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# BCSSGA Mission Statement

**THE BRITISH COLUMBIA STONE SAND AND GRAVEL ASSOCIATION** is committed to affordable, sustainable development of BC’s aggregate resources, providing information to the public, ongoing input to the province, and maintaining government regulations while fostering positive constructive communications with aggregate industry members and mining related associations across Canada.

# Standing BCSSGA Committees

COMMITTEE NAME	CHAIR
Government Relations	Derek Holmes gr@gravelbc.ca
Safety Committee	Robert Sims safety@gravelbc.ca
Sustainability Committee	Danielle Gutwillinger sustainability@gravelbc.ca

# Executive Board 2023/24

**Rick Kovach: President** (Kode Contracting)

**Dani Miller: Past President** (Mainland Construction Materials)

**David Rogalsky: Vice President** (Woodbrook Aggregates)

**Barry McLean: Treasurer** (Osprey Equipment)

**Derek Holmes: Director** (ex-officio)

# Elected Board Of Directors

- Jeff Adams** (FuelEx Energy Ltd.)
- Barry Chalmers** (Island Crushing)
- Tyson Craiggs** (Terus Construction)
- Nikki Keith** (Wilson M. Beck Insurance Services)
- Rick Kovach** (Kode Contracting Ltd.)
- Barry McLean** (Osprey Equipment)
- Dawson Sloan** (Lonetrack)
- Crissy Ram** (Frontline Machinery)
- Keith Meldrum** (Arthon)
- Dani Miller** (Mainland Construction Materials)
- David Rogalsky** (Woodbrook Aggregates)
- Lance Dexter** (Lafarge)
- Robert Sims** (Heidelberg)
- Paul Blattner** (Van Con Enterprises)





## President's Message

I'd like to extend a warm welcome to the 2024 season for Members across the province. At the time of writing, winter is still gripping the better part of the province despite warm spring conditions since Christmas that had us all thinking the banks would soon be thawed! Despite what is typically the slower season for most Producers in B.C., the Association has been working flat out on a number of fronts to support the Membership.

As I hope most of you have already seen, our social media strategy has been sharing content much more frequently than ever before and we've hired a consultant to keep us on track and delivering on the regular. The posts deliver on the Board's decision to shift from the television ads that got us lots of attention post floods into other channels such as LinkedIn that most people check daily in their feeds. Many thanks to Crissy Ram, Danielle and the Sustainability Committee as well as SLP Social Media Management and everyone else who has shared content with the committee. Keep up the good work everyone!

Government relations, another of our core services to Membership, has been staying close to our many contacts throughout the provincial government and keeping abreast of the rapidly changing policy and legislation being pushed by David Eby's government. We walk a delicate balance in our relationships; staying close and friendly so that the door stays open while pushing back hard when we encounter serious issues that could or will affect the industry in a negative way. I want everyone to know that you have a hard working and dedicated team focused on your best interests every step of the way. Whether you are a large or small Producer, the regulations need to be fair and practical across the board.

One long term project of mine continues to be representation to the MMCD organization, particularly with respect to the use of recycled aggregates and ensuring specifications are appropriate so those materials can be more widely used. We all know new sources of aggregate are both hard to permit and don't last forever.

Recycling aggregate based products and re-using them more widely is the only option for the construction industry.

The other is training courses we can offer new and existing workers in the industry to create a baseline understanding of safety and operations in aggregates. I'm personally registered in the OSSGA's spring training program along with Derek to see what our sister organization is doing and maybe model our training after theirs. It's been moving much slower than I'd hoped but we're making headway and the spring conference may be our reveal!

Nearing almost a year at the helm of the Association I see the strength of our organization and the great things we have and continue to accomplish. We are only as strong as our Membership and the many volunteers who contribute on the regular. If you are looking to participate and share in the rewards of our success, please reach out to me. My inbox is always open.

**Rick Kovach, President,  
BC Stone Sand and Gravel Association**

[president@gravelbc.ca](mailto:president@gravelbc.ca)



# Workplace Health and Safety Innovation Award



The Workplace Health, Safety & Innovation Award recognizes a workplace practice, policy, program, process, or tool which demonstrates improvements in the area of health and safety. This includes anything which could be considered proactive, unique, creative or forward thinking. Please see our website [www.gravelbc.ca](http://www.gravelbc.ca) to nominate someone you know who is taking safety to the next level.

Nominations are closed for 2024 award and we have a number of great candidates this year for consideration. If you missed the deadline, please contact Victoria for information on how to get your information to the committee. We look forward to showcasing this year's winner at the Annual General Meeting.



2023 recipients. From L-R Robert Sims, David Rogalsky, and Jeff Adams.

## 2024 EMLI Deputy Minister's Community Service Award



B.C.'s aggregate industry plays an important role in building an affordable and prosperous British Columbia. However, aggregate producers play a much larger part in our communities than purely providing the necessary resources for the construction of homes, public infrastructure, and roads. Their contribution takes a variety of forms including volunteering labour and equipment for community projects and events and supporting local organizations.

