

DYK Engineers could make money or volunteer to do their PEAK? PEO's PEAK program is not about paying to take courses.

PEAK is unique - the practitioner decides what they need to do to keep themselves technically competent, if practicing. For example;

- Teaching
- Preparing/Presenting a technical workshop
- Creating engineering lessons learned
- Creating or updating a Standard
- Reading or Writing articles for technical journals

Two significant recommendations calling for mandatory Continuing Professional Development for Engineers resulted from the [Belanger Inquiry](#) & [Coroner's Inquest](#);

Recommendation 1.24 Belanger inquiry report released October 15, 2014

"That Professional Engineers Ontario should establish a mandatory continuing professional education for its members as soon as possible, or in any event no later than 18 months from the release of this report."

DUE: April 2016, **PEO is 4 years late!**

Recommendation #17 Scott Johnson Coroner's Inquest - March 25, 2019

"Require that all engineers undertake a minimum number of hours of professional development activities and submit a record of such activities each year to PEO."

PEO has not fully addressed these recommendations, therefore Engineers risk losing the privilege of Self-Regulation granted to us by the Government. **I cherish self-regulation. Do you?**

How can PEO know who of their license holders are practicing, what they are doing to keep themselves competent and in what areas they practice without a mandatory CPD program which would provide this detailed data? Public trust in our profession has been eroded. What do you think the families and friends of [Lucie Aylwin & Doloris Perizzolo](#) would demand PEO do?

I urge you to Vote for a "New Way" in this important PEO Council election and I ask for your vote for Vice President. See my All Candidates Webcast [here](#), learn more about my work for our profession at: [\(https://www.linkedin.com/in/marilyndspink/\)](https://www.linkedin.com/in/marilyndspink/), feel free to message me!