Recognition of Excellent Leadership – Peter Quail, Chair, Quality Assurance Council (QAC) for the Canadian Precast Concrete Quality Assurance (CPCQA) Certification Program

The Canadian Precast/Prestressed Concrete Institute (CPCI) and the Canadian Concrete Pipe and Precast Association (CCPPA) recognize Peter Quail, President of Pre-Con Brampton, for his dedication, commitment and his leadership as Chair of the Quality Assurance Council (QAC) for the Canadian Precast Concrete Quality Assurance (CPCQA) Certification Program.

In 2007, along with John Fowler, CPCI President at that time, Peter was the driving force in the development and launch of the forerunner to the CPCQA program, the CPCI Certification Program. He assumed the role of Chair of the CPCI Certification Program Quality Assurance Council (QAC) that same year. The QAC, an independent multi-stakeholder advisory council, provides a formalized process that creates auditing and grading standards that can be applied in a uniform and impartial manner. This reflects a true consensus of the precast concrete industry, government, the construction industry and its AEC professionals.

In 2017, Peter worked with CPCI and CCPPA to launch a new joint venture to establish an independent entity for an enhanced and expanded third-party administered and audited certification program for both prestressed and non-prestressed precast concrete manufacturing facilities across Canada. The CPCQA Certification Program grew dramatically during Peter’s tenure as Chair of the QAC; Peter has overseen the program development which is the most stringent plant certification program in North America certifying over 80% of all precast concrete production in Canada.

The CPCQA Board, QAC, CCPPA and CPCI acknowledge and extend our gratitude to Peter Quail for his 13 years of voluntary service, exemplary dedication and leadership that has helped shape a certification program that provides superior quality assurance and ensures the production of safe infrastructure products all across Canada. We thank Peter for the important role that he has played within the CPCQA Certification Program and the Canadian precast concrete industry.