The Deputy Minister's Community Service Award recognizes the outstanding contribution the aggregate industry provides to communities across the province.

Information and nominations for awards can be emailed to [sustainability@gravelbc.ca](mailto:sustainability@gravelbc.ca)

Deadline for application: **April 12th, 2024**

## Membership

Welcome new BCSSGA Members so far in 2024:

Western Canadian Screens

Unicast

Lhoist

Dirt by Nektar

Ironbird

United Earth Contractors

Princeton Ready Mix

Dahl Lake Limestone

Lower Nicola Site Services

OWL Aggregates Ltd.

## Upcoming Events

**April 25-26, 2024**

Victoria B.C.

Conference and Trade Show

Ocean Pointe Resort

**September 12, 2024**

Cranbrook

St. Eugene Golf Resort Casino

**December 5, 2024**

Surrey

Northview Golf and Country Club

## Social Media

In a strategic move aimed at fostering community, elevating industry, and promoting our members, the BCSSGA has just launched a communications campaign that officially embraces the power of social media, bringing its vibrant network to the forefront of the digital landscape. We have created an interactive space where members can engage, share insights, and celebrate each other's successes.

It's not just about connections; it's about collaboration and showcasing the association's diverse talent. We know our members play a crucial role in the foundation of infrastructure development and construction projects, making their importance paramount in shaping the environment around us. So, now we want the world to know it! Social media will be our stage to showcase the diverse talents, achievements, innovations, and knowledge of the aggregate industry in BC. From industry facts to member spotlights and success stories, our goal is to amplify the voices and experiences that make our association a rich tapestry of brilliance!

We encourage you to share your content with us, allowing us to promote it with our followers. Whether it's a behind-the-scenes look at your

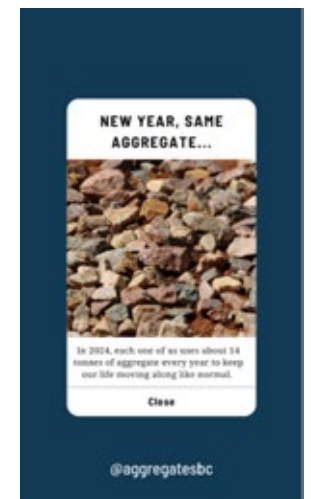
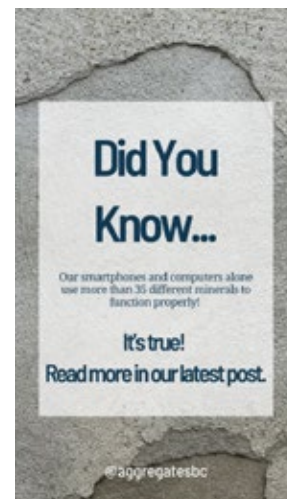
day-to-day operations or an insightful industry update, your voice adds immeasurable value to our community. Submitting your content is easy! Drop us an email with your story and media attachments to [social-media@gravelbc.ca](mailto:social-media@gravelbc.ca).

As the BCSSGA enters this new chapter of digital connectivity, it's not just about sand and gravel; it's about creating a robust, informed, and engaged community that propels the industry forward into a sustainable and connected future. And remember to follow, like and share!

Sincerely,

**Crissy Ram**

[social-media@gravelbc.ca](mailto:social-media@gravelbc.ca)





## Committee Updates

### From the Government Relations Committee:

The Government Relations (GR) Committee is tasked with addressing the most pressing matters for membership with law-makers and regulators from the various levels of government. Our goal is to meet as often as necessary with representatives from government and advocate for both the industry and membership in terms of policy, legislation, strategic direction and mandates. While individual matters are not tackled directly, they often lead the committee in search of root causes and most of all development of solutions which we can work through with government. Our regional representatives play an important role on the committee as they bring forward news and emerging issues from across the province for review and consideration.

A significant development in Ministry of Mines policy already this year for our sector has been the reminder from the Chief Inspector that accompanied visits to mine sites is very much alive. The legislation for this was passed almost three years ago and the Association was very much against it for a number of very understandable reasons. Despite our best efforts the Mines Act was amended and we were told that the policy and guidance (rules) would follow and we would have ample time to be consulted on their development. This hasn't happened and shortly after the announcement was made on January 22nd, we wrote a letter to the Assistant Deputy Minister (ADM) requesting clarification of the processes and procedures for the visits. ADM Warnock replied with the following:

- The program is intended for large mines and exploration sites and not primarily at aggregate mines. Operators should expect a similar level of accompanied inspections as in the past years;
- Privately held lands are not a focus of the program;
- Accompanying parties are not Inspectors and do not have any authority under the Act to issue



orders, warnings or otherwise;

- Notice will be given to the Mine Manager prior to the inspection and time to discuss with the Inspector prior to the visit; and
- Information gathered will be subject to provincial FOI laws.

