



## *The Evening Study Group*

### *Everyone is Welcome!*

**The Evening Study Group** (ESG) is our night-time group designed to help the public to prepare for the membership exam with the National Association of Parliamentarians (NAP). Although ESG focuses on the basics of parliamentary procedure, these educational workshops will serve as an excellent refresher for all NAP members.

All of our ESG sessions are free and are held by Zoom invitation only. We're not too formal and we try to make each meeting educational and enjoyable. ESG has all levels of skill-from the novice up to our NAP credentialed parliamentarians (RP/PRP's).

Everyone is welcome to attend ESG provided the participant has an interest in learning more about *Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised* (RONR); and when ready, take the exam to join NAP, and then continue with your studies until you become a credentialed member with NAP.

The ESG instructors use the NAP membership exam study guide as a reference tool, so please ensure to print a copy of this guide to use as your workbook.

**Meetings:** 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.\* (September to May)

**Location:** All sessions are virtual via Zoom invitation.

**Schedule:** As shown on the MAP website: [www.parliamentarians-mb.ca/study-groups/](http://www.parliamentarians-mb.ca/study-groups/)

### **Typical Meeting Agenda**

Time	Minutes (Approx)	
		Welcome Members and Guests, Call the Meeting to Order
7:00 pm	30	"Driving thru Robert's Ville" educational session
	30	Study Guide Discussion Questions**
	25	NAP Membership Exam Question & Review***
	5	Break, if needed
	30	Mock meeting - parliamentary drill****
9:00 pm		Open Forum/Announcements/Adjourn

\*\*Guide Discussion Questions: Q&A on the technical points in the assigned reading sections in a round table/open discussion format.

\*\*\*NAP Exam Questions: Review the exam questions within the assigned reading sections in a round table/open discussion format.

\*\*\*\*Parliamentary Drill: A mock meeting scenario is designed and volunteers practice chairing these meeting situations.

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