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Save the Date!

Date: Wednesday, April 29
Time: 8:00 am - 10:30am
 (Doors open at 7:30am for breakfast and networking)

Location:
 ICBC Concourse, Morris J. Wosk Centre for Dialogue (SFU)
 580 West Hastings, Vancouver, BC

Cost: \$62.50
 (\$52.50 for VRCA members, students and non-profits)

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Green Building Market Insights Forum: Pre Election Special in partnership with the VRCA

This quarter, Light House teams up with the Vancouver Regional Construction Association to focus on the hot issues facing the construction sector in 2009. We have invited a special panel to discuss the platforms of BC's political parties as they relate to construction particularly within the context of the current economic climate. Specifically, we will hear about policies affecting the green building industry. Join us to hear what policies are proposed or in the pipeline, and how they support industry growth, job creation and the adoption of green practices in building and construction.

Our panel includes: **Shane Simpson**, Environment Critic for the NDP; **Damian Kettlewell**, Deputy Leader of the Green Party; **Marc McPherson**, Department Head for Natural Stone Flooring and Landscaping at BuildDirect.com representing the BC Conservatives; and **Keith Sashaw**, President of Vancouver Regional Construction Association.



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What is Market Insights?

Light House's successful Market Insights program is in its third year and is regularly attended by developers, builders, design consultants, property managers, municipal and government staff, building owners, realtors, product manufacturer and suppliers and industry associations.

These quarterly breakfast seminars provide up-to-the-minute analysis of the BC green building industry, and an opportunity to engage with a range of industry experts and key decision makers.

Each session features a first rate guest speaker in addition to presentations by Light House experts and a period for frank discussion.

Past guest speakers have included Roger Bayley, Project Manager of Vancouver's Olympic Village, and Donovan Woollard, COO of Offsetters.

This valuable session will provide you with:

- The latest trends in demand for green real estate and high performance homes
- Commentary on emerging policy and legislation which could impact your business
- Updates on the most recent education and training opportunities relevant to your profession
- Details on the hottest new products and emerging building-related technologies
- The language for marketing green buildings and communicating sustainability

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