landscape, hillsides and habitats within the Qu'Appelle Valley area;
6. To collaborate with naturalist, health, heritage, arts and other groups to accelerate the transition to a local and regional economy that is sustainable: one which doesn't degrade the natural beauty and functioning of land and water eco-systems within the Qu'Appelle Valley area;
7. To promote a shift in human values so that the integrity of the natural systems and all the "ecological services" they provide, and all the creatures that co-habit the Qu'Appelle Valley, obtain the respect they deserve.

Some Long-term Goals

To see a community-based inter-governmental oversight authority established to protect the Qu'Appelle Valley; To see a chemical-free buffer zone established along the Qu'Appelle Valley wall to help protect the watershed; To help establish practical economic alternatives to urban, agricultural and industrial activities which presently threaten the landscape, habitats and watershed of the Qu'Appelle Valley.

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