## **AOC Oath of Office**

"Ladies and Gentlemen, please repeat after me: I, (<u>state your name</u>), Promise to uphold the office of (<u>state your position</u>) and to promote the principles and ideals of the Association of Old Crows and the AOC Educational Foundation, as provided by the By-Laws to the best of my ability."

I understand that by taking the Oath of Office as a director of the Association of Old Crows, I am fully committed and dedicated to its mission and pledge to faithfully carry out my duties and responsibilities as an AOC Director which include the following:

- 1. I am fiscally responsible, with other board members, and for the AOC. I will know what our budget is and take an active part in reviewing, approving, and monitoring the budget, and actively supporting revenue-generating activities to meet it.
- 2. I am aware of my legal and fiduciary responsibilities to the AOC and those of my fellow board members. I will honor these responsibilities. I am responsible to know and oversee the implementation of AOC policies and programs.
- 3. I accept the Bylaws and Operations Manuals of the AOC and understand that I am morally responsible for the health and well-being of this organization.
- 4. I will actively promote AOC and encourage and support its staff.
- 5. I will attend board meetings, be available for phone consultation, and serve on at least one committee. If I am unable to meet my obligations as a board member, I will offer my resignation.
- 6. I understand that no quotas are being set and that no rigid standards of measurement or achievement are being formed. Every member of the Board of Directors of AOC is making a statement of faith about every other board member. We are trusting each other to carry out the above agreements to the best of our ability.
- 7. I will abide by the AOC's Board of Directors Code of Ethics policies.