Wingham BIA Annual General Meeting Feb. 26, 2015 – Knights of Columbus Lounge

Present: Meeting Start:	See sign in sheet below 7:36 p.m.
Introductions:	Chairman Bruce Stainton requested that everyone in attendance introduce themselves and where they work.
Agenda:	Bruce reviewed the agenda for the meeting.
Chairman's Message:	Bruce gave a verbal review of 2014 BIA activities.
Review in Pictures:	Doug Kuyvenhoven showed a video display of 2014 projects, highlighting the efforts of the Curb Appeal Committee.
2015 Projects:	 Doug K. presented the goals list for 2015. Multiple projects under the following areas: Web and Social Media Presence Curb Appeal Promotion/Advertising Town Event presence (Musical Muskrat, Alice Munro, Silver Stick etc) Miscellaneous (way finding signs, Christmas lights, Welcome to Wingham brochure, Christmas lighting contest, OBIAA conference, etc.)
Council Rep:	Yolanda Ritesma-Teeninga, North Huron Council rep to the BIA, gave a brief statement of thanks to the BIA Executive and membership for their dedication and hard work.
Finance:	 Treasurer, Jason Schiestel, presented the financial statement from 2014. This is the unaudited version. Moved by Mark Foxton, 2nd by Bill Gregoriadis to approve the statement as read. Passed Jason presented the proposed budget for 2015. No questions from the floor. Moved by Bruce Stainton, 2nd by Gary Ballagh to accept the budget as read. Passed.
Elections:	Lisa Hearnden thanked Christine McGrath for her service on the BIA Executive. Christine has decided to step down.Dave Peers (State Farm) was nominated to join the Executive. There being no further nominations from the floor, Dave will fill the vacancy.
2014 AGM Minutes:	Bruce read the minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting. Moved by Gary Ballagh, 2 nd by Mark Foxton to accept the minutes as read.

Meeting adjourned at 8:42 p.m.

Attendees:

Doug Kuyvenhoven Dave Tiffin Lisa Hearnden Christine McGrath Dave Wallace Nancy Lazenby Neil Vincent Linda Bross Kathy Adams **Bill Gregoriadis** Susan Doig Bill Knott Connie Goodall Pauline Kerr Mark Foxton **Doug Trenter Dave Peers** Miranda deBoer Stacey Boyd Sandy Walker **Trevor Seip** Jason Schiestel Gary Ballagh **Bruce Stainton** Yolanda Ritsems-Teeninga