



## Our People

### Tom Forgrave

Municipal government consultant

Policy analysis & development. Corporate reviews. Planning facilitation

#### Profile:

Earlier in his career, Tom spent a decade serving at the interface between the City of Edmonton's Council and its administration – Executive Assistant to the Commissioner of Public Affairs, Intergovernmental Officer, and General Manager of Executive Services.

From 1981 to 1995 he served as an Assistant Deputy Minister in Alberta Municipal Affairs.

During this time he facilitated the development of the concept for the new Municipal Government Act, the federal/provincial/local consultations leading to the incorporation of the Town of Banff, the evolution of the way Alberta administers social housing and provided leadership for organizational restructuring – which changed the way business was done and resulted in significant staff reductions with minimal controversy.

Tom retired from the public service in 1995. Since then, he has been involved in a variety of consulting and speaking assignments including:

- Projects in Ontario related to new municipal legislation
- Facilitating planning sessions and workshops
- Facilitating policy development sessions
- Providing executive secretariat services for the Canadian Regulators Group, the Canada/Alberta Agri-Infrastructure Program, the Alberta Electoral Boundaries Commission, and others