



BC BUILDING CODE INTERPRETATION COMMITTEE

Opportunity

The Building Officials' Association of B.C. (BOABC) is seeking one volunteer to participate on the BC Building Code Interpretation Committee (BCIC). This position is one of three Association representatives on the BCIC, all of whom are appointed by the Executive Committee.

Position Overview

The BCIC is a volunteer body that provides non-biding interpretations of the B.C. Building Code in response to questions from code officials, contractors, designers, and other code users. There is no cost to access the code interpretation service.

As a member of the BCIC, you will join a group of recognized leaders and dedicated volunteers who deliver an impactful service for users of the B.C. Building Code. Committee interpretations provide guidance for designers, builders, code officials and others who need to meet or assess compliance with building regulations. This guidance ultimately serves the public interest and contributes to competent, consistent and professional practice across the building regulatory system.

The BCIC is comprised of volunteer representatives from the BOABC, Engineers and Geoscientists of B.C. (EGBC) and Architectural Institute of B.C. (AIBC). Approximately 60 code interpretations are published per year and approximately 300 are published by the BCIC over each five-year code cycle. The BCIC meets virtually on the third Tuesday of every month from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM.

Qualifications

Applicants must have:

- designation as a Registered Building Official
- extensive experience in interpreting and applying the B.C. Building Code
- extensive experience conducting plan reviews and inspections of Part 9 and Part 3 buildings
- an interest and willingness to research questions submitted by code users
- effective communication and writing skills, and able to develop clear and concise code interpretations
- demonstrated ability to collaborate with others and work within a team
- the ability to attend monthly meetings and meet deadlines for developing and reviewing interpretations.

The successful applicant will need to provide written evidence of employer support for participating on the committee.

How to Apply

To apply, please submit a resume to info@boabc.org. This volunteer position will remain open until filled.