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* Professional health education  
* Policing, law enforcement, private security  
* Victim services, child & family welfare  
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At the British Columbia Safety Authority we're about keeping people safe. As the Province's delegated Authority, we regulate the safe installation and use of technical systems, products and equipment, such as boilers or ski lifts. We're a not-for-profit that administers safety standards through education, and through issuing permits and licenses. We also enforce compliance to standards to ensure consistency and fairness, and conduct onsite inspections - particularly in high-risk situations. We continuously research trends to advance the standard of safe practices in our Province.

We deliver safety services that apply to work and products, and oversee the safety of the following industry sectors in the province:

* amusement rides;
* boilers, pressure vessels and refrigeration systems;
* electrical equipment and systems;
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* FortisBC is the common brand identity under which the following businesses operate: FortisBC Inc., FortisBC Energy Inc., FortisBC Energy (Vancouver Island) Inc., and FortisBC Energy (Whistler) Inc.

Specialties:
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• metering services

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DESCRIPTION OF FIRM

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To serve the public by regulating and supporting Technology Professionals’ commitment to a safe, healthy, and sustainable society and environment.

SPECIALITIES
* Professional designations: Applied Science Technologist (AScT), Certified Technician (CTech)
* Special Certifications: Building Design, Construction Safety, Fire Inspection, House & Property Inspection, Public Works Inspection, Site Improvements Surveys, Steel Detailing and Onsite Wastewater
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The Building Designers Institute of British Columbia (BDIBC) represents professional Building Designers practising in BC. BDIBC Members are registered under Provincial Statute with the Applied Science Technologists and Technicians of BC (ASTTBC), a self-governing professional association.

BDIBC Members are recognized by the Applied Science Technologist (AScT) or Certified Technician (CTech), and one of two designations:

* RBD - Registered Building Designer  
* CRD - Certified Residential Designer

Our mandate is to deliver uncompromising professionalism and service in the design and construction of buildings.

**SPECIALTIES**

BDIBC Members have expertise in a broad spectrum of building types including:

* Residential - Single or Multi-family  
* Commercial - Offices and Retail Spaces  
* Industrial/Light Manufacturing.


BDIBC Members work in conjunction with other professionals where required by Provincial Statute.

**AREAS OF SERVICE**

Currently 80+ BDIBC members are practising throughout British Columbia.
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The Applied Science Technologies and Technicians of BC (ASTTBC) certifies Construction Safety Officers (CSO) and Trades Safety Coordinators (TSC) who have been trained by recognized training agencies which currently includes the BC Institute of Technology (BCIT), Care Institute of Safety and Health Inc., and ER Plus Risk Management Group Inc.

These providers offer professional training and information resources for construction workers, construction management and people in similar industries.

SPECIALTIES

Our mutual goal is to eliminate the human and financial toll accidents place on the construction industry and our society.

The recognized training agencies train to the industry standards required to qualify as CSO’s or TSC’s for certification by ASTTBC.

These qualifications are an excellent pre-requisite for people seeking employment as site safety people in the role of “competent person”.

AREAS OF SERVICE

There are 160+ Construction Safety Officers and Trades Safety Coordinators registered in British Columbia.
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DESCRIPTION OF FIRM

ASTTBC offers special certification to technicians offering services in a variety of fields including fire protection equipment inspection and testing. The City of Vancouver, District of North Vancouver, City of North Vancouver, City of Chilliwack, District of Sechelt, City of Richmond, District of Squamish, City of Courtenay, City of Abbotsford, City of Surrey, City of Coquitlam, City of Pitt Meadows, and Resort Municipality of Whistler have a bylaw requiring work to be completed by an ASTTBC Registered Fire Protection Technician (RFPT).

Our goal is to ensure that technicians who inspect, test and maintain fire protection systems have the required knowledge and training to provide accurate inspection and testing as required by code and to protect the public health and safety.

Our purpose is to:

* Improve standards of practice with regard to fire safety inspection, testing and maintenance
* Protect safety and health of the public
* Provide professional certification program to identify qualified practitioners
* Develop educational standards and career opportunities for technicians

SPECIALTIES

Within Fire Protection Inspection and Testing there are specific areas in which services are offered:

* Fire Alarm Systems
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* Generator Systems
* Water-Based Fire Protection Systems
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* Fire Extinguishers
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* Commercial Kitchen Exhaust Cleaning
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AREA OF SERVICE

700+ Fire Protection Technicians are registered with ASTTBC.
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Our Abbotsford office opened in 1991. For 20 years, Golder Associates has built a rock-solid reputation on client service, innovative thinking, and cost-effective solutions that work for our Fraser Valley clients.

