



**Association of BC Land Surveyors
&
Alberta Land Surveyors' Association**



Land Surveyors Hold Historic Meeting

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The Alberta Land Surveyors' Association and the Association of British Columbia Land Surveyors held an historic combined board of directors meeting in Sidney, British Columbia on November 27, 2008.

The joint meeting was inspired by the recent labour mobility agreement signed by the Association of British Columbia Land Surveyors and the Alberta Land Surveyors' Association.

In this first meeting of the two associations, the purpose was to meet with colleagues in similar roles, learn about each other's activities, and determine if ABCLS and ALSA could collaborate in specific areas.

The session provided an opportunity to network, review reports on key operational areas, and discuss topics of mutual interest such as Labour Mobility, Professional Development, Career Awareness and Practice Review Programs.

All participants agreed on the value of continuing the relationship and identified opportunities for collaboration that will be explored over the coming months.

The two associations plan on meeting again in 2009, likely in Alberta.

The Alberta Land Surveyors' Association and the Association of British Columbia Land Surveyors are self-governing professional associations established by provincial legislation. The associations regulate the practice of land surveying for the protection of the public and the administration of the profession.

JOINT ALSA-ABCLS MEETING – November 2008



Pictured left to right: Russ Barnes, ALSA Public Member; Joe Johnson, BCLS; Peter Mueller, BCLS; Connie Petersen, ALS; Don George, ALS; Mike Thomson, BCLS; Janice Henshaw, ABCLS Executive Director; David McWilliam, ALS; Bob Wallace, ALS; Neil Bennett, BCLS; Jim Maidment, ALS; Mike Taylor, BCLS; John Haggerty, ALS, Richard Wey, BCLS; Rob Radovanovic, ALS; Brian Munday, ALSA Executive Director; Bruce Gudim, ALS; Chuck Salmon, BCLS; John Armstrong, BCLS; Ron Hall, ALS

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