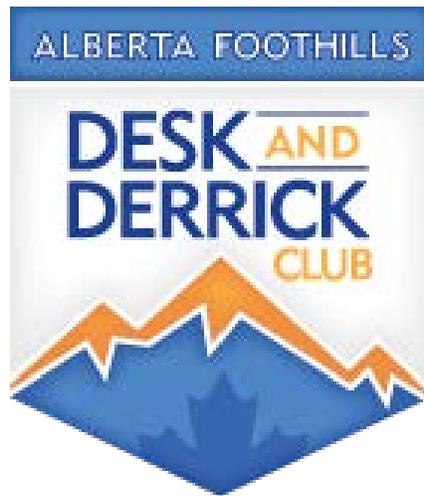


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Motto: Greater Knowledge – Greater Service

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Mission Statement: To enhance and foster a positive image to the global community by promoting the contributions of the petroleum, energy and allied industries through education, by using all resources available.

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Mountain Messages

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All membership changes must be submitted to the Membership Chair on the ADDC Change of Address form, as the completed form needs to be provided to the ADDC office. The blank form is available at the end of this newsletter.

Send membership changes to:

Lorna Myers or Joanne Riggall

ADDC Membership Application Form:

addc.org > Members > ADDC Forms >

Membership Application – ADDC12

INVOCATION

Presented Mary Alice Rooney at the February dinner meeting

Learn to enjoy every minute of your life.

Be happy now. Don't wait for something outside of yourself to make you happy in the future.

Think how really precious is the time you have to spend, whether it's at work or with your family.

Every minute should be enjoyed and savored
– *Earl Nightingale*

Presented by Lorna Myers at the March dinner meeting

Take Time

Take time to work . . . it is the price of success

Take time to meditate . . . it is the source of power

Take time to play . . . it is the secret of perpetual health

Take time to read . . . it is way to knowledge

Take time to be friendly . . . it is the road to happiness

Take time to laugh . . . it is the music of the soul

Take time to love . . . and be loved

– *Author unknown*

And I would like to add my own "take time" statement:

Take time for our Desk and Derrick club . . .
'cause now we'll have some really good grub



Minutes of the 155th Membership Meeting of the Alberta Foothills Desk and Derrick Club

February 14, 2017 at the International Hotel, Calgary

Past President Tracy Fillmore called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m., and welcomed the 8 members and 1 guest (Karl Cyr) in attendance. Mary Alice Rooney presented the Invocation, and dinner was served.

The program was a video, *California Green – Geothermal*, which focused on geothermal energy production in Salton Sea, California.

Tracy reminded members that, if they commit to attend a dinner meeting and have to cancel, they must advise the Reservations Chair, Donna O'Neill, before the cut-off date / time. Members who do not do so will be required to pay at the next meeting, as our Club does not have the resources to cover the cost of no-shows.

Club Business

- Marilyn Carter, 2017 Region VII Director, is looking for representatives for seven ADDC committees: Education, Public Relations, Certification, DDJ, Leadership Resources, Long Range Planning and Publications. Members who would like to volunteer are asked to contact Marilyn.
- Region VII will soon have its own website linked to the ADDC website. This will allow the clubs in Region VII to post their events and newsletters so that other members can plan to attend functions if they are in the area. It can also provide ideas for other clubs and help them to keep in touch with what is happening in our Region.
- The metric version of the *Energy Activity Book* is available at a reduced cost of \$1.00 from Donna Hayduk of Edmonton. Clubs / members are encouraged to use the Activity Books for giveaways to help school kids and adults learn about our industry.
- Members were reminded that first-time guests are eligible to receive a complimentary dinner when they complete a Desk and Derrick questionnaire.

Region VII Meeting: Grande Prairie, June 1 –3
President Naomi has forwarded the 2017 Region VII Meeting registration package to our club members. Please advise Naomi if you didn't receive it.

Convention: San Antonio, September 19 – 24
Visit the [ADDG website](#) for current information.