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Our Vancouver office opened in 1963 and is known for its service diversity: geotechnical engineering, site remediation and restoration, soil and rock mechanics for underground and open pit mining, biosciences, cultural sciences, geophysical investigation, and materials engineering and testing.

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We have been a member of the Castlegar business community since 1995, when RL&L Environmental Services began supporting local industry with specialised fisheries services. In 2001, RL&L joined Golder Associates, and our team now delivers a full range of ground engineering and environmental science services. Maintaining our quality of life here in the Columbia Valley is important to us, and our scientific and engineering approaches help to balance the interests of industry, government, and our community.

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In 2003, we opened our Fort St. John office. Our team provides environmental assessment, environmental health & safety, cultural sciences, and ground engineering services to clients across north-east British Columbia and north-west Alberta.

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Our Kamloops office opened in 1975, and we deliver geotechnical engineering, hydrogeology, contaminated sites, archaeology, and biological services to our clients throughout the Okanagan.

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We have been part of the local business community since 1977 and our clients come to us for a full range of geotechnical engineering and environmental science services. From hazard assessments, foundation design, dam safety review, and dam design to environmental site assessments, contaminated site remediation, and landfill monitoring to environmental impact assessment, environmental monitoring and permitting to water management, our team delivers innovative thinking and cost-effective solutions for our clients.

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Opened in 2008, our Revelstoke office is a focal point for service delivery to our clients along the Highway 1 corridor east of Kamloops. We have built a rock-solid reputation on client service, innovative thinking, and cost-effective solutions that work for our central British Columbia clients.

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Our Squamish office opened in 2004 and provides environmental impact assessment, engineering rock mechanics, and geotechnical engineering services. Our team is noted for hazard assessments, foundation design, rock slope design, dam safety review and dam design, tunnels, and run-of-river hydroelectric power development projects.

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Our Victoria office opened in 1997, and we continue to be an active member of the capital city’s business scene. Our team provides services in geotechnical engineering, water resources, contaminated site assessment and remediation, archaeology, First Nations consultation, environmental impact assessments, and marine resource inventories.

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The firm caters to the municipal infrastructure engineering market, covering both public and private projects, from feasibility and planning, through detailed design and construction services, to commissioning, operational assistance, and project management. Total staff is 22, including 8 professional engineers. The firm was established in 1987, and has offices in Parksville and Courtenay.
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The Sewerage System Regulation requires an ‘Authorized Person’ or a ‘Professional’ to plan and install onsite wastewater (septic) systems. A Registered Onsite Wastewater Practitioner’ (ROWP) registered with the Applied Science Technologists and Technicians of BC (ASTTBC) is recognized as an Authorized Person for Type 1 and Type 2 systems.

The registration process includes an assessment of formal training, experience, and professional references. ROWPs are required to complete a professionalism in practice program and examination. ROWPs must adhere to a Code of Ethics and are held professionally responsible under the Sewerage System Regulation and the ASTT Act and Regulations. ROWPs are required to maintain their competence and are provided access to professional liability insurance.

For further information and to locate a ROWP please visit owrp.asttbc.org

**SPECIALTIES**

The new Sewerage System Regulation, changes the current regulatory framework as follows:

* Replaces Health Authority directed regulation with industry accountability
* Health Authority Permits are no longer required
* The new Regulation requires training and ASTTBC registration of industry practitioners
* Provides flexibility for new and emergent onsite wastewater treatment technologies

**AREA OF SERVICE**

500+ Registered Onsite Wastewater Practitioners in British Columbia.

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PWIS is partnering with the Applied Science Technologists and Technicians of BC (ASTTBC), a professional association of 9,500+ technology professionals in BC, to offer professional certification for public works inspectors. The title “Certified Public Works Inspector” or the designation “CPWI” is awarded by the Public Works Inspection Certification Board to inspectors who meet the certification standards. CPWIs are governed by the ASTT Act and Regulations, including a professional Code of Ethics.

PWIS is collaborating with the BC Institute of Technology in delivering part-time courses in public works inspection. PWIS also convenes regular technical sessions for members and publishes a newsletter.

**Specialities**

PWIS members work with municipal, provincial and federal governments, contractors, consulting engineering firms and inspection companies. CPWIs may be certified at one of three levels, and will offer services at an entry level, involving inspection and testing to more advanced levels of responsibility including taking direct control of public works projects.

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DESCRIPTION OF FIRM

The Steel Detailers Institute of British Columbia (SDIBC) is a professional institute, representing certified and practicing Steel Detailers in BC. SDIBC certified members are highly qualified and knowledgeable professionals with qualifications that adhere to rigorous standards of practice and a code of ethics.