ADM Warnock expects the guidance will be available for our comment prior to being finalized and is schedule for release some time this coming summer.

The proposed Land Act changes were another hot topic this winter. While the Association has been involved in discussions around modernized land use policy in the province, we were not consulted on proposed changes to the Land Act as some media outlets had reported; especially policy and laws related to any shared decision-making structure. The proposed changes to the Act have been delayed for now but we can expect this topic to surface again



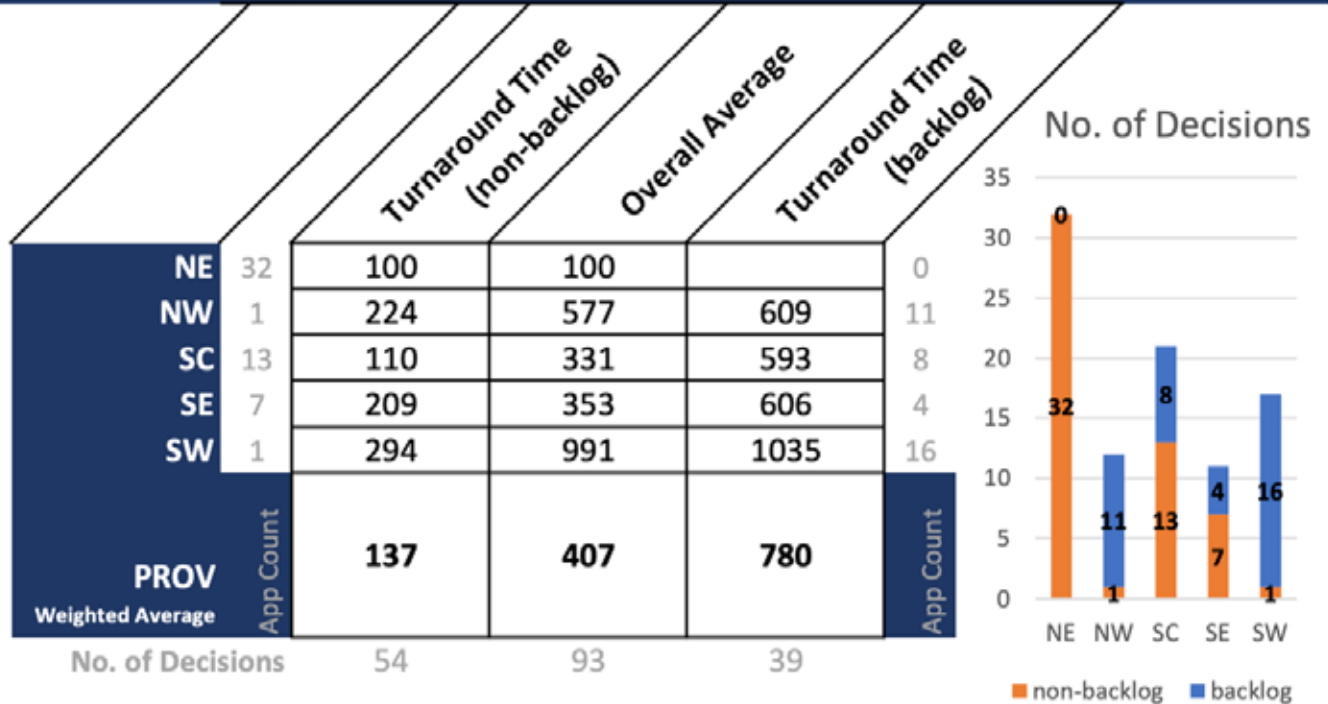
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Energy, Mines and  
Low Carbon Innovation