ADDG Certification program

For the first time at a Region Meeting, one unit of the Certification Program will be sponsored. The Accounting unit will be sponsored at the Region Meeting and the Drilling Unit will be offered at Convention in September. There are six units in total, and once all are completed a Petroleum Technician Certification will be issued. If you have any questions please contact Marilyn Carter or check out the Certification Program PowerPoint presentation on the ADDG website.

Reports

Program (vacant)

- March 14 dinner meeting: Naomi has arranged for Ken Bisgrove, Director Central Environmental & Regulatory Services, Suncor Energy to speak on Suncor's response to the Fort McMurray wildfires.

Treasurer (Mary Alice Rooney and Lucy Mulgrew)

- A money order was obtained to accompany membership renewals to ADDG.

Membership (Joanne Riggall and Lorna Myers)

- Fourteen membership renewals were forwarded to ADDG.

Communications (Connie MacRae)

- January / February Mountain Message was sent to members on February 14
- Deadline for submissions for next bulletin is March 3.

Fundraising (Lorna Myers)

- Members were requested to advise Lorna by email if they have items to donate to the Mothers' Day raffle basket.
- The Board is considering a boot / trunk / garage sale. Members who are interested in helping are asked to contact one of the Board members.

Winner of the 50/50 draw was Sandy Fitzpatrick. Sandy also won the door prize, a gift certificate to Good Earth Cafe.

The next Board meeting is Wednesday, February 22 at 5:00 p.m. at CNRL offices. All members are welcome to attend Board meetings.

Meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Tracy Fillmore
Tracy Fillmore, Past President

Mary Alice Rooney
Mary Alice Rooney, Secretary



February 14, 2016 Membership Meeting Photos



Alberta Foothills Desk and Derrick Club

President's Letter

Naomi Reid

March / April



Happy Spring, ABFDDC!

I hope you had your fill of green beer in March, and the Bunny was good to you in April. I am still feeling the effects of all the yummy food and chocolate eggs, but thoroughly enjoyed spending time with my extended family for Passover and Easter.

I am always amazed with the changing weather we experience here in Calgary – plus double digits one day and a skiff of snow the next. This is one of the many things that make us so adaptable. Speaking of adaptable, this past week we were able to connect our member Lynne Grose in Fort McMurray to the dinner meeting in downtown Calgary. Lynne was able to dial in, **volunteer** to give the invocation before dinner and listen to our guest speaker, Scott Wenger, give his presentation on *Government Relations 101*. It was an 'off the record' discussion about interacting with governments – a look from the inside and outside – Scott seems to have done it all.

March dinner meeting was well attended; a big draw was presenter Ken Bisgrove from Suncor. His insight to *One year later – the Fort McMurray Fires and evacuations* kept everyone on the edge of their seats.

I want to remind everyone that the deadline to register for the Region VII Meeting in Grande Prairie is fast approaching. The package was emailed to everyone last month from my ncreid@suncor.com email address. Early Bird registration is due by **April 21**.

The package for Convention is available on the ADDC website: September 18 – 23 in San Antonio, Texas! If you have not already registered to access the 'Members Only' page, please follow the instructions – it's very easy to set up. If you need assistance, ADO is there to assist you and so am I.

The Mother's Day baskets are ready to be claimed by the lucky winners on May 9 – be sure to sell, sell, sell those tickets (\$5 each or 5 for \$20). The large basket includes over \$500 worth of items, the second basket has over \$250 and the third prize is tickets for two to Jubilations Dinner Theatre.

Lucy is hard at work planning and organizing a field trip for the May dinner meeting. Plan to join us – the details will we shared shortly.

Lastly, Alberta Foothills will participate in the Airdrie community garage sale (thank you, Donna, for donating your garage for the event). Donate your items to the club or purchase space and bring your table to sell your own wares (you must tend to your own table). Set up is Friday night, May 26, followed by a burger BBQ dinner. Selling is Saturday and Sunday, May 27 and 28. We will need volunteers for all three dates. More detail will be shared soon – mark your calendars and tell your friends and family.

Hope to see you all in May!