Our members are registered under a provincial statute with the Applied Science Technologists & Technicians of BC (ASTTBC). It is our mission to advance the profession of Steel Detailers and the professional recognition and career development of Registered Certified Steel Detailers in a manner that serves and protects the public interest.

ASTTBC is a registered, self-governing, professional association with a membership exceeding 9,500+ practitioners in a variety of disciplines and technical specialties.

SPECIALTIES

The Applied Science Technologists and Technicians of BC (ASTTBC) registers and certifies Steel Detailers in BC.

There are three levels of certification which identify ASTTBC registered Steel Detailers. These are:

* RSD - Registered Steel Detailer
* CSD - Certified Steel Detailer
* ASD - Associate Steel Detailer

With RSD being the highest certification granted.

AREA OF SERVICE

Steel Detailers in BC are encouraged to join SDIBC and achieve professional certification through ASTTBC as a Steel Detailers. Currently there are 50+ detailers registered with ASTTBC.
Hemmera is a leading environmental consulting firm in Western Canada, providing services in engineering, environmental science, planning and management. Hemmera helps BC municipalities address environmental and community challenges to create opportunities for sustainable growth and development. With offices in Vancouver, Burnaby, Victoria, and Calgary, Hemmera has a team of over 135 staff.

Hemmera can support a wide range of municipal initiatives, including:

- Community planning and consultation
- Active transportation planning
- Environmental impact assessment
- Ecosystem management
- First Nations consultation
- Sustainability planning
- Climate change initiatives
- Greenhouse gas reduction
- Energy auditing
- Alternative energy feasibility
- GeoExchange assessment/design
- Brownfield remediation
- Contaminated site investigation

We have worked with municipalities all across BC, including:

- * Abbotsford
- * Burnaby
- * Fort Nelson
- * Fort St. James
- * Kitimat
- * Langley
- * Nelson
- * New Westminster
- * Port Alberni
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- * Port Moody
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Environmental Management and successful Sustainability Initiatives are a complex application of Practical Knowledge, Valued Experience, Responsive Actions, Innovation and End-Game Strategies.

Keystone Environmental has 22 years of environmental project completions that have exceeded client expectations and set new standards in the industry. Our trained professionals manage environmental issues and ecological impacts for clients in every sector. Whether contaminated sites, riparian areas, solid waste audits, or sustainability governance, our project management approach makes the difference in results, timelines and project costs. When clients have environmental questions they turn to Keystone Environmental for the most up-to-date and complete answers.

Our head office is in Burnaby and our staff of 75 work across the province. We have many municipal clients with needs spanning from annual creek restoration programs through to issues regarding contamination on their owned properties, such as works yards, landfills, surplus lands, street right-of-ways and others.

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We’re the only manufacturer to offer Echotex™, the first 100% recycled fabric made exclusively for outdoor banners. Visit our Echotex™ website at http://www.echotex.ca/. And when you’re done with your street banners, we can turn them into shopping bags so that nothing ends up in your landfills! Or better yet, have your high school home economic classes do the sewing and create your very own “banner to bag” program. We’ll show them how!


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R.A. Beauchamp & Associates is a local government and First Nations consulting firm providing expertise in a wide range of professional services focusing on effective organization development, good governance, strategic planning, information management, and service delivery excellence.

Our firm brings a wealth of experience to the table with a very strong multi-disciplinary team to help provide effective solutions to complex problems and assisting organizations in becoming more efficient and effective. Review the depth of our team on our website at localgovernmentconsulting.ca.

President Rick Beauchamp is an accomplished generalist in all facets of executive management with over 42 years experience in municipal and regional government. He has a very diverse background with extensive experience with five amalgamations and reorganizing of public bodies requiring extensive communication and consultation in developing implementation plans and cultural change.

SPECIALTIES

- Governance best practices
- Council orientation workshops
- Executive searches and temporary assignments
- Corporate strategic planning
- Organization / service assessments
- Facilitation and training
- Policy and procedure development
- First Nations consultation / service agreements
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DESCRIPTION OF FIRM
Defero-West Local Government Consulting specializes in the following services:

* grant applications
* citizen surveys
* research & communications
* corporate officer duties (temporary)
* planning workshops

Sarah Morden (Principal) is committed to providing BC communities with exceptional service and practical results at affordable rates. Sarah has over 7 years experience in the BC local government sector (Town of Ladysmith / CivicInfo BC); holds a Masters degree in Public Administration (concentration in local government management); and, was awarded an Intermediate Certificate in Local Government Administration from the BC Board of Examiners in 2005.