# Regional Mines Permitting Report

## Sand and Gravel

Average Turnaround Time January 2023 to December 2023

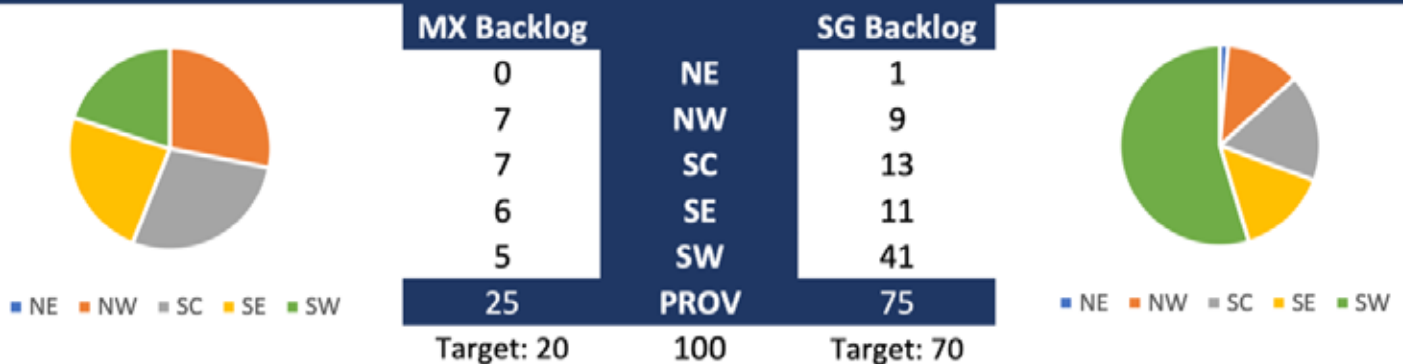
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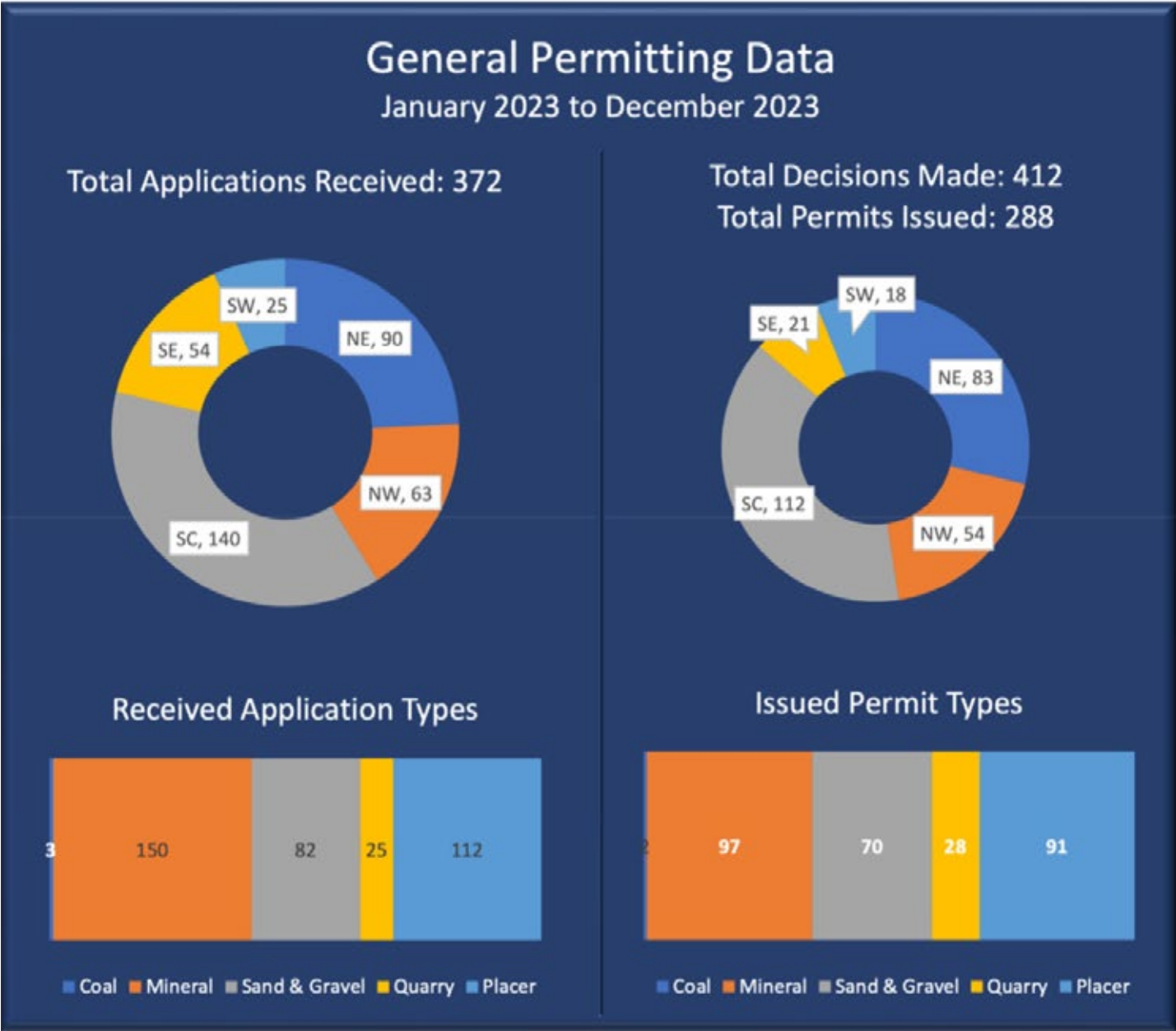
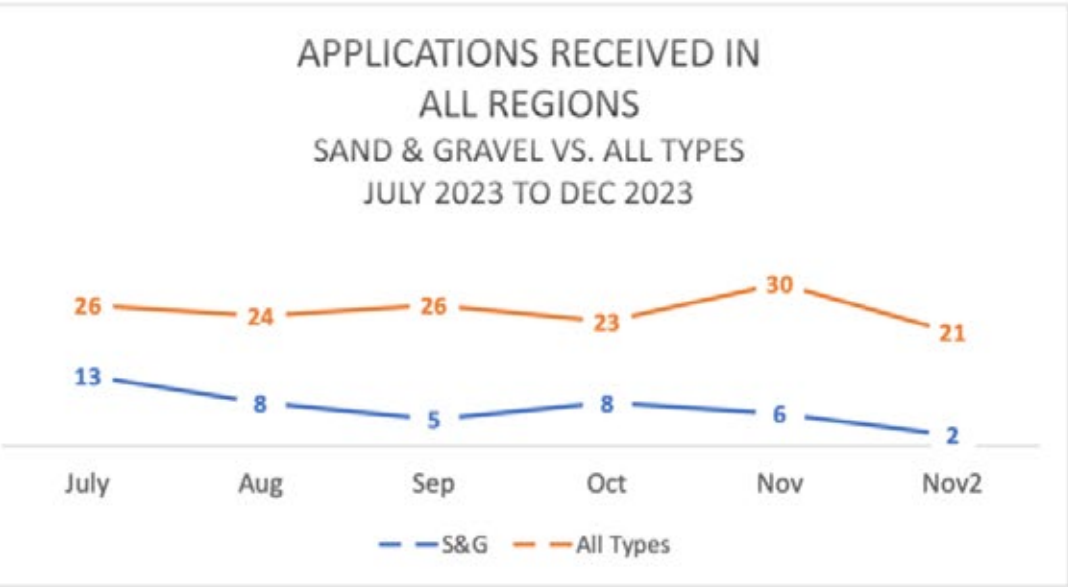
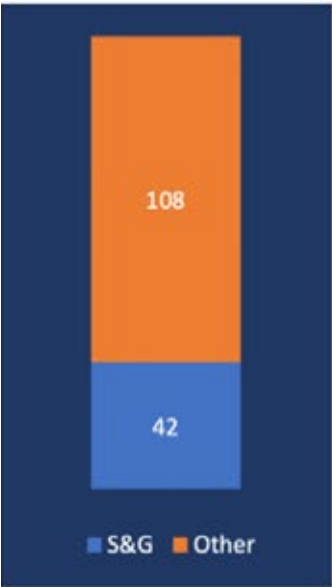
## Mineral and Sand & Gravel Backlog