– Naomi

Your 2017 ABFDDC President



Region VII Director's Letter



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March 2017

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March is Desk and Derrick Awareness Month

When you talk about ADDC to a fellow co-worker, or an acquaintance, what do you say? Do you start by talking about the educational opportunities, the personal development growth, the networking opportunities? Well, it doesn't really matter what aspect is most important to you and the person you are talking to. What is important is that you are giving them information and the opportunity to better themselves and become part of an organization that has withstood the changes and ups & downs in our industries. We may not be as strong in numbers as we once were, but I believe we are stronger in spirit and in giving back to the industry. When I look at the leaders that are guiding us today, I see determination, flexibility, and an even greater strength in paying it forward.

I would not be who I am today without the leaders of yesterday. When I first joined, I was totally new to the energy industry. I didn't even know how much I didn't know. That was likely a good thing, as I probably would still be running. However, there were many who patiently guided me, gave of themselves so that I might learn what I was capable of. They not only planned programs and seminars that helped me learn about the industries' many aspects, but pushed me to learn that I too could stand and speak, could plan and run a meeting, and could build the confidence to take that next step out of my comfort zone and become a leader!

Not too long ago, I was asked to name one person who helped me the most. I could not answer because there were so many names that popped into my immediate thoughts and so many more names kept coming. That is what Desk and Derrick is about. Those who are willing to help you become a better you. Let's get the word out! I hope this month each member tells at least one more person about a GREAT organization and how it has helped them.

Have you visited the ADDC website lately? I don't mean just gone online to pull off a report, but looked at what is available. Did you know that there are many learning opportunities? Take a moment to sign onto the website and instead of logging on, go to the tab 'education' on the opening page. There are 3 areas to click on: education, webinars, and educational opportunities. Check these out!

The Region VII meeting in Grande Prairie is fast approaching (June 1-3). The meeting package is available from your Club President or on the ADDC website. We will have some ADDC bylaw changes to discuss (I did not hear those groans!) and these should be available shortly. The package looks exciting and there is something for everyone. See you there!

Until next month . . .

Marilyn

Marilyn Carter
2017 Region VII Director





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March 2017

Dear friends and fellow members,

Happy Desk and Derrick Awareness month! Each year, as members, we try to make our communities, coworkers, and employers aware of just how important our Association is in educating the world about energy. We need to broaden our reach. Last year we started allowing anyone with an interest in the energy industries to join ADDC. We need to follow that up by introducing ourselves to those people. Reach out to your local papers, radio stations, news agencies, or colleges; anywhere you might think there might be interested parties. One of the things the Public Relation / Trade Show Committee has been tasked with this year is to find a PR Firm for the Association. Until then, it is up to us to be our own promoters. I challenge each of you to spread the word about ADDC to 3 people this month: 1 person at your office, 1 person in your community and 1 random person that you think might be interested. Even with our low numbers, if we each reach out to 3 people – we will have told over 5,000 people about Desk and Derrick. If we can get even 6% of those people to join or even spark their interest, our numbers could be over 2,000 again in no time.

We need to focus on more than recruiting new members; we need to retain our current members. ADDC was affected by the downturn in our industries, and we lost many members. As the industry experiences the upswing, we will reach out to our former members and bring them back. We will provide more educational opportunities for our members. We will show our employers the advantages of having a member of ADDC as an employee. By doing all of these things, we can strengthen our Association from within.

The minutes from Budget & Planning are now available on the ADDC Website, as is the 2017 ADDC Budget. You will notice that for the second year in a row we are presenting an unbalanced budget. As our numbers dwindle, we are losing our primary source of revenue. You will see in the report of the Rules committee that the Board is proposing six bylaw amendments. For the most part they are a result of the unbalanced budget. We will be asking for a dues increase. To many of us this will seem to be a large increase, and it is larger than anything we have requested from membership in the past. There is a reason behind our request. Even when this passes, we will still be operating at a deficit, and keep in mind it will not go into effect until 2018. The additional revenue will help us keep afloat for a few additional years, but it is not the complete resolution of our financial difficulties. The board is seriously looking into other sources of revenue. We started by investing some of our funds in 2015, again this is not a quick fix. An Ad-Hoc committee, formed at B&P, is looking into creating advertising packages that can become a serious revenue stream.

