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Dear Owner,

The Fire and Flood Restoration Contractors Technical Advisory Committee was formed in 2005 under the name British Columbia Association of Restoration Contractors (BCARC). It was the first association in North America devoted exclusively to health & safety in the Fire and Flood Restoration industry. BCARC amalgamated with the BC Construction Safety Alliance (BCCSA) in 2016 and continues today to meet monthly to discuss and develop health & safety resources for the Fire and Flood industry.

Additionally, an owners group meets on a quarterly basis to review the work done by the TAC and provide oversight of its activities. Your membership on this group is highly recommended as we want to ensure the resources and tools developed resonate with the owners who ultimately pay the bills.

Some past initiatives include:

- [Exposure Control Plan Guides](#) for common health hazards in restoration
- [Site Safety Assessment Form](#)
- [Free CCOHS courses](#)
- [Lead Sampling Sheet](#) - Project to collect lead exposure measurements to assist with risk assessments for common tasks.
- [Hazardous Materials Awareness Training](#)
- Webinar on [Health & Safety Responsibilities in Fire & Flood Restoration](#)
- Assisting with the development of the Industry Stat Pack

If you would like to join the FFRPTAC and send a representative, please review the terms of reference and sign the annual consent form, indicating that this individual represents the health and safety interests of you and your organization. In essence, they become your proxy on the FFRPTAC.

Best Regards,

Mike McKenna
Executive Director, BCCSA