



BCICA E-News Bulletin

“Saving energy for the Future”

THE AGM, THE CHRISTMAS PARTY AND THE RIVER ROCK RESORT AND CASINO

If you missed it, there is always next year. The AGM and annual Christmas dinner was held at the **River Rock Resort and Casino** this year and it was a wonderful success. Not only was BCICA provided with a great setting to conduct business and pleasure, but attendees were treated to professional service that in some venues is only reserved for larger organizations. The Conference Centre met all our needs for a private Board Meeting followed by a larger adjoining room to accommodate the AGM. For dinner, members and their wives were treated to a fantastic banquet that included a variety of main courses with an abundance of salads and desserts and all accessible from a private dining room with bar and first rate service. Keep an eye out for next year's date as you will not want to miss a great time at a great venue.

OUTGOING PRESIDENT / NEW PRESIDENT / NEW DIRECTOR



BCICA Vice President **Mr. Brad Haysom** presents a “retirement” gift and acknowledges the contribution **Mr. Joe O'Donnell** (retired) has made not only as BCICA President, but also for his unwavering support of all members of the mechanical insulation industry. Joe will be missed but you never know how long it will be until his next card reads “MI Industry Consultant”.

The BCICA Board had a short private meeting and announced that **Mr. Gary Temple of New Central Mechanical Insulation Ltd.** will “assume the position” as the new BCICA President. The Board is confident that Gary will provide the leadership necessary to continue working to accomplish the goals of the association. Gary's election is a clear signal that it is time for younger members of BCICA to assume leadership roles and continue building on the success of BCICA.

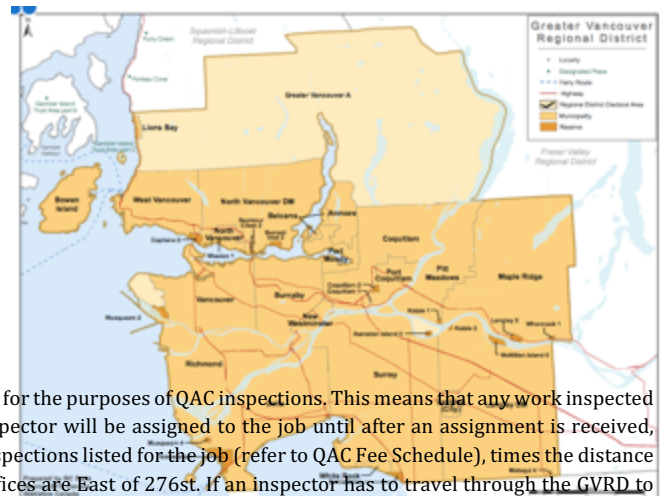
Following the election at the AGM, the BCICA Board has a new Director. **Mr. Chris Ceraldi of Aarc-West Mechanical Insulation (2013) Inc.** is now a member of the BCICA Board. The Board looks forward to Chris's energy and expertise as the association grows in stature.

NEW ACTIVE MEMBER

Speaking of growth. The BCICA Board is pleased to announce that **Acorp Industries Inc.** is the newest member of BCICA. **Mr. Ken Stobbart** is the Corporate Representative for the company. Welcome to BCICA and I look forward to assisting you and your staff with the information you require to further grow your company.

THE BCICA BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR 2016 / 2017

President – Gary Temple
Vice President – Brad Haysom
Treasurer – Andre Pachon
Director – George Thompson
Director – Chris Ceraldi
Director – Jeff Webb
Director – Chris Ishkanian



MILEAGE FREE ZONE

The GVRD (Metro Vancouver) boundaries have been designated as a **mileage free zone** for the purposes of QAC inspections. This means that any work inspected within the GVRD will not be subject to mileage charges. As it is not known which inspector will be assigned to the job until after an assignment is received, estimators are advised to include a nominal mileage amount based on the number of inspections listed for the job (refer to QAC Fee Schedule), times the distance to and from an inspectors' office to the GVRD Boundary. Currently most inspection offices are East of 276st. If an inspector has to travel through the GVRD to inspect a job on the other side of the boundary (i.e. Eastern Boundary to Squamish), mileage is charged to and from the boundary on either side of the project.

QAC INVOICING POLICY CHANGE

The BCICA Board has revised the QAC Invoicing Policy. The association will invoice for QAC Fees after the first on site inspection report is received. A further invoice for travel, mileage, accommodation and / or related expenses associated with the inspection process will be sent to the BCICA member when the final inspection report and accounting for the work is received from the inspector.