

Rimbey Regional Synergy Group Meeting
March 15, 2018 1 p.m.
Location: Bonavista Office, Rimbey

ATTENDANCE

Grant Burchnall, Landowner
James Lutes, Bonavista
Murray Ormberg, Landowner
Barry Hainsworth, Gain
Teri Ormberg, Landowner
Dana Kreil, Lacombe County
Tim Gazankas, Trican
Ray Dube, Landowner

Joan Dube, Landowner
Graeme Purdy, TAQA
Dallas Mannix, NAL
Meryl Hamnett, Landowner
Nancy Hartford, Ponoka County
Adam Payzant, Bellatrix
Rick Anderson, Facilitator

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. 2017. Minutes presented at the meeting. Error in the spelling of Dale Adie and Glynn Bates company representative to Fraction Energy. Approved by consensus.

FOLLOW UP - 8 companies have paid their membership.

- Fish and wildlife were not available to attend this meeting. There will be a presentation at our May meeting.

MEMBER UPDATES & ROUNDTABLE – written updates attached to minutes.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

- Annual open house 2018 – Rick Anderson has tentatively booked the hall for the 20th of June. After further discussion, the date has been changed to June 13th.
- Presentation – Water usage dealing with transportation/access on licensing, temporary diversion, reusing, recycling and disposal. Will look at AER, Canadian Society of Unconventional Resources and Petroleum Services Association of Canada.
- Second discussion on speaking to industry rebirth activities with changes on how oil and gas are done differently. We could look at presentations by the County, Chamber of Commerce, CAPP, and Keyera on their distribution of products.

- BBQ will be provided by Trican. Safety Boss will provide the hamburgers. We are looking for a sponsor for the condiments and rental of the building. A caterer will provide the salads.
- Booth space will be available. Farmers Advocate, AER, etc. will be invited to attend.

PRESENTATION - No one was available for this meeting to talk about wildlife so has been rescheduled to next month. Rick Anderson showed a short video from Canadian Geographic available on You Tube called “Making and Moving Canada’s Energy”.

NEXT MEETING

Next meeting- May 17/18. Presentation on wildlife with Alberta Environment & Parks and AER.

- Discussion on the bankruptcy of Sequoia and the AER procedure.

ADJOURNMENT – 2:15 p.m. by Rick Anderson.

RRSG Written Member Updates for March 2018

Additional member updates were provided verbally at the meeting.

AER

The AER issued an order to Sequoia Resources Corp. after the company informed the regulator that it would be ceasing operations of its more than 4,000 licenses. The AER has ordered Sequoia Resources Corp. to properly manage its energy licenses. To do that, the company can address its end of life obligations, post financial security, or transfer the sites to other energy companies. The order directs Sequoia to suspend all of its sites; the company must ensure the sites are in a safe state by shutting them down or closing them immediately. The wells, pipelines, and facilities do not need to be abandoned if they can be transferred to a responsible party who has secured the associated mineral and surface rights and obtained AER consent to obtain the licences. The company has 30 days from the issuance of the Order to comply.

Bonavista

Finished drilling & completing 2 wells NE of Crestomere on LOC 08-07-43-27 W4.
Wells on production late afternoon of 15/03/2018

NAL

Business as usual. No drilling planned for 2018 in this area at this time.

Lacombe County

Construction plans for the west side of Lacombe County.

-Centreview Road – Twp Rd 41-2 – 10 km on the east side will be getting repaved in 2018. West side of Centreview will be getting repaved in 2019.

-will be non-banned.

New bridge to be going in on Twp Rd 41-0 (called Dyrland Bridge)

-Road bans will be going on soon.

-Lacombe County generally doesn't ban gravel roads except Gimlet if it starts to show damage.

Bellatrix

-Alder Flats Gas Plant start up on-going. May see flare from highway 22 during start-up.

-Compressor start up on Rose Creek Rd in December.

-No drilling until July in area. 10 wells expected to drill in Q3 & Q4 this year.