

WHO'S LOBBYING WHO IN BC?

Monthly Snapshot – April 2026

The following is a brief summary of new Registration Returns activated or re-activated between April 1 and April 30, 2026, under BC's *Lobbyists Transparency Act*.

To view full details of all Registration Returns, you must search the [Lobbyists Registry](#). For screenshots of various ways to search the Lobbyists Registry, see the [Getting Started - Reference Guide](#) pages 26 - 28.

1. Scott Andrews, a consultant lobbyist with Earncliffe Strategies, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Aecon Group Inc. regarding issues affecting the delivery of major public infrastructure projects in British Columbia.
2. Andrew Bernardo, a consultant lobbyist with Public Affairs Advisors Inc., is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of thyssenkrupp Marine Systems GmbH seeking to engage the Government of British Columbia to introduce them to the contents of their bid submission to the Federal Government for the Canadian Patrol Submarine Program (CPSP). TKMS is not seeking subsidies or programs to be stood up as a result of the meetings, but rather situate the Premier's Office on which BC companies they are engaging with in order to build out their supplier list in support of the program.
3. Claire Belanger-Parker, a consultant lobbyist with CNT Management Group Inc., is lobbying public office holders at the Ministry of Transportation and Transit on behalf of the Canadian Crane Rental Association regarding changes to the Commercial Vehicle Dimensions and Weights Regulation that would improve inter-provincial trade, and weights and dimensions for all-terrain cranes in British Columbia.
4. Kevin Bosch, a consultant lobbyist with Sandstone Group Inc., is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Cermaq Canada Ltd. to promote the benefits of Cermaq's salmon

farming investments in Canada and seek a positive path forward for continued investments, job creation, food security, exports, and economic reconciliation with First Nations.

5. James Cabangon, a consultant lobbyist with Crestview Strategy, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Sunoco LP regarding necessary issues to maintain fuel supply in British Columbia during the emergency situation including help with streamlining access to infrastructure assets as well as adequate access to supply; the modernization of the Low Carbon Fuel Standard in British Columbia; the productive engagement of community neighbours and leaders through the Refinery's Community Advisory Panel; Sunoco's Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF) production run and potential for future funding, programing, or policies in relation to SAF; support and policies needed to enable electric vehicle charging infrastructure growth in the Province of British Columbia; carbon tax: achieving greenhouse gas emissions reductions while supporting the competitiveness of emissions-intensive, trade-exposed sectors when compared to other refining jurisdictions; Environmental Assessment Act: supporting regulations and implementation of the Act that enable the assessment of projects in a timely and efficient manner; and seeking to ensure support for cost effective, reliable access to the TransMountain pipeline that supports economic refinery utilization.
6. Michele Cadario, a consultant lobbyist with Rubicon Strategy Inc., is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Indivior Canada Ltd. regarding efforts to communicate with the government on current regulations and policies related to access to opioid addiction treatments, and to encourage the government to utilize the most up to date options for British Columbians experiencing mental health and addictions challenges, including presenting the latest effective and evidence based solutions to address challenges in the health care system for people with opioid addiction.
7. Michele Cadario, a consultant lobbyist with Rubicon Strategy Inc., is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Western Forest Products Inc. to discuss opportunities to advance planned upgrades for kiln and product diversification initiatives due to ongoing trade disruptions, and to identify appropriate funding to support Western Forest Products Inc. operations.
8. Shawn Cruz and Amanda van Baarsen, consultant lobbyists with Counsel Public Affairs Inc., are lobbying public office holders at the Ministry of Children and Family Development on behalf of Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption - Canada regarding policy and program recommendations regarding the government's response to permanency for children in foster care.

9. Greg D'Avignon, a consultant lobbyist with CSG Canadian Strategy Group LP, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of PC Urban Properties Corp. to discuss workforce housing projects in Vancouver for essential workers, including health care workers and first responders, and potential provincial policy or cost-relief measures that could support affordability and delivery of this housing model.
10. Matthew Dubé, a consultant lobbyist with Proof Strategies, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of StubHub Inc. regarding raising awareness with government and public office holders about StubHub's business, the ticketing industry at large, and live events, with the goal of informing consideration of measures related to ticketing, competition, and consumer protection.
11. Shannon Greer, a consultant lobbyist with New West Public Affairs, is lobbying Member(s) of the BC Legislative Assembly on behalf of **Lax Kw'alaams First Nation**, regarding government partnership opportunities based on Microsoft's software, hardware, and digital service solutions.
12. David Gulliver, a consultant lobbyist with Enterprise Canada, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Google Canada Corporation, communicating about artificial intelligence (AI), including the regulation of AI, government investment in AI, and the promotion of AI training and skills development, as well as the proposed public-harms legislation and the BC Online Safety Action Table.
13. David Gulliver, a consultant lobbyist with Enterprise Canada, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Canadian Propane Association regarding further use of propane as a low emission fuel, propane related policies and regulations and changes to energy or environmental policies relating to the propane sector.
14. Leah Holiday, a consultant lobbyist with GT & Company Executive Advisors, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Novartis Pharmaceuticals Canada Inc. Novartis Pharma Canada Inc. regarding delivering a pipeline review presentation to provide Pharmacare program management with details of products currently under development, or not yet available in Canada, for which the Pharmaceutical Services Division will be making future funding decisions, and discussions with BC government officials, organizations, and elected representatives to obtain public reimbursement of Novartis' innovative treatments for BC citizens requiring access to these treatments through various BC government-funded programs such as Pharmacare, Health Authorities, and BC Cancer Agency, and to encourage the BC government to recognize the importance of Novartis investments in research and development.