Count of Current Applications over 365 days

Net Duration (Total Duration minus Proponent Delay)



Data Date: Jan 12, 2024





and, as always, we will be there to represent your interests.

Addressing permitting timelines, challenges with the agricultural land commission and changes to the Code round out our work this past quarter by your Committee. We encourage you to contact your regional representative on the committee or directly to our shared email (below) if you have any emerging issues you would like us to address.

### From the Safety Committee:

The Safety Committee is continuing with our agenda as presented at our 2023 AGM.

We continue to have wider producer participation in the committee. We are still interested in more participation from our smaller producer members. If you are interested, please reach out at [safety@gravelbc.ca](mailto:safety@gravelbc.ca).

Thank you to those who submitted their heir applications for the ESSO FUELEX sponsored “Workplace Health and Safety Innovation Award”. We are looking forward to announcing the winner at our AGM in April!

Trucks and truck drivers are an essential part of our business. Safety Driven ([SafetyDriven.ca](http://SafetyDriven.ca)) is

### From the Sustainability Committee

Dear Members,

In our ongoing commitment to celebrating the impact of the aggregate industry, we are pleased to announce the opening of nominations for the Deputy Minister’s Community Service Award. This recognition is not just about the integral role our industry plays in building an affordable and prosperous British Columbia, but also highlights the substantial contributions made to our communities.

#### Award Overview:

The Deputy Minister’s Community Service Award is a

As always, this is your Association so we really do need to hear from you. What is your main concern and how can we as a Committee and Association work for you? Please feel free to email us and join in the conversation.

Sincerely,

**Derek Holmes**

**Chair, BCSSGA Government Relations Committee**  
[gr@gravelbc.ca](mailto:gr@gravelbc.ca)

currently booking aggregate sites for Safety Carnivals for 2024, where they will run events which deliver safety messages through fun-filled activities to the attendees. These events are typically free of charge, and a great opportunity to get your safety message out! Reach out to [SafetyDriven.ca](http://SafetyDriven.ca) directly or [safety@gravelbc.ca](mailto:safety@gravelbc.ca) for more information.

If you have any questions or ideas for the committee, please reach out to us at [safety@gravelbc.ca](mailto:safety@gravelbc.ca).

Sincerely,

**Robert Sims**

**Chair, BCSSGA Safety Committee**  
[safety@gravelbc.ca](mailto:safety@gravelbc.ca)

testament to the aggregate industry’s commitment to community welfare. It acknowledges the dynamic role played by aggregate producers, beyond the provision of materials. Their involvement takes various forms, from volunteering labour and equipment for community projects to supporting local organizations.

#### Eligibility Criteria:

Companies in the aggregates industry that have supplied at least one project in a BC community are eligible for this prestigious award. Applications can

be submitted by aggregate producers, community members, or any individual wishing to recognize the significant contribution of an aggregate producer to a community.

