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Fellow Engineers, slowly but surely, PEO is regressing.

Emerging disciplines are not regulated. Software Engineering is one of the fastest expanding fields of engineering! Biomedical Engineering will be the backbone that revolutionizes medicine! Nanotechnology Engineering is the direction the world is headed towards! Not to mention the booming industries of Aerospace, Environmental and Nuclear Engineering. However, there is a problem. PEO still has a 1930s mindset, refusing to recognize emerging disciplines. **Emerging disciplines need to be regulated.**

I am the only Councillor-At-Large candidate with the willingness, fortitude, and leadership skills needed to bring issues faced by PEO to the forefront. In 2009, I revived the dying Georgian Bay Chapter when PEO tried to divide it between the adjacent chapters. I was on the PEO Council as a Lieutenant-Governor Appointee in 2019, and volunteered for several Chapters between 2007-2016 (Mississauga, Scarborough and Georgian Bay, including Georgian Bay Chapter Chair).

I have been a licensed Professional Engineer in the State of Michigan since 2006 and have been a PEO member since 2008. I understand the concerns of international engineers dealing with the absence of licensing reciprocity agreements between regulators.

My diverse experience gives me the ability to tackle many problems that face PEO as a regulator. Currently, fewer and fewer young engineering graduates and entrepreneurs seek a PEO license. PEO has done a poor job selling its mandate. To set standards that other provinces envy, we need to recognize, license, and regulate all emerging disciplines, and promote innovation in our province.

If you agree with my vision and share my passion, vote for **Vaj Bandy** for Councillor-At-Large.

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