15. Jordan Hudyma, a consultant lobbyist with Crestview Strategy Inc., is lobbying public office holders at the Ministry of Transportation and Transit and the Office of the Premier on behalf of the Canadian Trucking Alliance to compel elected officials, through grassroots mobilization, to prioritize revisions to inter-provincial safety code standards (carrier profiles), (safety ratings), and (facility audits), and to properly fund carrier data exchange systems and provide enforcement authorities with access to all relevant data on trucking companies and drivers.
16. Keerit Jutla, a consultant lobbyist with Jutla Strategies, is lobbying public office holders at the Ministry of Mining and Critical Minerals on behalf of Nicola Mining Inc. regarding the increasing export of raw ore from British Columbia to international processing facilities, the resulting decline in domestic milling activity within the province, and regulatory, economic, and policy factors contributing to the offshoring of mineral processing, including permitting timelines, storage requirements, and comparative regulatory burdens between domestic milling operations and offshore processing alternatives.
17. Terry Lalari, a consultant lobbyist with Seabrook Strategies Incorporated, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Lax Kw'alaams First Nation regarding meaningful dialogue with provincial decision-makers on Bill 21 and related treaty legislation currently before the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, including the Crown's consultation obligations and the impacts of the proposed legislation on the Aboriginal rights and title of Lax Kw'alaams and the Nine Allied Tribes of the Tsimshian Nation, and to pause, delay, or amend Bill 21 so that provisions adversely affecting Lax Kw'alaams' rights, title, and interests are appropriately addressed before the legislation proceeds.
18. Liam Lawson, a consultant lobbyist with FGS Longview, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of the Railway Association of Canada on government engagement regarding rail safety concerns and impacts on rail operations and industrial stakeholders.
19. Liam Lawson, a consultant lobbyist with FGS Longview, is lobbying public office holders at the Ministry of Finance on behalf of TMX Group Limited on tax policy, business incentives, and capital markets issues.
20. Louis-Philippe Lochhead, a consultant lobbyist with Bolero Strategies, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Crawler Mulching Industries Danri Inc. regarding wildfire prevention and risk reduction, with a focus on the role of mechanical vegetation management in

supporting the development, establishment, and implementation of government programs, policies, and related initiatives.

21. Ashley McDougall, a consultant lobbyist with Impact Public Affairs, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of British Columbia Construction Association regarding policy direction on the development of employment training programs and feedback on Employment Standards legislation to help ensure the British Columbia construction industry remains competitive and has access to a suitable workforce; the promotion of policies, programs, and initiatives that support the stated objectives of the Community Benefit Agreement while avoiding measures that stifle competition and limit the choices of skilled tradespeople in British Columbia; the development of public sector procurement capacity in accordance with the Guide to Calling Bids, Awarding Contracts and Trade Contractors Guide and Checklist, and Guidance for the Release of Information and/or Documents Related to Competitive Procurement Opportunities; and the introduction of Prompt Payment legislation in British Columbia in collaboration with industry stakeholders.
22. Michael McKinnon, a consultant lobbyist with Enterprise Canada, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Movember Foundation focused on securing buy-in from provincial governments, including the Government of British Columbia, for a national strategy focused on men's health. Subject matters include testicular cancer, prostate cancer, suicide prevention, and Indigenous health and well-being.
23. Safia Mohamed, a consultant lobbyist with Enterprise Canada, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Myeloma Canada regarding advocacy and discussions related to innovative therapies and access to treatment for patients with myeloma.
24. Christina Rzepa, a consultant lobbyist with Counsel Public Affairs Inc., is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of White Ribbon regarding advancing the organization's gender-based violence prevention programming and services.
25. Giulia Turco, a consultant lobbyist with Earnscliffe Strategies, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of HighStreet Accommodations Ltd. regarding changes to the Short-Term Rental Accommodation Act and policy recommendations to ensure that displaced people have access to appropriate housing options.
26. Marco Violo, a consultant lobbyist with StrategyCorp Inc., is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of CARFAX Canada ULC regarding auto theft and the Motor Dealer Act, as

well as privacy considerations around the use of Vehicle Identification Numbers in CARFAX offerings to law enforcement.

