Community Futures Eastern Ontario

Community Futures Eastern Ontario (CFEO) represents a network of 15 Community Futures Development Corporations (CFDCs) in Eastern Ontario. The Network acts as the voice of the CFDCs and increases the capacity and efficiencies of its members through advocacy plus valueadded trainings, services, and networking opportunities. Additionally, CFEO delivers regional programs in rural and urban centers such as the Southern Ontario Fund for Investing in Innovation (SOFII).

Vision Statement: We will equip and support the innovative solutions of our members to build vibrant rural economies.

Mission: To expand and amplify our members' capacity as agents of economic opportunity.

Values: Collaboration (we support and learn from each other), Initiative (we proactively identify and take a leadership role in addressing emerging issues and opportunities), Efficiency (we strive to streamline programs and processes, share services and reduce costs, and Accountability (we honour our responsibilities to each other, our members, funders and stakeholders).

Collaboration | Initiative | Efficiency | Accountability



Be Part of the Solution - Join Our Committees

Finance, Investment & Audit Committee (FIA)

Provides leadership to the Board of Directors and organization with respect to monitoring the financial, investment and audit activities and responsibilities of the organization.

Frequency: Quarterly or As-Required

Governance & Recruitment Committee (G&R)

Provides leadership to the Board of Directors and organization by advising on matters relating to the Board's governance, structure and processes, evaluation of Board effectiveness, recruitment, education, and evaluation of Board Members. Frequency: Ouarterly or As-Required

SOFII Investment Review Committee (IRC)

Plays a significant role in reviewing and recommending all SOFII loan applications for approval or decline to the Community Futures Eastern Ontario (CFEO) Board of Directors, providing a valuable layer of assessment and analysis to the loan process, including sector and technical expertise on innovative products and processes, market opportunity for those products and overall viability assessment of the business. Frequency: Monthly