### ***Application Process:***

To be considered for this award, submit the following by April 12, 2024:

1. A completed application form (found at [www.gravelbc.ca/emli-award](http://www.gravelbc.ca/emli-award))
2. A letter (maximum two pages) describing the contribution made by the company and the benefits to the community
3. Supporting information such as citations, media releases, media coverage, links, photographs, and support and thank-you letters.

### ***Selection Criteria:***

Applications will be evaluated based on qualitative assessments of two key criteria:

1. The benefits to the community
2. The contribution made by the producer

Submit your application to [victoria@gravelbc.ca](mailto:victoria@gravelbc.ca).

The award will be presented at the BCSSGA Conference and Trade Show, April 25-26th, 2024. It's an opportunity to shine a spotlight on the outstanding efforts of our members and showcase the positive impact made on the communities we serve.

Let us come together to recognize and celebrate the heart and soul of our industry—the dedication to building not just structures but thriving communities.

Sincerely,  
**Danielle Gutwillinger**  
**Chair, BCSSGA Sustainability Committee**  
[sustainability@gravelbc.ca](mailto:sustainability@gravelbc.ca)







# CONFERENCE & TRADE SHOW

## British Columbia Stone, Sand and Gravel Association

**April 25-26, 2024 • Victoria Ocean Pointe Resort, Victoria, B.C.**

Following our largest Conference and Trade Show ever in 2023 at the River Rock Casino in Richmond, B.C. with over 200 delegates, we are pleased to announce that the 2024 venue will be at the Victoria Ocean Pointe Resort in the Province's capital.

We are looking forward to hosting you at this beautiful venue with expanded room for trade show booths, networking opportunities, conference delegates, and of course the blossoming flowers of spring in Victoria. We look forward to seeing you all there.

### AGENDA AT A GLANCE:

#### Thursday, April 25

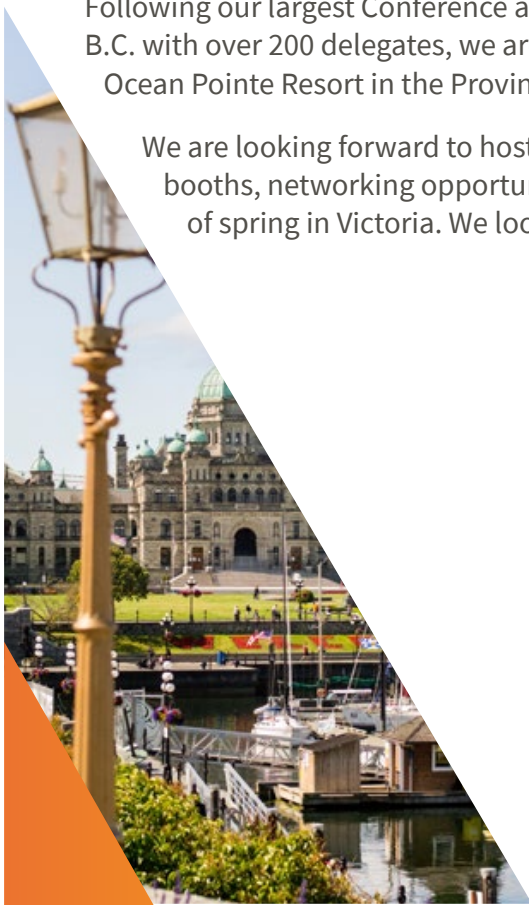
- Forged AXE Throwing
- Mixer Eat Meet & Greet with Minister Osborne (Dinner Provided 6:30PM)
- Vendor Trade Show
- Live music

#### Friday, April 26

- Learning Workshop
- Guest Speakers
- Annual General Meeting
- Vendor Trade Show
- Gala Dinner and Keynote Speaker, Vaughn Palmer (6:30PM)

Visit the website to register NOW: [www.gravelbc.ca](http://www.gravelbc.ca)

Any questions, please contact: [victoria@gravelbc.ca](mailto:victoria@gravelbc.ca)  
(778-571-2670)





## About the Association and Benefits of Membership

The BC Stone Sand and Gravel Association (BCSSGA) is a professional Association that represents all of the Aggregate Producers in British Columbia. Our members are Aggregate Producers, Associates who work with and supply to Producers and we focus our efforts on issues that matter most to our members: government relations, sustainability and safety/training.

The aggregate industry is highly regulated with legislation and government policy developing quickly. Our strength is in our direct line of communication with the various levels of government who consult with our association whenever changes are considered in the Ministry of Energy, Mines and Low-Carbon Innovation (EMLI) affecting mining in the province. We also engage with local governments on behalf of our members to help municipalities understand the challenges our industry faces and lobby for regulations that work for Producers.