27. Samira Wagner, a consultant lobbyist with Crestview Strategy, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Moon River Moly Ltd about the importance of molybdenum and the high-grade Davidson Deposit, and the issue of critical minerals and the strategic importance of Moon River Moly's critical mineral exploration and production.
28. Samira Wagner, a consultant lobbyist with Crestview Strategy, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Harrison Staffing Inc. to advocate for a flexible employment model for independent contractors in the event staffing industry, preserving worker autonomy and well-being and recognizing the value of hospitality workers.
29. Steve Vander Wal, a consultant lobbyist with Rocky Point Public Affairs, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of AbbVie Corporation, advocating for policies that support timely access to AbbVie's innovative medicines for appropriate patients, and for the value of innovative pharmaceuticals in improving patient outcomes and overall savings to the healthcare system, as well as advancing health security and economic growth, and identifying partnership opportunities with the Government of British Columbia, Regional Health Authorities, BC Cancer Agency, and universities in clinical research on new and existing treatments and therapies, and the generation of real-world evidence.
30. Matthew Wigmore, a consultant lobbyist with Framepoint Public Affairs, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of Rhodes Wellness College Ltd. regarding the recognition of the value that well-established regulated career colleges can bring to the government in the areas of mental health, addictions, and any areas that can be assisted through counselling services, particularly colleges like Rhodes Wellness College that have decades of experience working successfully with marginalized populations.
31. Matthew Wigmore, a consultant lobbyist with Framepoint Public Affairs, is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on behalf of the Canadian Coastal Research Society regarding policy and program recommendations for better Pacific Ocean conservation through science-based solutions.
32. Richard Zussman, a consultant lobbyist with Burson (Hill & Knowlton), is lobbying public office holders at the Ministry of Energy and Climate Solutions and the Ministry of Jobs and Economic Growth on behalf of Mazda Canada Inc. regarding zero-emission vehicle mandates.

33. Aecon Group Inc. is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies regarding energy, infrastructure, and transportation projects with respect to Aecon's role as a construction and infrastructure development company.
34. Beem Credit Union is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies regarding engaging government partners to advance interprovincial operating agreements that would allow provincially regulated credit unions to operate across jurisdictions, consistent with the existing authority provided under section 160.1 of the Financial Institutions Act.
35. Canadian Home Builders' Association is lobbying public office holders at the Ministry of Infrastructure and Member(s) of the BC Legislative Assembly regarding a stabilizing approach to Step Codes, including pausing mandatory increases beyond Step 3 for Part 9 Buildings under the BC Energy Step Code and allowing higher steps to remain voluntary and incentive-based, limiting the Zero Carbon Step Code to Emissions Level 2 (EL-2) by 2030 to balance meaningful emissions reductions with regional flexibility in harder-to-electrify communities, and harmonizing regional and local government Step Code timelines and implementation; reducing the cost to build homes by expanding in-stream protections in the Local Government Act beyond the 12 months currently legislated to reflect today's project timelines, reforming the municipal infrastructure funding model to better align municipal finance tools with population, economic growth, and housing starts, and increasing municipal accountability by establishing a fair minimum assist factor beyond the 1 percent currently legislated for local governments on development cost charges (DCCs) and amenity cost charges (ACCs); and streamlining approvals by placing a moratorium on new requirements for the building sector until the sector has time to recover, increasing reliance on qualified professionals by eliminating duplicate reviews and sign-offs and introducing expedited approval streams for applications completed by a qualified professional, and improving the one-window permitting process by ensuring adequate staff capacity to review and process applications, standardized permitting timelines, and continued review of permits across ministries to reduce unnecessary and unclear regulatory and processing requirements.
36. Canadian Home Builders Association of Northern BC is lobbying Member(s) of the BC Legislative Assembly regarding reducing the cost of home building; a stabilizing approach to Step Codes, including pausing mandatory increases beyond Step 3 for Part 9 Buildings under the BC Energy Step Code and allowing higher steps to remain voluntary and incentive-based, limiting the Zero Carbon Step Code to Emissions Level 2 (EL-2) by 2030 to balance meaningful emissions reductions with

regional flexibility in harder-to-electrify communities, and harmonizing regional and local government Step Code timelines and implementation; and streamlining approvals by placing a moratorium on new requirements for the building sector until the sector has time to recover, increasing reliance on qualified professionals by eliminating duplicate reviews and sign-offs and introducing expedited approval streams for applications completed by a qualified professional, and improving the one-window permitting process by ensuring adequate staff capacity to review and process applications, standardized permitting timelines, and continued review of permits across ministries to reduce unnecessary and unclear regulatory and processing requirements.