Since launching her business late in 2008, Sarah has had tremendous success with grant applications on a very broad range of municipal projects. A growing list of local government references is available upon request.
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Description of Firm
Pacific Blue Cross and BC Life & Casualty Company are BC organizations that share a common mission to be the most trusted and reliable provider of cost-effective health, life and disability coverage for their members. Both organizations are located in Burnaby and are committed to servicing their growing memberships. Together, they provide benefits and travel coverage for approximately two million Canadians.

Pacific Blue Cross and BC Life & Casualty Company make a difference in the province of BC by taking a leadership role in the ongoing discussion around the need for more preventive and supportive health programs. They are also committed to the values of innovation and setting the service standard against which all other providers are measured.

Facts about PBC/BC Life

* BC's largest provider of Health and Dental benefits
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* Over two million members
* 8,000 employee group plans for businesses, governments, unions and associations
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* Executive and staff recruitment
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* Facilitation for strategic planning
* Human Resources services tailored to unique requirements of First Nations
* Position description and related classification analysis
* Communications / Public Relations Writing

ORGANIZATIONAL DESIGN / CHANGE

TallSky will plan, develop, and implement creative organizational solutions in order to improve the effectiveness of your organization. This involves clearly defining the current organization - its strengths and weaknesses - and guiding management to define the “new” organization best suited to meet your emerging needs.

RECRUITMENT AND STAFFING

TallSky provides you with the results of over 15 years successful experience in Executive Recruitment and staff recruitment for a wide range of positions. We employ a variety of strategies that can include formal advertising, outreach programs, and informal / formal recruitment methods.

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Waterhouse Executive Search Ltd. is a leading professional services organization developed by the Vice President of the former Executive Search division of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP. Our partners have over 50 years of combined recruitment expertise and have CMC or CHRP designations. They are members of the Canadian Association of Management Consultants and the British Columbia Human Resources Management Association.

Our ability to attract highly qualified candidates to complex, demanding positions has established Waterhouse Executive Search as British Columbia’s leading Municipal Executive Search firm. Over the past decade, we have assisted Mayors, Councils Board Chairs and Directors with structured and defensible selection process enabling them to select candidates that fit the personality, style and direction of their organizations.

Through a National Network of Associates specifically in Vancouver, Calgary, Saskatoon, Winnipeg, London, Toronto, Montreal and Seattle, Washington, we have the capability of reaching prospective candidates within a broad range of industry sectors both public and private.

SPECIALTIES
As a broad based Executive Search firm offering recruitment services to a wide array of industry sectors, Waterhouse Executive Search is highly respected for their expertise within the Municipal Sector. Over the past decade we have successfully managed many highly complex engagements for positions such as: Chief Administrative Officer, Directors of Engineering, Planning, Parks and Recreation, Human Resources, Clerk and Fire Chief.

AREA OF SERVICE
Within the Municipal Sector, we provide specialized Executive Search services to the province of British Columbia, Alberta and Yukon. Additionally, we have the capability of providing recruitment services across Canada, through, our national network of search partners.
Meeting Management - the leading **Meeting Management and Tracking Solution** that enables organizations to distribute meeting information by up to 75% faster and realize on-going savings year after year.

Our Meeting Management Meeting Management Solution supports and streamlines the many clerical and information management functions so critical to the success and effectiveness of your meetings.

Our Meeting Management Meeting Management Solution assists in delivering open, accessible and green government.

Our Meeting Management Meeting Management Solution provides increased visibility into the entire meeting process through a “dashboard” view of all agendas/agenda packets, minutes and actions created, approved, distributed, and stored throughout the organization.

Simply put, our Meeting Management Solution is all about **Easing Meeting Demands**

Everyone is looking for information, and it's often the corporate administration department that is stuck in the middle. Keeping track of all the actions, and knowing what is being done about them is the challenge.

Our Action Tracking Solution captures all the actions and related information in one place, grouped in convenient Tracker modules that make it easy to keep on top of what's happening. From meeting actions to public records requests - and every other list you keep - our Action Tracking Solution gives you the tools to manage the information and keep everyone informed.

Our FilePro tool enables governments to quickly organize, store, search, print and publish key documents such as agendas, minutes, bylaws, reports, correspondence, manuals and agreements. With a click of a mouse, FilePro makes this information quickly and easily available and searchable for those who need it, when they need it.

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BC Assessment is a provincial Crown corporation, governed by a Board of Directors, with a mandate to create uniform property assessments which can be relied upon to build sustainable communities in British Columbia.

BC Assessment annually determines the correct classification, actual value and tax exemption status for almost 2 million properties across the province. The assessment rolls provide a fair and equitable base from which local governments and the provincial government raise more than $6 billion annually in property taxes to support local services.