Sustainability is not a new concept in the BCSSGA but has been re-branded to reflect how we are perceived in public and push initiatives that build a grassroots knowledge of the value of aggregates in our schools. The Sustainability Committee also manages the Deputy Minister's award that recognizes outstanding community relations by aggregate producers in the Province.

Safety and training are foundations of the aggregate industry and the Association makes sure that we

inform our members about changes to the Health Safety and Reclamation Code for Mines in BC. We have a seat at the table of the Code Review Committee to ensure that the Code works for all mines in BC, not just the large metal mines which only account for a small number of overall provincial permits. The safety committee is also dedicated to providing resources for small operators to ensure their business has the latest and most up to date information available for their safety program.

Becoming a member in the Association ensures we have the numbers and resources to stay relevant with government and non-government entities. Producers benefit by having a strong industry voice advocating for them so they can stay focused on their business and regular updates and meetings to share and learn from others. We have government representatives attend and speak at every one of our meetings. Associates benefit from the networking opportunities and meetings hosted by the BCSSGA during the year with access to key decision makers in the organization and the ability to advertise their business.

For more information please contact  
[\*\*victoria@gravelbc.ca\*\*](mailto:victoria@gravelbc.ca)  
 or **778-571-2670**



# BCSSGA Associate Member Directory

Company Name	Phone Number	Email / Website
Apex Oilfield Services 2000	1-877-347-1628	info@apexsiterentals.com
BIDADOO	604-316-9191	<a href="mailto:blakem@bidadoo.ca">blakem@bidadoo.ca</a>
Brandt	604-882-8888	<a href="mailto:mladd@brandt.ca">mladd@brandt.ca</a>
Cassiar East Yukon Expediting	604-926-8454	<b>Geology, geomorphology, Sedimentology (no website)</b>
Corvidae Environmental Consult.	250-415-8553	<a href="mailto:Julieb@corvid.pro">Julieb@corvid.pro</a>
Diachem Polymers	604-789-2498	<a href="http://diachem.ca">diachem.ca</a>
Diamond Equipment Group	604-425-1400	<a href="http://Diamondequip.com">Diamondequip.com</a>
Dirt by Nektar	604-655-1731	<a href="mailto:todd.hagen@nektar.io">todd.hagen@nektar.io</a>
Dyno Nobel	1-800-473-2675	<a href="http://Dynonobel.com">Dynonobel.com</a>
Eco-Agg Concrete Recycling	604-613-9080	<a href="http://Recycleconcrete.ca">Recycleconcrete.ca</a>
Elrus Aggregate Systems	403-279-7741	<a href="mailto:gwheeliker@elrus.com">gwheeliker@elrus.com</a>
Finning (Canada)	1-888-346-6464	<a href="http://Finning.com">Finning.com</a>
Foreman Equipment	1-888-852-9021	<a href="http://foremanequipment.com">foremanequipment.com</a>
Frontline Machinery	1-855-625-2009	<a href="http://frontline-machinery.com">frontline-machinery.com</a>
FuelEx Energy Ltd.	604-563-3639	<a href="http://fuelenergy.ca">fuelenergy.ca</a>
Great West Equipment	604-882-5051	<a href="http://gwequipment.com">gwequipment.com</a>
Hans Trucking	604-807-9109	<a href="mailto:gurv@hansgroup.ca">gurv@hansgroup.ca</a>
Haver & Boecker Niagara	778-775-1515	<a href="mailto:mkopper@havercanada.com">mkopper@havercanada.com</a>
Holmes Mining Consultants Ltd.	604-309-3028	<a href="http://holmesmining.ca">holmesmining.ca</a>
Inland Truck and Equipment	1-250-613-1086	<a href="http://Inland-group.com">Inland-group.com</a>
Innovative Mining Services	1-844-556-7625	<a href="http://lms-group.ca">lms-group.ca</a>
Lock-Block	604.325.9161	<a href="mailto:hiraka@lockblock.com">hiraka@lockblock.com</a>
LIEBHERR Canada Ltd.	604-270-3266	<a href="mailto:Todd.james@liebherr.com">Todd.james@liebherr.com</a>
Lonetrack Equipment	604-856-7278	<a href="http://lonetrack.com">lonetrack.com</a>
Machinery Supply	1-403-503-7877	<a href="http://machinerysupply.ca">machinerysupply.ca</a>
Metro Testing & Engineering	604-543-8871	<a href="http://metrotesting.ca">metrotesting.ca</a>
Mormak Equipment	1-250-542-7350	<a href="http://mormak.com">mormak.com</a>
ProTrack	604-396-1120	<a href="mailto:mike@protrackbc.com">mike@protrackbc.com</a>
Ritchie Bros Auctioneers	778-331-5000	<a href="http://Rbauction.com">Rbauction.com</a>
Ritchie Bros Financial Services	778-331-9168	<a href="mailto:cmccrum@rbfinance.com">cmccrum@rbfinance.com</a>
SkreenQuip Sales and Rentals	604-940-8210	<a href="http://skreenquip.com">skreenquip.com</a>
SLR Consulting (Canada)	604-738-2500	<a href="http://slrconsulting.com">slrconsulting.com</a>
SMS Equipment	604-888-9700	<a href="http://smsequipment.com">smsequipment.com</a>
Star West Petroleum	604-941-7676	<a href="http://swpetroleum.ca">swpetroleum.ca</a>
Summit Trailer	1-250-492-5445	<a href="http://summittrailer.ca">summittrailer.ca</a>