37. CUTBANK DAWSON GAS RESOURCES LTD. is lobbying public office holders at the Ministry of Energy and Climate Solutions providing feedback on matters, initiatives, policies, and programs related to the Province's oil and gas development, including the oil and gas royalty system.
38. Federation of Independent School Associations in BC is lobbying public office holders at the Ministry of Education and Child Care regarding proportional funding access to the Food in Schools program for needy families with children enrolled in an independent school.
39. Ford Motor Company of Canada, Limited/Ford du Canada Limitée is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on Zero-Emission Vehicle (ZEV) regulations, including sales mandates, incentives, charging infrastructure, and other related policies.
40. General Motors of Canada Company is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies regarding the development of the zero emission vehicle (ZEV) regulation and supportive policies, and regarding the development of an extended producer responsibility requirement for EV batteries in British Columbia under the existing EPR regulation/framework.
41. Hyfluence Systems Corp is lobbying public office holders at the Ministry of Energy and Climate Solutions and the Office of the Premier as part of a Hydrogen BC delegation, providing updates on the hydrogen sector and outlining opportunities for future growth and continued support within CleanBC, the Zero Emissions Vehicle Act, and permitting and regulatory efficiencies.
42. Island Rail Corporation is lobbying Member(s) of the BC Legislative Assembly and public office holders at the Ministry of Transportation and Transit regarding the revitalization, acquisition, leasing, and long-term operation of strategic rail corridors, including the British Columbia Railway corridor (BCR corridor), and associated rail infrastructure. Discussions include integrated freight and passenger rail services, rail-marine logistics interfaces, and intermodal transportation systems. IRC's activities also involve coordination with government regarding access to, use of, and potential transfer or lease of

Crown assets and rail infrastructure, as well as alignment with provincial transportation, economic development, and trade corridor priorities.

43. Kelowna Professional Firefighters Association is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies on adding cancer types to the list of existing cancer presumptions in WorkSafeBC for firefighters, cancer screening for firefighters of BC, mental health resource funding, and adding pressure dressings for burn survivors to be paid for by MSP while being treated for burn injuries.
44. Kyndryl Canada Limited is lobbying public office holders at British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority and the Ministry of Citizens' Services regarding investments in Kyndryl systems and services.
45. Microsoft Canada Development Centre Co. is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies regarding policies concerning the promotion and development of computer science education and digital skills; policies or programs related to innovation, the digital economy, and the adoption of information and communication technologies; policies or programs related to internet connectivity and broadband access; policies or programs related to technology and environmental sustainability; and policies or programs related to the creation of the Cascadia Innovation Corridor, including increased business cooperation and cross-border transportation links.
46. Mitsubishi Canada Limited is lobbying public office holders at the Energy and Climate Solutions and the Office of the Premier regarding the LNG business and value chain, its connection with BC, and seeking clarification on BC policy and regulations.
47. Palette Skills Inc. is lobbying public office holders at several public agencies regarding policies and programs that support skill development, enhancement, and the competitiveness of the Canadian workforce.
48. Port Coquitlam Fire Fighters Association, Local 1941, of the International Association of Fire Fighters is lobbying Member(s) of the BC Legislative Assembly and public office holders at WorkSafeBC regarding presumptive cancer legislation, early detection, mental health and annual medicals for firefighters as well as reducing latency period for certain types of occupational cancers.
49. Salt Spring Island Firefighters' Association IAFF Local 4467 is lobbying Member(s) of the BC Legislative Assembly regarding Presumptive Cancer Legislation for Firefighters, OH+S Hazards in the Workplace, and Fire Apparatus Requisition for New Affordable Housing Buildings Over Four Stories.

The statistics below are for the month of April 2026, and are from publicly searchable reports in the [Lobbyists Registry](#).

Top 5 Ministries/Provincial Entities in Active Registration Returns

Member(s) of the BC Legislative Assembly
Office of the Premier
Finance
Health
Energy and Climate Solutions

Top 5 Ministries/Provincial Entities in Lobbying Activity Reports

Member(s) of the BC Legislative Assembly
Energy and Climate Solutions
Office of the Premier
Jobs and Economic Growth
Health

Top 5 Subject Matters in Active Registration Returns

Economic Development and Trade
Environment
Health
Finances and Budgets
Energy

Top 5 Subject Matters in Lobbying Activity Reports

Economic Development and Trade
Environment
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Health