

Peace District Community Council
Annual Report 2008/09

CHAIR SUMMARY

- Self Advocate attendance representing the chair/vice-chair at the Provincial meeting with CLBC's board of directors.
- Provided funding priority input to QSO
- Identified transportation and housing as key areas to work on
- The loss of our chair part way through the year
- Looking forward to a year of re-building the council membership, re-visiting our Strategic Plan Goals and adjust what is necessary to accommodate the transition of Children's services back to MCFD.

KEY INITIATIVES

BUILDING WELCOMING COMMUNITIES

Each Council member networks with the community members in each of their geographic and area of strength. Members bring back information gathered in community for council discussion and response.

ISSUES AND CHALLENGES

Goal setting to address the identified issues is a challenge, and further work needs to be done by the council to set goals and create a plan to address the goals in an organized manner

ACCOUNTABILITY

Council participated in the creation of the Council/Manager evaluation document.

ISSUES AND CHALLENGES

The Peace Community Council experienced the sudden passing of its chair during the Council/Manager evaluation cycle. The evaluation needs to be completed in the next fiscal year/planning cycle.

FINANCIAL DECISION MAKING

The Peace District Community Council discussed the districts' gaps and issues and identified the priorities for the Councils' geographic area.

Council met with Quality Service Manager at the beginning of the 2008 fiscal year and provided the Quality Service office with funding priority's for the upcoming year.

ISSUES AND CHALLENGES

The Council has no mechanism for finding out if the funding priorities identified for the region were implemented and if so, how well, and if not, how come?

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Jule Hopkins – CLBC presentation on the booklet “Rights and Safeguards”

Wendy Framst and Norm Carne – QSO presentation on Waitlisted services and the budget for adult and children’s contracted services.

COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP

NAME	COMMUNITY	MEMBERSHIP
David Johnston	Peace District Community Council	Self-Advocate
Justin Pylatuk	Peace District Community Council	Self-Advocate
Ryan Taylor	Peace District Community Council	Self-Advocate
Melody Hauser	Peace District Community Council	Family Member
Sharon Doerksen	Peace District Community Council	Family Member
Phyllis Foster	Peace District Community Council	Family Member
Hugh Erickson	Peace District Community Council	Family Member
Cory Goodwin	Peace District Community Council	Family Member
Marla Reed	Peace District Community Council	Service Provider
Cindy Mohr	Peace District Community Council	Service Provider
Amy Nowicki	Peace District Community Council	Service Provider
Jackie Allen	Peace District Community Council	Community Member
Calvin Kruk	Peace District Community Council	Community Member
Pat Marshall	Manager, North Region Community Planning & Development	CLBC Staff
Sharon Moore	Senior Clerk, Dawson Creek Community Living Centre	CLBC Staff