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National Engineering & Geoscience Month 2010 and Canstruction® Calgary

For the past four years, participation in Canstruction® Calgary has been one of the ways APEGGA Members have celebrated National Engineering & Geoscience Week in Calgary. But starting in March 2010, National Engineering & Geoscience Week will become National Engineering & Geoscience Month. Getting a team of colleagues together and participating in Canstruction® Calgary is an excellent way to join in on the fun of National Engineering & Geoscience Month.

In 2010, Canstruction® Calgary will reach a major milestone by celebrating its fifth anniversary. The theme "Let The Games Begin!" will provide the inspiration for each team of engineers, geoscientists, architects and other construction sector participants to build a creative structure using canned and packaged food. The end result is an impressive display of skill, creativity and generosity from all those involved in the competition. The structures will be judged and put on display for public viewing before being "de-canstructed" with all proceeds being donated to the Calgary Interfaith Food Bank.

Canstruction® Calgary is an event that not only supports a meaningful cause but also helps to raise the profile of Engineering and Geoscience Professionals. I hope you will consider demonstrating your engineering and geoscience pride by organizing a team to participate in this unique event. Even if you don't enter a team, why not stop by City Hall to view the sculptures and support the creativity and talent of your fellow Engineering and Geoscience Professionals. Kudos to APEGGA Permit Holder Fluor Canada for their continued sponsorship and organization of the Canstruction® Calgary event.

For more information on Canstruction® Calgary and other National Engineering & Geoscience Month activities held throughout Alberta, please visit www.apegga.org.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jim Beckett", is written in a cursive style.

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