# Bragg Creek Chamber of Commerce Member Meeting, June 25, 14 at 7:00pm

## 1. Call to Order 7:04 pm

2. Adoption of Agenda

Adopt: Suzanne Jackett 2nd: Pauline Keen All in Favour

3. Adoption of Minutes - April 23, 14

Adopt: Marina Cooke 2nd: Yvonna Auer All in Favour

4. Treasury Report

Adopt: Mark Kamachi 2nd: Guy Buchannan All in Favour

## 5. Reports

5.1. Marina Cooke– update on workshop held on Monday, June 16<sup>th</sup>

- 12-15 people attended workshop on June 16<sup>th</sup>
- Partnering with Community Futures West to bring future workshops:
  - o September 24<sup>th</sup>: Black Diamond, Developing a Business Plan
  - October 22<sup>nd</sup>, Bragg Creek, Marketing Strategies
  - o November 26<sup>th</sup> Turner Valley, Social media

#### 6. Old Business

Bike racks – Alvise Doglioni/Lorne McLash/Margaret Barclay

• Alvise presented a design concept for bike rakes for the hamlet <u>Action</u>: Alvise to provide cost per rack.

#### 7. New Business

Open to the Floor:

Liz Breakey – funding for dykes is in place from provincial HWY to redwood meadows.

# 8. Guest Speaker: Kim Griffin of Stone-Olfason

- Highlights from marketing research completed in April 2014 on perceptions of Bragg Creek of people living in the Calgary and surround areas.
- Key Themes:
  - Room for Improvement: people are somewhat familiar with Bragg Creek and have a somewhat favorable view of the hamlet However could grow familiarity with the Calgary and surrounding areas
  - 2. Bragg Creek is known for: 1) Nature and 2) Recreation
  - 3. People visit but their experience is brief; using during while driving through will stop briefly, but don't know why they don't visit and stay longer
  - 4. Desire for a better understating; there are no barriers for them to not visit, tourists simply don't know much about Bragg Creek.
- Results of the marketing research will be available on the Chamber website.

### 9. Next Meeting

- July and August no meeting
- September TBD

# **10. Adjournment** 8:36pm