



**ASSOCIATION OF
ALBERTA CO-OP
SEED CLEANING PLANTS**

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Association of Alberta Co-op Seed Cleaning Plants Welcomes New Directors

Following elections at the Association of Alberta Co-op Seed Cleaning Plants Annual General Meeting held January 15 2010 in Edmonton Alberta three directors were elected to the board. Lloyd Lidberg from Bashaw was re-elected for a three year term representing Region 4. Colin Wager from Coronation was elected for a three year term representing Region 3 and John McBain from Cremona was elected for a two year term representing Region 2.

The AACSCP board then held their re-organizational meeting where Steven Miller from Westlock was re-elected as President and Francois Hebert from St. Vincent was re-elected as Vice President.

Colin Wager

Colin was born & raised on the family farm west of Coronation. He went to Olds College after high school to take agriculture mechanics. After graduation Colin returned to the farm. Along with his wife Carrie, they now run the 2200 acre mixed farm as their son has now moved to BC to pursue a job as an automotive journeyman. On the farm they grow cereals, peas, canola & hay along with 100 cow/calf pairs. Colin has been a board member at the Coronation Seed Cleaning Plant for 4 years.

John McBain

John farms with his family south of Cremona along highway 22. They farm 2500 acres with his brother and family. It's a mix of barley (malt & feed), canola and export timothy. John has been in the export timothy market for over twenty years. This has allowed him the opportunity to travel to Japan to tour dairies and meet with the companies involved in the industry. John also runs a trucking company hauling fertilizer, grain, hay and seedling trees for reforestation. John has been a board member of the Mountain View Seed Plant in Carstairs for the past 12 years, and is presently Chair of that board.

The current Association of Alberta Co-op Seed Cleaning Plants board is comprised of:

Steven Miller – Westlock
Francois Hebert – St. Vincent
Ron Wirsta – St. Paul
Wayne Walker – Westlock
Henk Vos Thomas – Granum

John McBain - Cremona
Colin Wager – Coronation
Lloyd Lidberg - Bashaw
James Obniawka - Sexsmith

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AACSCP represents 71 co-operative seed cleaning plants, processing 31.5 million bushels yearly and 1 grain terminal auxiliary member. Our Vision is to be leaders in the advancement of a viable seed processing industry.