

Victoria Basketball Officials Association
VBOA

Date: March 4, 2018

To: Basketball League and Tournament Organizers

From: Eduardo Hermosa – VBOA Chair Person

Re: Spring and Summer Basketball Officials Allocating Procedure

Effective April 2018, allocating officials for all basketball games during the spring and summer seasons will now be assigned by our newly appointed spring summer allocator Mike Gatto. He can be contacted by email or by phone that will be posted ASAP on the VBOA website VBOA.ca. I have also attached the new game fee structure for spring and summer games to this letter.

On May of 2017 VBOA Executives informed majority of basketball league and tournament organizers during the spring and summer seasons about this upcoming change. This includes an invitation to meet and discuss issues in order to help all parties involve through this transition. After months of consideration, we the executive of VBOA had decided to put this plan forward. We believe that this change will greatly benefit officials as well as league and tournament organizers. This will give all active officials an equal opportunity to work at their respective levels and will provide spring and summer leagues proper level of officiating. More importantly, this will protect officials from any liabilities that may occur during games. Finally, we want to instill a fair fee structure that is consistent and appropriate to the level of games officiated.

All VBOA officials were informed about this change and are aware of all the consequences if they accept games not assigned by VBOA including but not limited to fines and liability coverages.

On behalf of the VBOA executives and officials, we thank you for your support to the growing basketball community here in Victoria. Our organization will continue to provide our services at the best of our abilities and we look forward to working together with this new initiative.