BC Assessment’s unique products and services are used by both the public and private sectors. The corporation operates 17 offices in 10 regions.

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As of March 31, 2009 the BC Government requires all house inspectors to be licensed. BCIPI members are qualified to be licensed by Consumer Protection BC (CPBC).

BCIPI members are registered by the Applied Science Technologists and Technicians of BC (ASTTBC), as self-governing professional association of 9,500+ technologists, technicians and technical specialists. ASTTBC is one of the three organizations or programs recognized by the CPBC for licensing of house inspectors.

BCIPI members have the highest standards in BC for professional registration and licensing. BCIPI members are professionally accountable to ASTTBC and as of March 31, 2009 to the licensing requirements of the CPBC.

**SPECIALTIES**

A Certified Property Inspector (CPI) or Certified House Inspector (CHI) is a trained professional who has met the required level of education and experience necessary for certification.

The CPI/CHI designation is granted under the Applied Science Technologists and Technicians Act and Regulations.

**AREAS OF SERVICE**

BCIPI has 170+ members in BC.

Please visit www.bcipi.net and click on ‘Hire an Inspector’ to locate an inspector in your area.
Johnson & Elligott is an experience-based company that brings together the local government expertise of a former Mayor and a senior manager with a background in finance, planning and administration. Both share a well-rounded working knowledge of local communities and the challenges faced by Councils, police, school and regional boards, and staff, on a daily basis.

We understand and communicate in the language of local government. Our focus is helping elected and appointed officials and staff in communities and regional districts plan for the future, solve problems, and work more effectively and productively.

In addition, we partner with other professionals to provide a broad range of services to local government.

SPECIALTIES

* **Strategic planning**... to create goals and objectives; identify issues and opportunities; establish priorities; outline alternatives and analyze the impacts; and generate workable solutions and implementation strategies.
* **Governance**... for the most effective and efficient use of elected officials’, appointed boards’, and staff’s time and resources.
* **Mentoring**... to help elected officials, appointed boards, committee members, administrators, and senior staff fulfill their mandates and cope with the challenges of their position.
* **Facilitation**... of workshops, retreats, public meetings and consultations.
* **Roles, responsibilities, and team building**... to help Council and staff be more effective and productive working as teams and in partnership with one another.
* **Policy development**... on a broad range of local government and community issues.
* **Orientation for newly elected officials**... combines basic survival information with the realities of being an elected official.

AREA OF SERVICE

Based in British Columbia; service throughout Canada.
With our proven track record and status as one of the largest premier firms in British Columbia, our lawyers offer clients the breadth and depth of experience that comes with being a leader in the Canadian legal industry. The firm’s flourishing practice areas include: local government, public/private/partnerships, labour, environmental assessment, construction contracts/litigation, tax land development and insurance litigation, including property damage and liability.

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Fulton & Company LLP is the preferred legal counsel for a number of local governments throughout British Columbia in the following areas:

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* Local Government contracts
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* Statute interpretation
* By-law drafting
* By-law enforcement
* Risk management

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We advise municipalities and regional districts on issues relating to their organization, management structures, union and employee relations and collective bargaining issues. Our lawyers have an excellent knowledge of the Community Charter, Local Government Act, as well as many other employment related acts, regulations, agreements and arrangements affecting municipal and regional governments. While we are skilled in advocacy before administrative tribunals and courts, it is our practice, where possible, to provide early and effective advice designed to avoid or reduce the costs of litigation. We have the people, the expertise and the desire to provide our clients with prompt and practical services in a cost-effective manner.

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PREFERRED AREA OF PRACTICE

Our firm has experience in all areas of the law relevant to local government. We have appeared in all levels of Court in British Columbia, Federal Court of Appeal and in the Supreme Court of Canada on a wide range of issues. We have also appeared before many administrative tribunals such as the National Energy Board, Assessment Authority, Labour Relations Board, the Environmental Appeal Board, British Columbia Utilities Commission and the Expropriation Compensation Board. We have experience in all aspects of land development and regulation and have particular experience in the areas of nuisance businesses and public private partnerships.

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Our firm’s policy is that we do not act in opposition to local government.

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Solicitor’s Services: providing interpretation on all legislation affecting local government including the Community Charter and Local Government Act, drafting and reviewing bylaws, contracts, real estate transactions and advice on municipal, planning and environmental law as well as other subjects of interest to local governments.

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Municipal corporate and financial advice: management consulting and administrative advice, including briefs to provincial and federal government commissions and agencies, in house training and seminars for both appointed and elected officials.

**AREA OF SERVICE**

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