What’s the point behind all of this? We believe in ADDC. We want to continue the legacy left to us by Inez Awty Schaffer. If we all work together we can ensure that ADDC will thrive for another 68 years.

Until next month,

Maggi Franks



News and Events

ALBERTA FOOTHILLS CLUB

April Board Meeting: April 26, 5:00 p.m.
Suncor offices
150 – 6 Avenue SW, West Tower
Conference:
Local 403-410-3051
Toll free 1-855-453-6957
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May Membership Meeting:
Field Trip – details to follow

Garage Sale fundraiser: May 27 – 28
413 – 2 Avenue N.E., Airdrie
(looking for volunteers to help set up the evening of May 26)

May Board Meeting: May 31, 5:00 p.m.
Suncor offices
150 – 6 Avenue SW, West Tower
Conference:
Local 403-410-3051
Toll free 1-855-453-6957
ID 5360512

CALGARY

[Global Petroleum Show](#): June 13 – 15
Stampede Park

REGION VII

2017 Region VII Meeting: June 1 – 3
Grande Prairie, Alberta
[Registration Package](#)

ADDC (Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs)

2017 Convention: September 19 – 24
San Antonio, Texas
[Registration Package](#)

2018 Convention: September 18 – 23
Evansville, Indiana
[Tourism Presentation](#)
[Tourism Presentation Narrative](#)

2019 Convention: Dates to be determined
Kansas City, Missouri

HAPPY BIRTHDAY !

April

Kike Aderibigbe
Suzanne Cunningham
Lorna Myers
Cori Peever
Deborah Porath
Laura Schmidt
Lisa Seib

May

Darlene Bergren
Mary Alice Rooney

June

Marilyn Carter
Linda Topolinsky



Minutes of the 156th Membership Meeting of the Alberta Foothills Desk and Derrick Club

March 14, 2017 at the International Hotel, Calgary

President Naomi Reid called the meeting to order at 6:10 p.m., and welcomed everyone including new member Jackie Hahn. There were 12 members and 3 guests in attendance: Don Topolinsky, Breanne Topolinsky and Ken Bisgrove, our speaker for the evening.

Naomi read a message from Mayor Naheed Nenshi in recognition of Desk and Derrick Awareness month.

Naomi advised members to read the March letters from the Region VII Director, Marilyn Carter and the ADDC President, Maggi Franks, on the ADDC website.

Lorna Myers presented the Invocation, and dinner was served.

Ken Bisgrove of Suncor spoke on his involvement as the industry representative with the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo in response to the Fort McMurray wildfires. Sandy Fitzpatrick thanked Ken and presented him with a certificate of appreciation.

Club Business

Fundraising

- Mother's Day raffle: Lorna Myers advised the draw will be held at the May 9 dinner meeting. Three prizes, the Grand Prize basket, second prize basket and third prize dinner theatre tickets are all included in the ticket price. Lorna distributed tickets to the members in attendance to sell.
- Garage Sale: a garage sale is planned as part of the Airdrie community garage sale. Members are asked to donate items and to help set up on May 26 and sell on May 27 and 28.
- Marilyn Carter, 2017 Region VII Director, is looking for representatives for several ADDC committees. Members are asked to contact Marilyn if they would like to volunteer.
- The nominating committee for the 2018 Region VII Director (Donna Hayduk, Marilyn Carter, Deb Porath and Diana Zelasek) are looking for candidates for the position.
- The metric version of the Energy Activity Book is available at a reduced cost of \$1.00 from Donna Hayduk of the Edmonton Club.
- Members were reminded that first-time guests are eligible to receive a complimentary dinner when they complete a Desk and Derrick questionnaire.

Region VII Meeting, June 1 – 3, Grande Prairie

Naomi has sent the registration package to club members; please let her know if you didn't receive it. Also let her know if you plan to attend and if you need a roommate.

Convention, September 19 – 24, San Antonio

Visit the ADDC website for updated information.

