



Anglican Diocese of Fredericton  
**ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

**Evaluation Task Force**

**Brief Description and Mandate**

- Our vision is to “*be a diocese of healthy, mission focused, welcoming and growing parishes*” – Diocesan Shared Ministry Plan 2007
- “*The basic unit of the Anglican Church is the Diocese and the parishes are the diocese*” – Bishop Ed Salmon – Diocese of Fredericton Clergy Conference 2008
- With the foregoing as a backdrop, the Task Force is to “*assess the value and the effectiveness of current diocesan governance structures and processes, with a view to improving administrative efficiency and reducing costs, subjective to available funding*” – Synod 2009
- The will require extensive consultation, review of existing programs, ministries, processes, governance and use of infrastructure with a view to assessing their effectiveness and efficiency in supporting parish ministry.

**On-going Responsibilities and Reporting**

Reports to Diocesan Council with findings and recommendations.

Time lines: Task Force appointed by November 07, 2009  
Action plan to be presented to March 2010 Council meeting  
Interim reports at each subsequent Council meeting  
Concluding report to Council by Spring 2011

**Membership**

- No more than 10 persons including some membership from Diocesan Council, a mix of clergy and laity and with representation from each of the 7 archdeaconries
- Bishop and Diocesan Officers and staff to serve as resource persons as required

**Budget:**

- Adequate funding should be given priority – reflective of the critical nature of the task and its intent.
- Any unused monies from the \$5000 allocated in the 2009 Budget are to be set aside for use in 2010/2011
- (Further allocations should be established as requested by Task Force)
- Budget should allow adequate resources to utilize offer of assistance from General Synod under a contract arrangement (details of the nature and scope of that involvement to be determined)

**Sub-groups and Other Links:**

- Reports to Diocesan Council
- Liaison with Council Teams and Standing Committees
- Liaison with General Synod consultants if and as needed
- Consult with the broad Anglican constituency across the Diocese

**Updated**

Day	Month	Year
29	09	2009

