

# Agricultural Advisory Committees & Commissions

As of May 2018

A number of municipalities and regional districts have appointed Agricultural Advisory Committees (AACs) to provide a direct link to their farm and ranch communities. These AACs provide an effective way to gain advice on a wide range of agricultural issues.

As of May 2018 there were 44 AACs serving local governments across B.C. AACs provide advice at a regional level or to Municipalities, Electoral Areas, or Gulf Islands Local Trust Committees.

| Local Government | Group's Title |
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## South Coast

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|---|---|
| Abbotsford  | <a href="#">Agriculture, Dyking, Drainage and Irrigation Advisory Committee</a> |
| Chilliwack  | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>                                 |
| Delta   | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>                                 |
| Hope  | Agricultural Advisory Committee   |
| Kent  | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>                                 |
| Langley (Township)  | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory and Economic Enhancement Committee</a>        |
| Maple Ridge   | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>                                 |
| Metro Vancouver   | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>                                 |
| Pitt Meadows  | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>                                 |
| Richmond  | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>                                 |
| Squamish-Lillooet Regional District - EA C (Pemberton Valley) | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>                                 |
| Sunshine Coast Regional District                              | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>                                 |
| Surrey  | <a href="#">Agriculture and Food Security Advisory Committee</a>                |
| <b>Subtotal: 13</b>   |   |

## Island

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| Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District  | <a href="#">Agricultural Development Committee</a>         |
| Capital Regional District, Juan de Fuca Electoral Area   | <a href="#">Agricultural Planning Advisory Commission</a>  |
| Central Saanich  | <a href="#">Under consideration</a>                        |
| Courtney   | Agricultural Advisory Committee                            |
| Comox Valley Regional District   | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Planning Commission</a>  |
| Cowichan Valley Regional District  | <a href="#">Regional Agricultural Advisory Commission</a>  |
| Islands Trust - Gabriola Island  | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Commission</a>           |
| Langford   | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>            |
| Metchosin  | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>            |
| Nanaimo Regional District  | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>            |
| North Cowichan   | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>            |
| North Saanich  | <a href="#">Community Planning Commission</a>              |
| Powell River Regional Economic Development Society (PRRD)  | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>            |
| Saanich Peninsula – Saanich, Central Saanich, North Saanich, Sidney, Metchosin and Juan de Fuca EA | <a href="#">Peninsula and Area Agricultural Commission</a> |

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| <b>Subtotal: 14</b> |  |
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### Okanagan/ Columbia-Shuswap

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| Central Okanagan Regional District | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Commission</a>         |
| Coldstream                         | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>          |
| Kelowna                            | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>          |
| Lake Country                       | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>          |
| North Okanagan Regional District   | <a href="#">Regional Agricultural Advisory Committee</a> |
| Penticton                          | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>          |
| Spallumcheen                       | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>          |
| Summerland                         | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>          |
| West Kelowna                       | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a>          |
| <b>Subtotal: 9</b>                 |  |

### Interior

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| Cariboo Regional District EA North                      | Agricultural Development Advisory Committee     |
| Kamloops  | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a> |
| Thompson Nicola Regional District                       | Agricultural Advisory Commission                |
| Squamish-Lillooet Regional District - Lillooet and EA B | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a> |
| <b>Subtotal:3</b>                                       |   |

### Kootenay

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| Central Kootenay Regional District – EA A, B and C Creston Valley | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a> |
| <b>Subtotal: 1</b>  |   |

### North

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| Bulkley-Nechako Regional District      | <a href="#">Agriculture Committee</a>           |
| Northern Rockies Regional Municipality | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a> |
| Peace River Regional District          | <a href="#">Agricultural Advisory Committee</a> |
| <b>Subtotal: 3</b>                     |   |

### Total Number

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| <b>Total: 44</b> |  |
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