Reports

Program (vacant)

- April 11 dinner meeting: Naomi has arranged for Scott Wenger, Director, Government Relations, Suncor Energy, to speak on *Government Relations 101*.

Treasurer / Secretary (Mary Alice Rooney and Lucy Mulgrew)

- No Report

Past President (Tracy Fillmore)

- No Report

Parliamentarian (Roseline Cyr)

- No Report

Membership (Lorna Myers and Joanne Riggall)

- Currently have 25 members, including new member Jackie Hahn

Reservations (Donna O'Neill)

- Tonight's attendance: 12 members and 3 guests

Communications (Connie MacRae)

- Deadline for bulletin submissions is March 20

Winner of the 50/50 draw was Roseline Cyr.

The next Board meeting is Wednesday, March 29 at 5:00 p.m. at Suncor. All members are welcome to attend Board meetings.

Meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Naomi Reid

Naomi Reid, President

Mary Alice Rooney

Mary Alice Rooney, Secretary



March 14, 2017 Membership Meeting Photos



Fort McMurray Wildfires – Suncor Emergency Response

Presented by Ken Bisgrove, Director Central Environmental and Regulatory Services, Suncor Energy
Submitted by Linda Topolinsky

Introduction (Naomi Reid):

Ken Bisgrove's work in the resource sector includes over 25 years providing leadership on resource extraction activities, particularly civil construction, regulatory affairs and has included experience in corporate governance, enterprise risk management, and management system implementation. Ken joined Suncor in 2001 and is currently responsible for all Regulatory Approval related matters in the Fort McMurray region. Additionally, he leads a Corporate team for Suncor and drives Suncor-wide business improvement on Environment and Regulatory compliance related matters. Prior to his work at Suncor, Ken worked as a Forester for the Government of Alberta in Timber Management and Forest Protection roles. Ken is a Registered Professional Forester and graduated from the University of Alberta, with a Degree in Forest Management. He also graduated from NAIT with a diploma in Forest Technology.

When fires broke out in Fort McMurray and the Wood Buffalo region in May, 2016, Suncor employees joined community partners, industry and government to provide support throughout this event. The Rural Municipality of Wood Buffalo Wildfire was an unprecedented natural disaster. The fire encroached the city limits on May 1, 2016, and a local state of emergency was declared on May 2. A provincial state of emergency was declared on May 4 with a staged return to the city commencing on June 1.

Ken presented some “Fast Facts” about the fire:

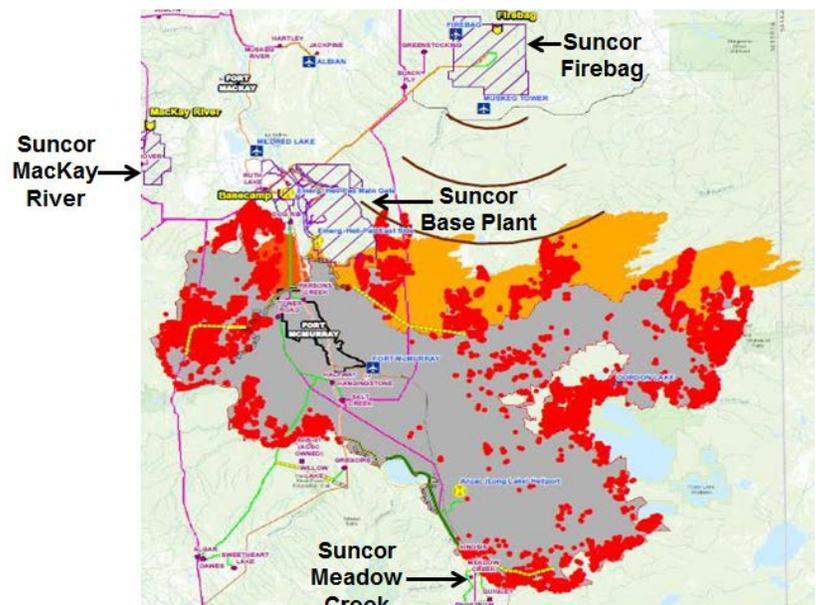
- Largest fire evacuation in Alberta history
- 590,000 hectare (227.8 square miles) fire; 1,100 km perimeter (683.5 miles)
- 88,000 individuals evacuated
- Insurance costs to exceed \$3.5 billion; costliest insurance disaster in Canadian history
- 2,400 homes and buildings burned
- 2,750 firefighters including international support
- 94 helicopters deployed
- 236 pieces of heavy equipment used
- 442 km of dozer guard completed

