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EHR Enhanced Hydrocarbon Recovery is a Saskatchewan based production, engineering and technology services firm that acquires, develops and manages oil and natural gas assets in Western Canada, and the north-western United States. "We are located at 10 Research Drive in Regina, and have been in incubation – taking new technologies through the licensing, development and commercialization process," says Graeme Lynch, CEO of EHR.

EHR has garnered the support of its entire community, not the least of which has come from McDougall Gauley LLP, a Saskatchewan-based law firm with offices in Regina and Saskatoon.

Wayne Bernakevitch, a partner with McDougall Gauley, has a longstanding relationship with EHR. He says technology-rich, local upstarts like EHR are of tremendous importance to the growth of Saskatchewan's economy.

"One of the things we haven't done well in the past is taking ideas to market through local development," he says. "Many times those ideas end up outside the province. So, it is critical to do what we can do keep those things at home and help entrepreneurs commercialize their ideas here. We're making strides, and it is about time."

EHR utilizes CO<sub>2</sub> captured from the exhaust stack of big combustion industries such as power plants, SAGD boilers and refineries, says Mr. Lynch.

The company then uses the CO<sub>2</sub> in enhanced hydrocarbon recovery, which can increase production from three to seven barrels of oil for every tonne of new CO<sub>2</sub> injected into the ground, he adds.

EHR launched commercially in January 2011, and is in acquisition mode, looking for oil production assets with potential for increased productivity through secondary and tertiary production utilizing water flood, polymers and CO<sub>2</sub>.



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