

## **Committee/Team Name:** The Office of the Minister

Rev. Rosemary Morrison

**Purpose of Committee:** Paid staff

**Members:** Rev. Rosemary Morrison

### **Major Actions of 2025/26**

- Three events planned with Westwood to increase connections and comradery between Westwood and UCE
- Big Splash event was a huge success

### **Outcomes Achieved**

- I supported several teams throughout the year: Membership, Pastoral Care, Social Justice, Worship Arts and Music (WAaM), Human Resources, attending several Communications and Marketing team meetings, and attend the Board meetings monthly
- Two events planned and carried out with Westwood and one event with Westwood planned for May 9<sup>th</sup>. This is to meet the goal this year I made to increase ties between Westwood and UCE
- Interviewed by CBC Radio in October right before Halloween
- Contracted with the Chrysalis organization for one of their clients to come in and volunteer
- Participated in many Canadian Unitarian Universalist events: Canada UU Reads, Activation the Canadian UU Ecosystem, Treasurer for the Unitarian Universalist Ministers of Canada Executive
- Hired a part time person to provide a children/youth program on Sunday mornings
- Took a Project Management course through the University of Alberta extension program
- Created, planned, and carried out the 'Big Splash' event stewardship campaign wind up party and auction
- Hosted UUs on Tap monthly at 3 Vikings monthly
- Speaker at Dying With Dignity conference later in May

### **Recommendations for Board Consideration (if any)**

- Look at increasing Ambrose's hours to 5 per week with a goal of her becoming the Director of Religious Exploration
- Increase funding for music. Ultimately, hire a music director that works directly with the minister to provide an energetic, vibrant, and cohesive music program across all services

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