



BC Farm Industry Review Board

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Dear all:

ANNUAL PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS

Given the passage of time and subsequent changes in board membership I wanted to reach out to you about the BC Farm Industry Review Board's (BCFIRB) expectations regarding submission of annual performance evaluations.

Regular performance evaluations play an important role in building and supporting good governance by providing feedback on strengths and identifying opportunities for change. I am encouraged to see in your 2019 Public Accountability Reporting Project (PARP) reports that most of your boards are conducting some form of annual performance evaluation.

In addition to completing annual performance evaluations, I would like to remind you to provide a copy of your board performance evaluations to BCFIRB. This assists BCFIRB in its own performance appraisals and in fulfilling the Crown Agencies and Board Resourcing Office requirement for Chair evaluations. The evaluations can be submitted directly to either myself or Kirsten Pedersen, Executive Director.

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According to our files, while many of you are providing annual Chair evaluations, there are gaps since 2015 or earlier as to board performance evaluations being submitted to BCFIRB.

Evaluation services are available through the Council of Marketing Boards. Contact Della Oberhoffner at office@bccoga.ca for more information.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peter Donkers", with a long, sweeping flourish extending upwards and to the right.

Peter Donkers
Chair

cc: BCFIRB web site