Gary Wilson (Alberta Director Nominee)

Education:

- BA (History), University of Calgary, 1989
- Leadership for Safety Excellence (LSE),2013
- Principles of Health & Safety Management (PHSM), 2013
- Roadbuilders Safety Training System (RSTS), 2025

Work Experience:

- Eccopave Asphalt Shingle Recycling: 2009-2014
- Recycling Calgary Construction Waste Recycling: 2016-2022
- Sustainable Paving Stones Asphalt Shingle Recycling: 2022-current

Involvement with CTAA (Membership and Related Activities): I joined CTAA in 2024. A related activity I have undertaken beginning in July 2024 is a program of testing our paving stones and the material from which we make them. We have engaged one of the leading laboratories in western Canada to undertake this testing.

Why I Want to Serve on the CTAA Board: I bring extensive expertise in asphalt shingle recycling that directly aligns with industry sustainability trends. Through my company Eccopave, which I founded 16 years ago and sold 5 years later, I pioneered large-scale asphalt shingle recycling, successfully diverting 15,000 tonnes annually from landfills and converting this waste stream into a valuable hot mix asphalt component for Burnco and Volker Stevin. Currently, I'm developing a patent-pending technology combining recycled asphalt shingle with recycled asphalt pavement to manufacture paving stones. This breakthrough in sustainable asphalt technology, targeted for 2026 production, could revolutionize how the industry values recycled materials and create new market opportunities. My extensive R&D experience in asphalt recycling technologies, combined with my perspective on emerging sustainability trends, positions me to contribute meaningfully to the association's mission of advancing the asphalt industry. I'm committed to helping the association lead in sustainable road construction practices while fostering innovation that benefits all members.