

Peter Coxon

Board Director Category: Consultant (appointed by acclamation)

What interests you about this position as a Director on the EOCP Board?

Having served as a director for one term, I now appreciate and better understand how critical the EOCP is to the healthy functioning of the water and wastewater industry in BC. I have learnt a lot and feel that I still have a lot to contribute. We have made great strides in defining our role with the many Provincial bodies that form the larger stakeholder group – but there is still much work to do and I am interested in contributing to this next stage in the process.

What do you think are the most important functions of a Director of the Board?

1. Ensuring that the Operators we serve have the support, training and tools they need to do their vital job of protecting public health and the environment.
2. Ensure that the classification and certification that the EOCP undertakes is fair, equitable and timely, and supports our Operators.
3. Ensure that as an organization we operate within our Provincial mandate and maintain good working relationships with all our stakeholders.

What skills, knowledge, and attributes would you bring to the Board?

I have served on various boards in the past and currently am a director on the Urban Systems Foundation Board. I understand the importance of proper board governance and the importance of ensuring that the correct Bylaws and Policies are in place for a healthy functioning board and the organization it oversees.

As a consultant I spend a lot of my time managing projects and problem solving and believe that some of the skills I have acquired would be useful to the EOCP.