MEMBER-AT-LARGE CAMA BOARD REPRESENTATIVE 2017-2018 NOMINEE



Glen B. Davies Chief Administrative Officer Town of Gravenhurst, ON

Glen has a wide-ranging career in the municipal sector and private sector, having worked for a number of different sized municipalities in Ontario, Alberta and Saskatchewan. He is an accomplished municipal manager with over 40 years of experience, including over 20 years as a CAO and senior manager.

As of November 2015, Glen was appointed the Chief Administrative Officer for the Town of Gravenhurst. Prior to his return to Ontario he was the City Manager with the City of Regina, Saskatchewan since 2006, where he led that organization through significant growth and change, positioning it as a contemporary municipality.

Glen was also a Principal with the management consulting firm of TkMC for over 4 years. As a general management consultant, he spent most of his time providing support and advice at the executive and Council level of municipalities of varying sizes across much of Canada.

And prior to his time in consulting he was the City Manager in St. Albert, Alberta and Thunder Bay, Ontario. His time in Thunder Bay included senior positions for Corporate Services and Community Services. Prior to 1992 Glen worked in various progressive roles for Regional Municipalities in southern Ontario.

Over the years, Glen has participated in a number of organizations as a volunteer, member or Director. These activities have often been as part of his formal employment connections or in support of valuable community efforts and have included:

- Ontario Municipal Administrators Association (OMAA)
- Institute of Public Administration of Canada (I.P.A.C.)
- Canadian Council on Public Private Partnerships
- Excellence Canada (formerly NQI)
- Conference Board of Canada, Public Sector Executives Networks
- United Way (various)

Glen has undergraduate and graduate degrees from McMaster University in Hamilton Ontario and is formally trained as a life/executive coach through the Coaches Training Institute in San Rafael, California.

Glen currently resides in Muskoka with his wife Dianna and is thrilled to be closer to his daughters who live in the Barrie area. He is excited about his new leadership role with the Town of Gravenhurst and looks forward to new challenges ahead.

Now settled into my role in Gravenhurst, I am eager to rejoin the Board of CAMA. I previously represented Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Nunavut on the Board until my move to Ontario. My experience leading small, medium and large municipalities in 3 different Provinces gives me a broad and deep understanding of the issues facing municipalities of all kinds. My prior experience on the Board would give me a leg up on Board activity. I have actively worked to advance the municipal sector and the role of CAO during my earlier time on the Board and would sincerely look forward to having the opportunity to do so as an at-large Director and to fulfill my commitment to CAMA.