Ken mentioned a wind statistic called “7 days in May”, described as very warm and strong southeast winds from Texas that look, like a giant cigar on a weather map and move north at a rapid rate. These winds contributed to spreading the fire during the Slave Lake, Alberta fire in 2011 and the Fort McMurray fire in 2016.

This map shows satellite images of the fire burn area.

The local Petro-Canada agent sent fuel trucks up and down Highway 63 to fuel up residents' vehicles so they could get out of town safely.

First response support included continuous air and wildlife monitoring, and fire monitoring expertise. One thousand beds were provided for external emergency responders.

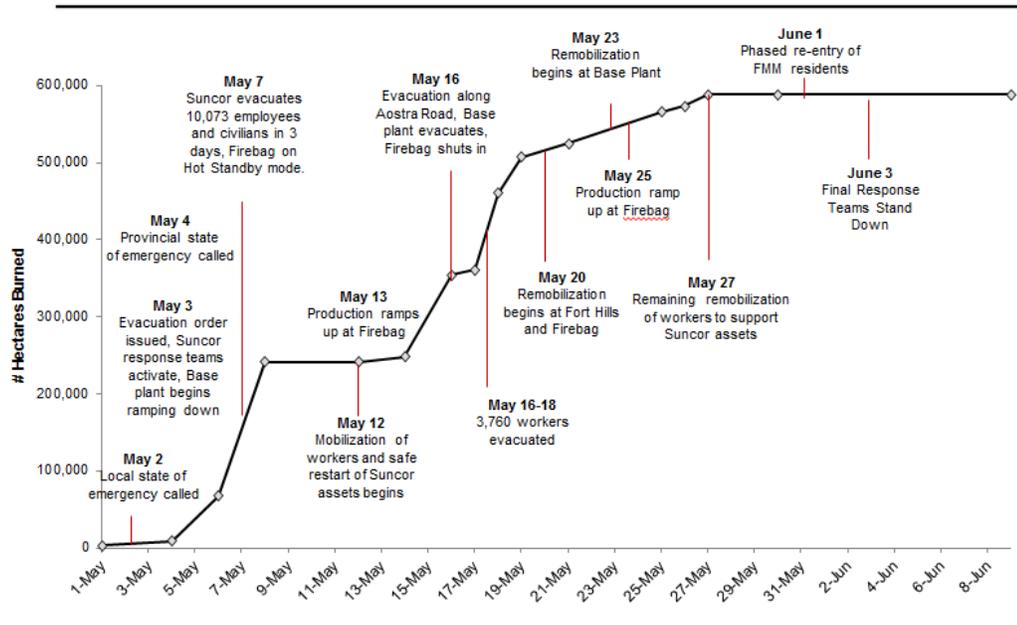


Residents were given beds and meals at the Fort McKay Aboriginal community. The Fort Hills camp set up a childrens' area in the camp and hosted daily activities and movie times. Fourteen thousand people were housed in Suncor camps.

