MEMO

To: All Cedar Shake and Shingle Bureau (“CSSB”) Voting Members

From: Barbara Enns, Interim Director of Operations

Re: Annual General Meeting Notice

Date: August 5, 2020

VIA: Email, Website Posting & Ordinary Mail (when email not available)

Annual General Meeting
The Cedar Shake and Shingle Bureau’s Annual General Meeting (“AGM”) for Members will be held at 8 am Pacific Time, Monday, September 14, 2020 at The Quality Inn and Conference Centre, 36035 N Parallel Rd, Abbotsford, British Columbia, V3G 2C6 Canada. Tel: (604) 870-1050.

CSSB Bylaw Amendments
This mailing serves as notice that Members who wish to submit proposed amendments to the Bylaws shall do so on the form attached and return them to the CSSB office no later than 4 pm Pacific Time, August 28, 2020. Proposed Bylaw amendments will also be accepted from the floor at the AGM on September 14, 2020 (a seconder by a different Member in good standing is required for all Bylaw amendment proposals). All proposed Bylaw amendments received from Members by the deadline date will be sent out to the full membership in an updated Bylaw amendment and overview package.

Director Elections
There are 10 (ten) Board of Directors positions. This year Members will be asked to vote for the following Board of Directors positions (note there are 6 open seats):
- US Manufacturer-Members (1 open seat with a 2-year term)
- Canadian Manufacturer-Members (3 open seats, each with a 2-year term)
- Affiliate-Members (2 open seats, each with a 2-year term)

Nominations
A Director nomination form is attached. Chairman Curtis Walker has appointed a Nominating Committee consisting of Cecilia Acuña (US Manufacturer), Kathy Klassen (Canadian Manufacturer) and Terry Kost (Small Mill-Manufacturer). If you or a colleague is interested in serving on the Board of Directors, please
return the completed nomination form to the CSSB office by 4 pm Pacific Time, August 28, 2020. This will ensure that your candidate(s) is considered during the nomination process. As per the CSSB Bylaws and AGM protocol, nominations will also be welcomed from the floor. Floor nominations (a seconder by a different Member in good standing is required for all floor nominations) will be added to the ballot prior to voting. The Bylaws also provide that no Member or group of Members under common ownership, operation, management, supervision or control may have more than one representative nominated for election or serving as a Director.

Candidate Qualifications
In order to provide Members with a more comprehensive understanding of Director qualifications and expectations, the CSSB offers the following list of Director criteria:

- Able to satisfy Board of Directors’ service requirements;
- Attend minimum of three (3) meetings (in person or by phone/online) per year as well as Annual General Meetings during entire term;
- Actively serve on Board of Directors committees as appointed;
- Participate in both Board of Directors and Board Committee conference calls as required;
- Review and respond promptly to documents by email;
- Acknowledge and uphold fiduciary duties to the CSSB and its Members, which include the duties of care, loyalty and good faith;
- Formulate and articulate independent views, whether or not consistent with views of colleagues on the Board of Directors;
- Avoid conflicts of interest under the CSSB Board of Directors’ & Officers’ Conflict of Interest Policy, including Directors are prohibited from serving as a director, officer or employee of any trade association or organization that competes with the CSSB or whose interests or objectives conflict with those of the CSSB;
- Demonstrate understanding and acceptance of the CSSB’s Bylaws;
- Exhibit commitment to the CSSB’s mission statement and goals;
- Knowledgeable about the cedar shake and shingle industry;
- Maintain confidentiality of CSSB proprietary information and all other information designated as confidential;
- Offer diplomatic contributions to discussions;
- Perform duties diligently while maintaining the goodwill of Members and fostering the effective functioning of the Board of Directors;
- Possess basic grasp of legal issues and financial statement interpretation and demonstrate good listening skills;
- Promise to extend to CSSB or all its Members any corporate and business opportunities discovered or developed as a result of serving on the Board of Directors;
- Comply with staff and Board of Directors’ timelines for decision-making;
- Serve with honesty, integrity and good faith; and
- Support Board of Directors’ decisions and actions once they have been approved.

**Requirement for All Candidates – Biographies**
Candidate biographies will be circulated to the Membership. Biographies for ALL Candidates must be sent to director.operations@cedarbureau.org or faxed to 1-604-648-8400 by 4 pm Pacific Time, August 28, 2020, and must be 300 words or less. The CSSB reserves the right to edit or modify candidate biographies received that are of inappropriate length or content. If you do not have access to email, please contact the CSSB office to make alternative arrangements.
Proxy Votes
As per current CSSB Bylaws, there are no proxy votes at the AGM. All voting is done by mail-in ballots after the AGM except for votes by acclamation.

Current Directors
The following Directors currently hold a seat on the CSSB Board of Directors, have terms which do not expire until 2021, and therefore are NOT part of the election process this year:

• Cecilia Acuña
• Tom Haynia
• Kathy Klassen
• Terry Kost

Please contact me if you have any questions about the AGM meeting process. Thank you.

[Signature]
BYLAW AMENDMENT REQUEST FORM

Please ensure that all required information is provided. Incomplete forms will not be accepted.

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Return to FAX NUMBER: 1-604-648-8400 or email: director.operations@cedarbureau.org

DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT: 4 pm Pacific Time, August 28, 2020

(Attention: Barbara Enns, Interim Director of Operations)

I,____________________________________________________________________

(print your name)

of____________________________________________________________________

(print name of your Member company)

hereby request that the following proposed Bylaw amendment be placed before the Membership at the 2020 Annual General Meeting (contact the CSSB office if you would like this form in MS Word electronic format):

All Bylaw amendment proposals must be presented at the AGM by motion and seconded, by different Members in good standing, before they will be placed on an official ballot. Proposed Bylaw amendments that raise undue risk under antitrust or other laws or that are of questionable legality, in the CSSB’s legal counsel’s opinion, will not be placed in the Bylaw amendment proposal package sent to Members. Proposed Bylaw amendments may be reworded into more legally appropriate or acceptable language. The CSSB will attempt to discuss any such rewording with the Member proposing the amendment prior to the proposed amendments inclusion in the final Bylaw amendment proposal package to be considered by Members.

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(Member signature) (Date)

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NOMINATION FORM

Please ensure that all required information is provided. Incomplete forms will not be accepted.
** Ensure you submit the required candidate biography with each nomination.**

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DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT: 4 pm Pacific Time, August 28, 2020
(Attention: Nominating Committee)

I, ____________________________________________
(print your name)

of ____________________________________________
(print name of your Member company)

hereby nominate ____________________________________________
(print name of the candidate)

of ____________________________________________
(print name of the candidate’s Member company)

as a Candidate for the 2020 election of the Cedar Shake and Shingle Bureau Board of Directors.

Circle one of the three choices below to indicate Candidate Category:
  Affiliate / Canadian Manufacturer / US Manufacturer

Submitted by:
By signing below, you acknowledge and represent that the Candidate has reviewed the Candidate Qualifications, Director Criteria and Board of Directors’ meeting schedule, that the Candidate understands the importance of Directors’ attendance at meetings, and that the Candidate certifies s/he is willing and able to attend the meetings listed. A candidate biography is attached.

(Nominator’s signature) ____________________________________________
(Candidate’s signature) ____________________________________________

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Call to Order

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Adoption of Minutes of 2019 Annual General Meeting

Bylaw Amendments
- Process Overview
- Discussion

Elections
- Process Overview
- Election of Directors, US Manufacturer
- Election of Directors, Canadian Manufacturer
- Election of Directors, Small Manufacturer
- Election of Directors, Affiliate
- Election Results announcement date

Other Business

Adjourn