<i>Company Name</i>	<i>Phone Number</i>	<i>Email / Website</i>
Thurber Engineering	604-684-4384	<a href="mailto:info@thurber.ca">info@thurber.ca</a>
Unicast	280-833-8089	<a href="mailto:kris@unicast.ca">kris@unicast.ca</a>
United Earth Contractors	778-854-4190	<a href="mailto:dave@unitedgrp.ca">dave@unitedgrp.ca</a>
Western Canadian Screens	604-520-3073	<a href="mailto:gregn@thewesterngroup.com">gregn@thewesterngroup.com</a>
Westerra Equipment	778-369-2013	<a href="http://westerraequipment.com">westerraequipment.com</a>
Westrek Geotechnical Services	778-765-9525	<a href="http://westrekgeotech.com">westrekgeotech.com</a>
Wilson M. Beck Insurance	604-437-6200	<a href="http://wmbeck.com">wmbeck.com</a>
Yokohama Off-Highway Tires	778-708-0880	<a href="mailto:hgauley@yokohama-oht.com">hgauley@yokohama-oht.com</a>

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# BC Stone, Sand & Gravel Association

## MEMBERSHIP PACKAGE

The British Columbia Stone Sand and Gravel Association is the voice of the aggregate industry in BC. Since 1988, the Association has been actively representing the industry and its interests at all levels of government and in communities throughout BC.

### Member Benefits:

- Regular access to other membership to learn from, coordinate with, and improve industry performance and standards, while ensuring a reasonable regulatory environment is maintained by governments
- Effective representation at all levels in government to ensure decision makers from the local council to the cabinet chamber hear the voice of aggregate producers and understand our interests as an industry
- Regular engagement with the Executive and Board of Directors to make sure that membership's voice is heard and conveyed to government and regulatory decision makers
- The inside scoop on potential impacts to the industry, be that regulatory change, tax changes, or potential technological advances that can give you the edge in your business
- Access to the association's newsletter, *Screenings Magazine*, and the ability to contribute to the ongoing dialogue



### Government Relations

Legislative and regulatory issues impacting your business are faced on an ongoing basis. The BCSSGA represents the collective voice of BC's aggregate producers with all three levels of government. Get updates on regulatory issues facing the industry and your business and bring your concerns to the table. Harnessing our power in numbers, the BCSSGA is an effective conduit to for industry consultation and engagement with government agencies and representatives. This is your opportunity to help advance the industry's interests and competitiveness.

### Communications

BCSSGA's quarterly publication, *Screenings*, will be delivered to your inbox throughout the year with pertinent information about the aggregate industry, regulatory issues facing the industry, and updates on the Association's activities. Articles that appear in the newsletter could make a difference in your company's operations. BCSSGA also offers advertising opportunities to promote your company's goods and services to our industry focused distribution list.

BCSSGA Members also receive exclusive access to the **BCSSGA Weekly News Clipping service** which brings a round-up of industry news to your inbox every Friday. The Weekly News includes association updates and important news bulletins. Make sure you are in the know.

## FEES

The Association's annual fee structure is based on total annual production.

### Producer Members

Category	Tonnes	Fees / Year	GST	Total
#1	1 – 20,000	\$750	\$37.50	\$787.50
#2	20,001 – 50,000	\$1,000	\$50.00	\$1050.00
#3	50,001 – 100,000	\$1500	\$75.00	\$1575.00
#4	100,001 – 500,000	\$3000	\$150.00	\$3150.00
#5	500,001 – 2,000,000	\$4000	\$200.00	\$4200.00
#6	Over 2,000,000	\$7000	\$350.00	\$7350.00

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Category	Tonnes	Fees / Year	GST	Total
#7	No Production	\$1000	\$50	\$1050.00

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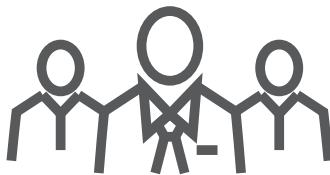
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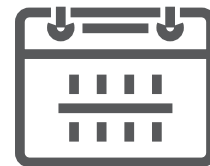
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BC stone, sand and gravel producers are helping build sustainable communities throughout the province.

**British Columbians use 10-15 tonnes of aggregate per person per year.**



1 km of highway  
**30,000 Tonnes**

Hospital **60,000 Tonnes**  
School **30-40,000 Tonnes**



1 km of railroad  
**16,000 Tonnes**

House  
**100-300 Tonnes**



**One truck carries 15 Tonnes of aggregate**