

Rimbey Regional Synergy Group Meeting

January 19, 2017 1 p.m.

Location: Bonavista Office, Rimbey

ATTENDANCE

Nelson Ladouceur, Omers

Behn Morris, AER

Irene Steeves, Landowner

Murray Loyek, Keyera

Dallas Mannix, NAL

Dana Kreil, Lacombe County

James Lutz, Bonavista

Nancy Hartford, Ponoka County

Ray Dube, Landowner

Teri Ormberg, Landowner

Ryan Gillespie, ATB Financial

Bob Nickoriuk, landowner

Betty Reimer, Landowner

Ryan Neish, Plains Midstream

Murray Ormberg, Landowner

Phyllis Stuckey, Cornerstone Energy

Jamie Fleck, ConocoPhillips

Jill Salus, ConocoPhillips

John Chalack, landowner

Dan Boutin, Bonavista

Linda Campbell, Crimewatch

Kurtis Phillipow, RCMP

Rick Anderson, Facilitator

Guest speakers: Constable Kurtis Phillipow, Rimbey RCMP

Linda Campbell, Rimbey & District Crime Watch

Meeting chaired by Rick Anderson and called to order at 1:10 p.m.

Minutes recorded by Teri Ormberg.

MEMBER AND GUEST INTRODUCTIONS - Welcome. Introductions were done. Attendance list circulated.

REVIEW OF AGENDA – Agenda approved by consensus.

PREVIOUS MEETING NOTES – Nov. /16 minutes approved by consensus

FOLLOW UP - Invoices for fees have been sent to 9 companies. Rick has not been able to contact Geer Energy.

PRESENTATION - Constable Phillipow gave a presentation on crime trends in the central region with residential break-ins showing a decrease but increase in commercial and property crime in past year. In the central area there has been a 25% increase in total crime from 2012-2015 and 47% increase in property crime from 2012-2015 and an increase in robberies. Losses in the energy sector includes electric motors, solar panels and computers. Copper wire is not a big issue here presently. Motor vehicle thefts still a problem. Major reason vehicles stolen in this area is to commit other crimes. Tips were

given on purchasing a vehicle on line. Please advise the RCMP of any possible protests or potential damage to oil field and associated properties with people gathering, taking pictures, etc.

Linda Campbell from Rimbey & District Crime Watch reminded members that we are the eyes and ears of the community. Get to know your neighbours. Do not patrol the area and only get license numbers and vehicle descriptions of suspected vehicles when it is safe. Crime Watch area is the same as the RCMP. There are 5 zones and we are in Zone 2. Alberta Provincial Crime Watch Association has a website and newsletter. One yr. membership is \$10, 3 years for \$25 and 5 years for \$40. Linda has applications with her and a background check is done but is not passed on to the Crime Watch group but stays with the RCMP. An email fan out is done to approx. 120 members on vehicles, etc. to be on the look out for. Discussion on whether the Crime Watch signs helped. Next rural crime watch meeting is Feb. 7/2017 at the Hoadley Hall. Tickets available at the detachment. Thank you to Linda Campbell and Constable Phillipow for their presentations.

MEMBER UPDATES & ROUNDTABLE –

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Financial/Budget –Bank balance Dec. 31/16 is \$991.87. Financial sheet showing income/expenses available. Budget for 2017 estimated for 8 memberships which was the same as last year. Expenses estimated at \$15998.20.

June open house – Discussion on topics including those suggested at the 2016 open house. Topics: 1. Economic pressure on rural communities due to decrease in oil activity

2. Water well impact and concerns from activity

After discussion it was felt water wells would be the best choice. Behn Morris from AER would be able to provide some technical support on regulations and the complaint process. Farmers Advocate would be a resource. Rick Anderson will coordinate and email a draft outline to be considered at March meeting.

NEXT MEETING

Next meeting- March 16/2017 at 1 p.m. Bonavista office. Follow up presentation on flowback study by AER,

ADJOURNMENT - 3:20 p.m. by Rick Anderson.

RRSG Written Member Updates for January 2017

Additional member updates were provided verbally at the meeting.

NAL

Drilling:

4-24-43-2 W5 Drilled and currently completed

1-29-43-1 W5 Drilled and waiting

4-20-43-1 W5 Currently being drilled

14-16-44-3 W5 lease is built, next on drilling list

1-8-44-3 W5 building lease

All other locations will have construction happening at various times, pipeline & facility work

More wells planned for future

Ponoka County

Interim capital budget passed.

Small reserve projected for 2016

3 new graders ordered