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ACEC-MB YP Breakfast Seminar

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**Keystone Award Winning Project:
Peter Sutherland Sr. Generating Station**

Date: Tuesday, June 19, 2018

Time: 7:30 am Breakfast

8:00 am Presentation

8:40 am Question Period

Location: KGS Group, 865 Waverley Street

Cost: \$15 per person + GST

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a breakfast seminar presentation of the 2018 Keystone Award Winning Project: Peter Sutherland Sr. Generating Station.

Named after a respected elder of the Taykwa Tagamou Nation community, the new 28 Megawatt Peter Sutherland Sr. Generating Station is remotely located along the Abitibi River in northeastern Ontario. The \$300M project consists of a new 28 MW hydroelectric plant with a powerhouse, 250 m long 4 m dia. penstock, concrete gated intake structure and spillway, 550 m of rockfill cement-bentonite core dams, and a 7 km 115 KV transmission line.

KGS Group, Ontario Power Generation (OPG), Coral Rapids Power (CRP), and Taykwa Tagamou Nation (TTN), along with the design-build contractor Kiewit Aecon New Post Creek (KANPP), assembled a team of engineers of virtually every discipline, scientists, biologists, contractors and local community members to complete this green energy project safely, on budget, and ahead of schedule.

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Participation in this event is eligible for 1 hour of PD credit.





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Event Recaps

ACEC-MB 2018 Annual General Meeting

On May 16, 2018, the ACEC-MB Board of Directors and representatives of ACEC-MB member firms gathered at the Pine Ridge Golf Club for the 2018 Annual General Meeting.

Meeting attendees received breakfast sponsored by Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba. Greetings were brought by special guests from Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba (Grant Koropatnik), CTTAM (Kellie Orr) and MPPI (Ross Mitchell).

Key business from the meeting included the ratification of the 2017-18 financial statements and approval of the 2018-19 budget projections. The ACEC-MB Board also recognized the board members who have finished their board appointment terms. These persons included Allyson Desgroseilliers, Jeff Rempel, Alana Gauthier, and Warren Gendzelevich.

Five persons were nominated for appointment to the ACEC-MB Board prior to the meeting:

- Kevin Beechinor – wood.;
- Jerry Comeau – Stantec Consulting Ltd.;
- Kerra Mruss – WSP;
- Hugh Williams – KGS Group; and

- Jeff O’Driscoll – Associated Engineering.

These persons were approved for appointment to the Board by the membership in attendance at the meeting. Returning board members include:

- Richard Tebinka – WSP;
- Andy Nagy – AECOM;
- Brad Cook – Dillon Consulting Ltd.;
- Sandee Cabigting – Crosier Kilgour & Partners Ltd.;
- Tyson Ehnes – AECOM;
- Peter Gryc – SMS Engineering;
- Mario Scerbo – Tetra Tech; and
- Emile Shehata – Tetra Tech.

Finally, outgoing President Richard Tebinka officially welcomed Andy Nagy as the President for the 2018-19 year with the presentation of the gavel. Richard will assume the role of Past-President for the 2018-19 year.





20th Annual ACEC-MB Golf Tournament

On May 16, 2018, ACEC-MB held its Annual Golf Tournament at the Pine Ridge Golf Club. The tournament followed the Annual General Meeting and marks the 20th playing of the tournament.

Approximately 100 golfers enjoyed the day of golf thanks to beautiful course conditions and warm weather. Congratulations go to the tournament winners from KGS Group: Paul Surgeoner, Lucien Lalonde, Howard Procyshyn, and Mark Rosen.



The event also included a number of on-course competitions. Congratulations go to the winners:

- Owen Stagg and John Highmoor (Longest Drive)
- Chaitan Sandhu and Chuck Steele (Closest to the Hole)
- Kyle Wiebe and Rich Sison (Straightest Drive)

The 2019 tournament date has been booked for May 15, 2019 so save the date in your calendars for what is sure to be another great day of golf. Thanks to all of the sponsors, participants, and the Pine Ridge Golf Club for continuing to make this event a success.



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YP Committee Member Spotlight

Josée Rémillard, Certified Engineering Technologist

Committee role: CTTAM Liaison

Employed by: KGS Group as a Structural Technologist

Studied at: Red River College

And left with a diploma in: Structural Engineering Technology

Years in consulting: Seven

Why I love my job: The best part about my job is working with a knowledgeable team on challenging and interesting projects. I love that each day is different and that I learn something new every day.

What I do in my free time: I take pleasure in drawing, painting and playing baseball.

Fun fact about me: I grew up on a small grain farm south of Winnipeg and find it very calming taking rides with my dad in the seeder, grain truck or combine listening to classic rock. Additionally I have a great time cooking meals and baking with my mom.

Favorite or dream travel destination: Canoeing through the city of Whitehorse, walking through

Giant Redwood trees or camping through the Maritimes.

If you could have any superpower, which would you choose? Flying



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Friday, May 25, 2018

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