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CHAPTER 140

An Act respecting Camp Shahwundais

*Assented to May 4th, 1970
Session Prorogued November 13th, 1970*

WHEREAS The Border Cities Young Men's and Young ^{Preamble}
Women's Christian Associations, The Chatham Com-
munity Young Men's Christian Association, and The Sarnia
Young Men's and Young Women's Christian Association,
by their petition have prayed that an Act be passed to
incorporate Camp Shahwundais as a body corporate and
politic for the purposes and with the powers hereinafter
provided, to be jointly administered by the three petitioners;
and whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of the petition;

Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent
of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario,
enacts as follows:

1. Walter Harry Prince, Robert Franklin Kiborn, Jaroslav <sup>Camp
Shahwun-
dais
incorporated</sup>
Lloyd Glos, Mary Jean Louise Waffle and Donald Garret
Musselman of the City of Windsor, Alan Arthur Sheppard,
Peter Gordon Link and Peter Hill of the City of Sarnia,
William Price Magee and Thomas Lawrence Walker of the
City of Chatham, and Donald D. C. McGeachy, of the City
of London, and their successors, are hereby constituted a
body corporate and politic without share capital under the
name of Camp Shahwundais, herein called the Association.

2. The head office of the Association shall be in the City ^{Head office}
of Windsor or such other place as the Board of Directors of
the Association may by by-law from time to time determine.

3. The objects of the Association shall be the spiritual, ^{Objects}
mental, social, educational and physical welfare and improve-
ment of young men, young women, boys and girls by the
erection, operation, maintenance and support of camp facili-
ties of every nature and kind whatsoever as may from time
to time be determined by the Board of Directors of the
Association.

4. The Association shall have power to acquire and hold <sup>Power to
acquire
and hold
real
property,
etc.</sup>
any real property or any estate or interest therein either by
purchase, lease, gift, devise or bequests either absolutely

or in trust, and to sell, transfer, exchange, mortgage, hypothecate, lease or otherwise alienate or dispose of the same or any part thereof and apply the proceeds of any such property for its purposes, provided that no land at any time acquired by the Association and not required for its actual use and purpose or by way of security for the payment of any loan, debt or guarantee, shall be held by it or by any trustee on its behalf for a longer period than seven years after it shall cease to be so required, but this proviso shall not be deemed in any wise to vary or otherwise effect any trust relating to such property.

Board of
Directors

5. The Board of Directors of the Association, herein called the Board, shall be composed of eleven members as follows:

1. Five members nominated by the Board of Directors of The Border Cities Young Men's and Young Women's Christian Associations.
2. Three members nominated by the Board of Directors of The Sarnia Young Men's and Young Women's Christian Association.
3. Two members nominated by the Board of Directors of The Chatham Community Young Men's Christian Association.
4. One member who shall be the Vice-President for the time being, of the Western Ontario area of the Young Men's Christian Association of Canada or such other person as shall be nominated by the National Council of the Young Men's Christian Association of Canada.

Term of
office

6. Members of the Board shall serve without remuneration and, except as otherwise provided, shall be appointed for a term of three years and are eligible for reappointment.

Eligibility
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reappoint-
ment

7. No member of the Board is eligible for reappointment to a third term until one year has elapsed after he ceases to hold office.

Vacancies

8.—(1) A vacancy occurring in the membership of the Board by reason of the expiration of a term of office shall be filled by the Board of Directors of the Association responsible for the nomination in the first instance or by the National Council of the Young Men's Christian Association of Canada, as the case may be.

(2) A vacancy arising in the membership of the Board ^{Idem} by reason of death, resignation, or any other cause other than the expiration of a term of office, shall be filled by appointment by a simple majority of the remaining members of the Board, and any person so appointed shall hold office for the unexpired portion of the term of office of his predecessor.

9. The Board may pass by-laws not contrary to this Act ^{Authority to pass by-laws} to regulate and govern its procedures and actions and the conduct of the administration of the affairs of the Association, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, may pass by-laws,

- (a) regulating the calling of and the procedure at meetings of the Board, and fixing the time and place for such meetings;
- (b) fixing the quorum of the Board; and
- (c) regulating the appointment, functions, powers, duties, remuneration and removal of officers, servants and agents of the Association.

10. Any by-law of the Board may be repealed or amended ^{Repeal or amendment of by-law} by the Board in accordance with such rules or regulations as it may prescribe by by-law.

11. By-laws of the Board require the approval of a majority ^{Approval of by-law} of the members of the Board, either at a meeting or in writing.

12. The Association may establish an endowment fund ^{Authority to establish endowment fund} for the purposes of promoting and extending its aims and objects and in furtherance of such purpose may obtain, set aside and hold subscriptions, donations, gifts and bequests in accordance with such regulations and conditions in respect thereof as may from time to time be prescribed by the Board.

13. The Association may direct the investment of all its ^{Power to invest} funds, which are to be invested by the Association or by any trust company or other trustee, in investments authorized for the investment of funds of life insurance companies in Canada, provided that the Association may authorize and direct the retention of any specific assets donated or bequeathed to the Association by any testamentary document or deed of trust or otherwise for such length of time as the Association in its sole discretion considers advisable, notwithstanding that it does not consist of assets in which the Association is authorized to invest by this Act, and the Association and the members of the Association shall under

no circumstances be liable, nor shall any trust company or other trustee acting on the instructions of the Association be liable, for any loss or damage that may be suffered by reason of the retention of any such assets as aforesaid or the investment of any such moneys in accordance with the power and authority given in this section.

Commence-
ment

14. This Act comes into force on the day it receives Royal Assent.

Short title

15. This Act may be cited as *The Camp Shahwundais Act, 1970*.