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LOCAL NEWS

BC Hydro: Let's talk about electrification



Source: BC Hydro

"Clean electricity in B.C. means an opportunity to dramatically cut emissions. There's been a lot of discussion about electrification in B.C. over the last six months. At its core, it's a very simple concept: reviewing equipment and processes that are typically powered by fossil fuels to decide two things: 1) What can easily be changed to run on green

electricity? 2) What needs some strategic planning and additional investment?"

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Climate at top of the agenda for southwest B.C.'s local government conference

Source: CBC News

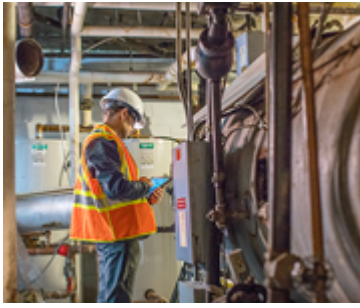
The local governments in Metro Vancouver, the Fraser Valley and Sea-to-Sky corridor that make up the Lower Mainland Local Government Association convened for an annual conference. This year, the focus of the event was how climate change is a growing issue for the region.

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New CleanBC program boosts energy-saving innovation for buildings

Source: BC Provincial Government

"The CleanBC Building Innovation Fund launched on May 9, 2019, and will provide \$1.8 million in funding to manufacturers, developers, builders and program administrators for the development and demonstration of innovative, low-carbon building solutions."



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TECHNOLOGY

Vancouver Tesla drivers get 22 new downtown supercharging stations

Source: CBC News

Tesla opened Canada's largest supercharger station in CF Pacific Centre. BOMA BC Director of Government Affairs, Muneesh Sharma and Energy Manager, David Salsberg, attended the ribbon cutting.

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RENEWABLE ENERGY

MP Peschisolido announces funding for two B.C. hydrogen refuelling stations

Source: Natural Resources Canada news release

Joe Peschisolido, Member of Parliament for Steveston–Richmond East, on behalf of the Honourable Amarjeet Sohi, Canada's Minister of Natural Resources, has announced funding for two retail hydrogen refuelling stations in the Lower Mainland.

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customers informed of ever changing regulations and committed to leaving a positive effect in our community and the environment.

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NATIONAL NEWS

Zero-emission transport trucks set to hit Alberta roads

Source: CBC News

Transport trucks are a major source of greenhouse gas emissions, so researchers and industry want to know if electric power can move the heavy vehicles — and how much. The project will develop two heavy-duty, 64-tonne hybrid trucks with hydrogen fuel cells. Over three years, they'll move freight year-round between Edmonton and Calgary.

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BOMA BC ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS

BOMA BC is taking an active role in promoting energy efficiency and sustainability with its members by providing cost-effective tools and resources to improve performance in buildings. We offer direct assistance for your energy management needs, utility tracking and reporting software, energy training, total waste management services, and a green building certification program. All members are encouraged to contact BOMA BC to see what programs are right for your organization.



BOMA Strategic Energy Management Services

Through the BOMA Energy Management Program (EMP), partially funded by BC Hydro, BOMA is pleased to provide direct assistance to members with strategic energy management planning. BOMA BC members will have access to a qualified energy management professional who will work one-on-one with your organization to develop a strategic energy management plan. These plans are essential for organizations who are addressing the sustainability of their building portfolio and want a structured and effective way to reduce operating costs, improve building performance and reduce the environmental impact of the building.



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What Course Participants are Saying:

"The course is an excellent source for helping to summarize project costs and benefits as part of a capital budget, as well as 'selling' the benefits of energy savings projects."

"The course went into much more detail than I expected, which I was happy with as I was looking for a better understanding of the technical basics."

"The spreadsheets and links are very beneficial for future use."

For more information or to register for the course, please go to the [BOMA Learning Website](#)

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