



Federation of Ontario Cottagers' Associations

What is FOCA?

FOCA is a non-profit, voluntary organization representing over 500 Ontario cottagers' associations plus individual and corporate members. For 40 years, FOCA has served as an information centre and provided assistance and leadership on many crucial issues affecting cottage properties that generate billions of dollars annually in Ontario.

What are FOCA's Priorities?

- To provide a forum for Ontario's cottagers to work together on common issues
- To communicate FOCA's concerns and positions effectively to all cottagers
- To preserve Ontario's natural environment
- To achieve fair property and education tax systems for Ontario's cottagers
- To ensure sound land-use planning policies are implemented locally and provincially
- To promote safe recreational boating

How Does FOCA Achieve These Objectives?

- FOCA's Board of Directors is comprised of volunteers who have knowledge of local and provincial issues and the expertise to assist cottagers in achieving common goals
- FOCA has active committees in each of our current priority areas: Environment, Land Use Planning, Taxation, Safe Boating, Cottage Watch, Roads, Communications, Insurance, Mineral Rights and Marine Engine Emissions
- FOCA is a resource centre for its members
- FOCA provides a strong collective voice in the formulation of & reaction to government policy
- FOCA's Lake Stewardship Program and its newsletter provide environmental guidance and assistance to cottagers' associations
- FOCA members receive the latest information on topical issues of the day, by mail, our website and through workshops

FOCA achieves these with your generous donations and through member support.

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