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BY E-MAIL

To All Industry Stakeholders,

Subject: BCVMC Is Seeking Interested Candidates for Appointment to Advisory Working Groups

APPOINTMENT PROCESS: The Commission has started the process to appoint members to the restructured **Greenhouse Vegetable Advisory** and **Storage Crop Vegetable Advisory** working groups. Candidates can be a licensed producer or representative of a licensed agency. A licensed producer that is a director of a licensed agency also qualifies as a candidate. The advisory working groups shall consist of a maximum of 5 producers, up to 2 Commissioners, and 2 agency representatives (from 2 different agencies) for a maximum of 9 persons.

Member appointments to the advisory working groups will take place at the Commission's July meeting using a merit-based process. Appointments will be three-year staggered terms so that going forward no more than 50% of the members are appointed at one time. The first meeting of each advisory will be scheduled for the end of July / early August, with set meetings to follow.

INTERSTED CANDIDATES: [Reply Requested By: June 13, 2022](#)

All interested candidates can contact the Commission office at 604.542.9734 or reply to this email by 5:00pm Monday June 13th. We will need your name, contact information, and the advisory working group you are interested in joining. A copy of the terms of reference for each advisory is attached to this e-mail.

ADVISORY WORKING GROUPS: Advisories are working groups established by the BCVMC whose role it is to support timely and informed decision-making by the Commission based on industry knowledge and expertise.

Objectives include:

1. Solicit input from industry experts.
2. Engage industry stakeholders in meaningful ways.
3. Demonstrate that the Commission is responsive to industry concerns.

4. Build knowledge and capacity within the industry.
5. Develop potential Commissioner candidates through a greater understanding of the Commission's mandate and work.

The Advisory provides non-binding recommendations to the Commission on:

- Industry regulatory matters referred to it by the Commission to review and examine;
- Industry regulatory matters not referred to it by the Commission to review and examine; and
- Changes to the BCVMC General Order where the matter has specific reference or application to the sector the working group represents.

Attachments:

[GVA TOR \(22-05-13\).pdf](#)

[SCA TOR \(22-05-13\).pdf](#)

Link to this Bulletin at BCVMC website: <https://www.bcveg.com/news-and-notice.html>

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