
Stan Ferguson Becomes Certified Public Infrastructure Inspector (CPII)

The City of Parksville is pleased to announce that Stan Ferguson, the City's municipal services inspector recently earned the designation of Certified Public Infrastructure Inspector (CPII). Stan is the second CPII to be certified in Canada and only one of about 135 in North America.

Administered by the Canadian Public Works Association (CPWA), the Certified Public Infrastructure Inspector certification program promotes quality infrastructure throughout the community by advancing the knowledge and practice of construction inspection and quality control.

Stan doesn't understand why the big fuss; to him it's just part of what he does to bring credibility to his profession. A couple years ago, he was certified by the Applied Science Technologists and Technicians of BC which is a self-governing professional association that designs, constructs, inspects, test, maintains and manages most of the world around us including buildings, roads, parks, drainage and water and wastewater systems, according to the ASTTBC website.

"This new designation, along with the ASTTBC certification, pretty much covers it all," Stan stated. "It's a good thing to have, it's recognized in the public works field and both certifications bring credibility to my profession and ensure the community receives well-constructed improvements."

Director of engineering and operations, Robert Harary said, "We congratulate Stan Ferguson on becoming a CPII. We are pleased that the City, through Stan's dedication as our municipal services inspector, is able to provide quality public works and services to the residents of Parksville."

The CPII designation is for individuals who inspect the construction of public infrastructure such as roadways, highways, utilities, bridges, dams and facilities (e.g., pump stations, treatment plants, water storage facilities) and other types of construction work and materials to ensure compliance with design plans and specifications. Duties also include observation, measurement, testing, and documentation while striving to resolve inevitable construction challenges in a prompt and efficient manner.

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