

to provide leadership, promote safety, and enhance the value and reputation of the underground facility locating industry in Canada.



#### CANADIAN ASSOCIATION OF PIPELINE AND UTILITY LOCATING CONTRACTORS

The Canadian Association of Pipeline and Utility Locating Contractors (CAPULC) was founded in April 2002. The common goal shared by members of the association is to improve the locating and ground disturbance industry. We have a vested interest in directing the development of standards for the industry in Canada, through education and making industry specific information available to our members. We agree that the development of Canadian standards, the guidelines for evaluating competencies and qualifications required, should be determined by those of us with the knowledge and experience involved in the locating industry.

#### **ASSOCIATION GOALS**

#### **♦** Governance

To facilitate a comprehensive review of the Association's current governance structure in a way that identifies gaps and highlights areas of improvement for the purpose of providing a defined governance structure and sustainable presence in each province in Canada.

#### Strategic Networks

To improve CAPULC's presence in the existing network of industry related organizations in a way that enhances the association's voice for the purpose of establishing CAPULC as a leader in the pipeline and utility locating industry.

#### Outreach

To enhance communications with members, non-members and stakeholder groups in a way that increases visibility of the association for the purpose of increasing awareness about association activities and initiatives.

#### Sustainability

To develop a sustainable financial framework in a way that ensures CAPULC has the capacity to meet both short and long-term goals for the purpose of enhancing member benefits and maintaining growth in the membership base.

#### Recruitment & Services

To market association benefits and to develop new services in a way that will proactively address the needs of the industry for the purpose of establishing CAPULC as the preferred choice for professional membership.

#### Advocacy

To identify, interpret, and react to legislative and industry changes in a way that is relevant and timely to members for the purpose of maintaining the association's position as a leader in the pipeline and locating industry.

#### Education

To assist in the promotion and development of education programs in a way that enhances the association's relevance and value to the industry for the purpose of establishing the association as a proactive leader in program development.



### Join Us!

#### Members of our association include:

- Locating companies, big and small.
- Organizations involved in digging.
- Those with an interest in promoting awareness of, and improvements in, buried facility locating.
- Suppliers of training and suppliers of equipment associated with Utility Locating.
- Companies that require underground facility locating services.

#### **Member Benefits**

- Promote industry interests and voice concerns as a group by gaining inclusion into association programs, activities and advocacy initiatives as well as access to updates on industry trends and best practices.
- Recognition as a professional locate company. Your name and contact is listed on the association website in *Locate a Locator* and by the use of CAPULC's Member logo.
- Involvement and participation at association conferences (AGM), workshops, special events and seminars to network with peers and industry suppliers.
- Access to member-specific savings through the CAPULC Marketplace



## **Member Types**

#### CANADIAN ASSOCIATION OF PIPELINE AND UTILITY LOCATING CONTRACTORS

CAPULC's Membership is open to anyone interested in the line locating and ground disturbance industry. We encourage the input of gas and oil companies, utility owners, industry training facilities, locating companies, as well as the general public, and would highly recommend your involvement at any level with CAPULC. No matter in what field of work, nor what level of expertise in the line locating and ground disturbance industry you find yourself, CAPULC is an organization with your interest and safety in mind. Read the following membership requirements and discover how easily you can become a member of this vastly diverse and knowledgeable organization, which is CAPULC.

#### **REGULAR MEMBER**

Regular Members are companies or partnerships that provide locating services in Canada.

Regular Members must meet the following conditions and requirements for admission as Members of the Association:

- Regular Members must be corporations or partnerships incorporated in any jurisdiction in Canada;
- Regular Members must have, and at all times maintain, a Certificate of Recognition (COR) issued by Alberta Employment and Immigration, or equivalent certification issued by a provincial governmental organization or authority in those provinces in which it works;
- Regular Members must pay an annual membership fee as established at each Annual General Meeting; and
- Regular Members must at all times adhere to the standards developed, published and promulgated by the Society.

#### **ASSOCIATE MEMBER**

Associate Members are companies or partnerships that serve as suppliers for the locating industry. Associate Members must meet the following conditions and requirements for admission as Members of the Society:

- Associate Members must be corporations or partnerships incorporated or formed in any jurisdiction in Canada;
- Associate Members must operates a business which supplies of goods or services to the: (i) locating industry, (ii) buried facility owners/operators that purchase locating services, (iii) training organizations, (iv) one-call centers, or (v) buried facility damage prevention organizations;
- Associate Members must pay an annual membership fee as established at each Annual General Meeting; and
- Associate Members must at all times adhere to the standards developed, published and promulgated by the Society.

#### **AFFILIATE MEMBER**

Affiliate Members are corporations, partnerships, organizations, and sister associations that endorse and support the principals of CAPULC. Affiliate Members must meet the following conditions and requirements for admission as Members of the Society:

- Affiliate Members must be corporations, partnerships, organizations or associations incorporated or formed in any jurisdiction in Canada or individuals resident in Canada;
- Affiliate Members must acknowledge and endorse the purposes and objects of the Society;
- Affiliate Members must pay an annual membership fee as established at each Annual General Meeting; and
- Affiliate Members must at all times adhere to the standards developed, published and promulgated by the Society.



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# Member Application

## Incomplete applications will be returned to the sender.

First Name:	Last	Name:		
Position:				
Company Name:				
Mailing Address:				
City:	Province	:Po	stal Code:	
Email:				
Website:				
Business Phone:		Fa	x:	
Company Rep:		M	obile Phone:	
Geographic Areas Covered	Branch Locations (	please list major c	enters):	
Services Provided (e.g. Traini	ng, Surveying, Loca	ating):		
Years in Business:				
Membership Information:				
Please check applicable box to REGULAR MEMBER ASSOCIATE MEMBER AFFILIATE MEMBER		mbership for whicl \$1,000.00 + GST \$500.00 + GST \$250.00 + GST	h you are applyinį	g:
Signature:		Date:		_
Credit Card Number:		Exp	o:	CCV:
Payment can also be made b	y cheque. Please c	ontact the CAPULO	C office at 888-492	2-8279.
Send application to admin@@	capulc.ca.			