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**Derek Sturko** brings extensive professional, public and private sector experience with all aspects of BC's agriculture sector and economy to his role as Chair of the BC Vegetable Marketing Commission, which he has held since December 21, 2022.

Derek is currently the CEO of Inner Harbour Consulting Inc. and a Partner with Cascadia Partners, a management consulting firm, but has served as a BC Public Servant throughout his career, in increasingly more senior roles, including as the Deputy Minister of Agriculture and the Chair of the BC Hog Marketing Commission.

Derek has also undertaken leadership roles such as the Associate Deputy Minister in the Environmental Assessment Office and the Ministry of Children and Family Development, the Assistant Deputy Minister in Gaming Policy and Enforcement (Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General, Ministry of Labour) and has held senior roles in the Ministry of Education (e.g.: education technology, evaluation & accountability, policy & planning, etc.).

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