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Civil Engineer

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I am a practicing civil engineer, currently employed as a Senior Engineer in the Construction industry. I have over 20 years experience in the water and wastewater industry which has provided a wide variety of engineering challenges.

I support strong, effective engineering regulation and am running for Eastern Regional Councillor. Previously, I sat on Council as Eastern Regional Councillor, with one year as Appointed Vice President, and as a Councillor at Large. I am proud of the work we accomplished while serving on Council. I attended all meetings of Council and those of the committees I served on. I was an active participant at all meetings, voting on matters before Council. I asked questions, I read materials provided and acted in the best interests of the public.

As Eastern Regional Councillor I will work with Council to continue the work to improve the licensing process as well as modernizing the governance of our Profession. I will continue to encourage PEOs forward momentum to being a more inclusive organization for license holders, volunteers and staff. With members of Council residing across this vast province, it is imperative that PEO provide access virtually to members. While on Council I strongly encouraged that short duration committee meetings be conducted via online/virtual options as opposed to in person. As Chair of the Regulatory Policy and Legislative Committee, all meetings were held virtually to allow all members to attend and participate, regardless of geography.

I appreciated the strong encouragement I received within the Eastern Region, and from other regions to run again for Council. With your support, I would continue to work with Council on meeting the goals of the strategic plan and to increase and maintain the regulatory successes of PEO. In my opinion decisions of Council must be based on solid facts, with appropriate and respectful debate. I am information driven and am not afraid to ask questions to ensure I have the necessary information to support decisions before Council. My professional career has allowed me to experience engineering from a variety of perspectives and I support PEO Council being a direction and control board. By focusing on direction and control, PEO Council is better able to set the appropriate policies and direction for implementation.

As a long time PEO volunteer – over 15 years I recognize that Chapters and by extension other stakeholders have often been excluded by targeted and effective communication. I believe strongly that our volunteers are an untapped resource to elicit effective feedback on a variety of subjects, including Professional Engineering standards and the changes faced by Professional Engineers working within regulated and legislated fields of engineering work. I see value in the outreach and the community interaction of the broader Professional Engineering community.

I strongly encourage all eligible Professional Engineers to vote in the upcoming election.

Education

B.Eng in Civil Engineering, Lakehead University, 1996
Technology Diploma, St. Lawrence College, 1994

Career Summary

Len Corcoran Excavating Ltd., Senior Engineer/Project Manager, 2015-present

Utilities Kingston, Utilities Engineer, 2005-2015
Simcoe Engineering Group Limited, Engineer-In-Training/Engineer, 2000-2005
Greater Napanee Utilities, Board Engineer-In-Training, 1998-2000

Volunteer Service

PEO Council

2022-2023 Councillor at Large

2020-2022 Eastern Regional Councillor/Regional Councillors Committee

2021-2022 Vice President – appointed

2021-2023 Regulatory Policy and Legislative Committee (Committee Chair 2022-2023)

2020-2021 Legislation Committee

2020-2021 Finance Committee

PEO Kingston Chapter

2023 to present – Executive Member

2019 to 2020 – Acting Past Chair

2017 to 2019 – Executive Member

2013 to 2016 – Past Chair

2009 to 2013 – Chair

2007 to 2009 – Vice Chair

Chapter Communications Committee Chair and Member, including website maintenance

Chapter Education and Outreach Committee Member, including Scholarship Committee

Chapter Events volunteer

Chapter Government Liaison Program volunteer as needed

Chapter Leaders Conference Organizing Committee member