Hello all;

The polls are open, and hopefully you have received your voting package. If you have looked at mine and my opponent's platforms you will see that both of us have ideas on what needs to be accomplished. It all really comes down to who can get the job done. This is where I feel I have an edge. Those of you who know me know that I am a problem solver. When something needs to get done, I attack it passionately until results are seen. My experience with the PEO over the past 20 years both within the chapters and on council have shown this.

We are in a time of uncertainty at the PEO. A time when the pandemic continues to make it difficult for chapters to reach out to members. A time of transition where the role of chapters is in question as PEO counsel restructures to align more directly with its mandate. We need strong and knowledgeable leadership now more than ever.

To me the chapters are key to the success of PEO. I have been working to ensure that their valuable contributions are not overlooked. I plan to work with the chapters to help develop their new roles as well as to address the overarching problems of member engagement and the perceived value of the P.Eng License which are threatening our relevance as a regulator. To accomplish this, I need your help. I ask you not only to vote, but to encourage your Engineering colleagues to do so as well.

I invite you to leave me a message at my facebook page @WK4PEOWRC and I will be happy to discuss these or any other issue you feel relevant.

Thank you

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