

South Bruce Community & Business Association



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South Bruce Community & Business Assoc - September 25th Public Meeting

A public meeting to officially begin the SBCBA was held at the Formosa Hall on September 25th at 7:30PM.

Les Nichols opened the meeting with a welcome to all present, introduced the committee members and discussed the work that has been completed to date.

The goals of the group were discussed including the development of a business directory, website, possible Christmas party, training opportunities, health & safety seminars and listing of the commercial property available within South Bruce.

Jim Gowland presented the draft copy of the bylaws and this was followed by a question and answer period.

Jim Gowland made the motion: "That the presented bylaws (including amendments and changes) at this general meeting held on September 25th 2012 be accepted as the new working bylaws of the newly formed South Bruce Community and Business Association."

This motion was passed by a show of hands by those present at the meeting.

Steve Tiffin began the nominations for the executive positions, but it was decided to nominate at large the organizational committee members if they would stand for these positions. Jean Cullition, Charles James and Shirley Kuntz chose to step down and the remaining members agreed to stay on. Dale Lougheed, Adam Ireland and Steve Tiffin agreed to join the executive committee. The committee will meet after the public meeting to nominate for the positions.

A motion was made by Ken Scott to operate the association using the Bank of Montreal. This was seconded by Dale Caskanette and passed by a show of hands by those present.

General discussions followed regarding our municipality and upcoming issues – the Nuclear Depository, economic development, how to bring new businesses in, working with council and the possible loss of the Teeswater Horticulture Society.

The public meeting was then adjourned by Les Nichols and the executive committee members met to nominate for positions.



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Following the public meeting on September 25th, the committee members met to elect the executive positions for the SBCBA.

For the position of president, Adam Ireland nominated Les Nichols. Les agreed to stand. Val Gilles moved to close nominations. Nominations closed and Les Nichols is the new president.

For the position of vice president, Jim Gowland nominated Nicole Wise. Nicole agreed to stand. Val Gilles moved to close nominations. Nominations closed and Nicole Wise is the new vice president.

For the position of secretary, Steve Tiffin nominated Val Gilles. Val agreed to stand. Jim Gowland moved to close nominations. Nominations closed and Val Gilles is the new secretary.

For the position of treasurer, Jim Gowland nominated Elaine Fischer. Elaine agreed to stand. Steve Tiffiin moved to close nominations. Nominations closed and Elaine Fischer is the new treasurer.

Jim Gowland, Adam Ireland, Steve Tiffin and Dale Lougheed agreed to be members at large.

The next meeting will be held at Buddsteel in Teeswater on October 15th at 7AM.

The meeting was then adjourned by Les Nichols.

Mission Statement: The SBCBA is a group of community minded citizens dedicated to promotion and economic development within the Municipality of South Bruce.