



## BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS: MAY 29, 2024

*Engineers and Geoscientists BC's Board of elected registrants and public representatives meets throughout the year. The following are the highlights of its May 29, 2024, meeting.*

### 2024/2025 BUDGET APPROVED

At their May 29 meeting, Engineers and Geoscientists BC's Board approved the budget for the organization's 2024/2025 fiscal year. The budget includes a less than 3% increase to licensing fees (\$15) which will take effect in January 2025.

The budget accounts for additional resources to manage demands on regulatory processes – including significant increases to application, licensing, and exam volumes, as well as increased investigation and discipline files – and also anticipates the impact of divesting revenue-generating advocacy activities through mid-2025.

Despite these added pressures, the Board was able to analyze and refine the budget to ensure the organization could advance this work while also keeping licensing fee increases to a minimum, proceeding only with an adjustment to keep up with inflation.

Additional work supported by the budget includes engagement with government on strategic priorities, an improved volunteer management program, engagement with registrants to seek feedback on key issues, and ongoing work to improve the organization's foundational programs related to data governance, equity, diversity and inclusion, Truth and Reconciliation, and climate change.