



BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTION BROKER CATEGORY NOMINEE

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JON DICK – Jon Dick & Associates Realty
(Nominated by Board Development & Leadership Committee)

My philosophy is if it's right for a REALTOR® then it should be right for the Board that represents us.

As a busy working REALTOR® I'm certainly familiar with services that are practical and helpful but I'm also familiar with services that are neither. If elected, my goal as a Director will be to ensure emphasis is placed on providing services and products that actually help the working REALTOR® increase his or her productivity, not decrease their confidence in our Board.

Not one to back down from a challenge, I'm not afraid to fight for our members. Everything our Board implements needs to be in our best interests, whether it's something valuable when we're sitting down with our customers in their home, or just optimistic news when discussing the politics of the industry in the office bullpen. In addition to this, we need to protect our rights within the government – particularly "The Alberta Advantage". We need to continue to work with all levels of government to ensure our tax position with respect to real estate remains favourable, thereby giving us the ability to maximize our productivity in our current environment.

Professional Real Estate Experience:

- Pioneer/Co-Founder, Past President and current Director of CREB® Critical Illness Benefit Society (CIBS) since 2003.
- Member of the Calgary Real Estate Board since September 1987.
- MLS® Million Dollar Club, Award of Merit Winner for 18 years
- CREB® Board Builder

Additional Professional Experience:

In addition to my experience as a REALTOR® and Broker/Owner, I have extensive experience as a land developer. This includes negotiating with municipalities and lobbying local business communities, meeting with the public in open forms and sometimes hostile environments; as well as dealing with land use applications including rezoning and O.C.P. amendments. As your representative on the Board of Directors, this experience and knowledge will be invaluable in dealing with all levels of management and government.

Notables:

As a firm believer in giving back to the community, I am a major sponsor of the CREB® Charitable Foundation's Home at LAST campaign; as well as a supporter of the Calgary Flames Foundation for Life. From the Children's Wish Foundation of Canada and the CJAY 92 Christmas Wish Fund to the City of Calgary Police and Canadian Fallen Heroes Foundation, I have always tried to find ways to support those in need.

Although I'm running as a Broker Representative I am a Residential Real Estate Agent at heart and I know how important it is to have a voice

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