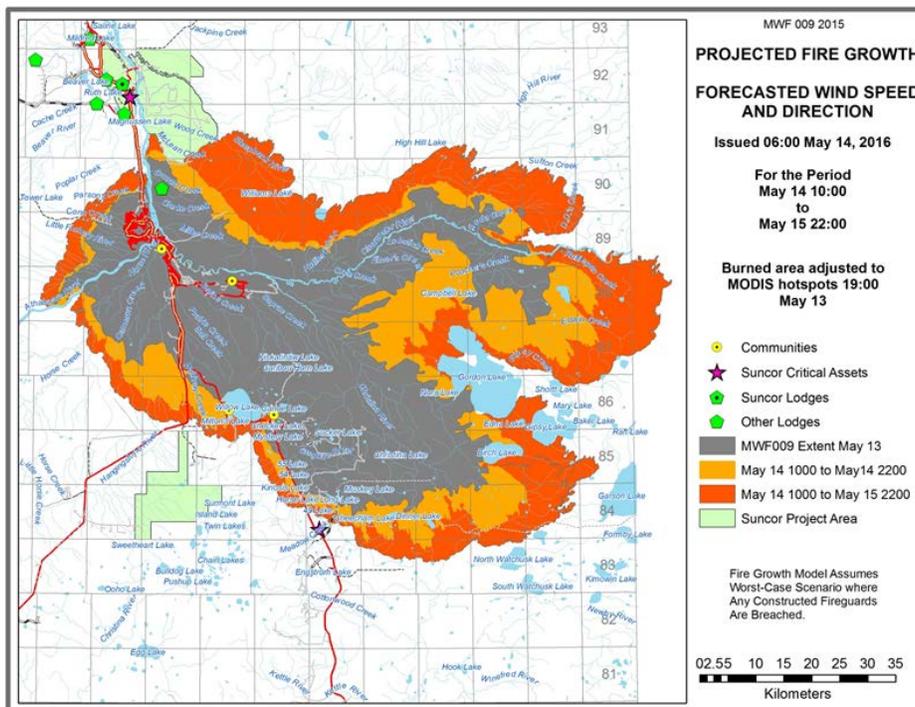
Suncor evacuated over 10,000 people and pets via the Firebag Aerodrome, with flights leaving every 45 minutes. Occupants on the aircraft included humans, dogs, cats, ferret, rabbit, hedgehog, iguana, goat, chinchilla, fish, bird, and snake.

Regular contact was maintained with the Municipality of Wood Buffalo and Aboriginal communities. Working with the Oil Sands Community Alliance (OSCA), Suncor offered assistance and facilitated resources including bottled water, supply trucks, food, medications and gas cards.

This chart indicates the timeline of events and the major milestones that happened each day:



The chart below shows the progress of the fire in all directions:



Power lines and cell towers were constructed long ago with wood posts. Efforts were made to clear the grass and coat the posts with fire retardant to save them from burning. Timber was cleared at Suncor's base plant creating a "dozer guard" to save the area from burning. A huge fire break was created to protect the large tank farm on the base plant site.

A fire smart plan was put into place to assess all sites for wild fire threats. This included preparing all the air conditioning units which were originally resting on wood pilings. They reassessed the use of roofing materials on buildings which were originally built with asphalt shingles or tarred roofs.

Helicopters were deployed to monitor the fire progress and direction at all times. The company would require 36 hours to shut down the Firebag plant if the fire came too close to the site.

Ken was appointed as an Industry Liaison Observer to work with local and provincial governments as well as fire fighters and fire experts.

- How to protect Oil and Gas assets
- Protecting critical infrastructure
 - Fibre optics
 - Cell towers
 - Oil and Gas transportation facilities and terminals

Questions

Q What was initial cause of the fire?

A Preliminary findings show it was probably caused by human error, possibly a spark from a vehicle exhaust or ATV exhaust on dry timber.

Q Will the trees be reseeded?

A Yes, there will be reseeded of trees but there will be a fire barrier (dozer guard) built between the forest and residential / commercial areas to prevent any future devastating fires.

Q Was there a review by government and industry after the fire of what could be improved?

A Yes, below is a summary of the key Lessons Learned:

- Recognition that Suncor was dealing with multiple emergencies vs. a single event
- Integrated and consistent enterprise-wide command and control structure (organization, communication lines, terminology and process)
- Initial governmental response focused on the city of Fort McMurray without consideration of key industry assets
- Risk Identification and Emergency Plans to address forest fire scenarios
- Fire projections – difficult to predict fire behavior due to erratic weather systems
- Providing timely communications to affected personnel
- Managing the timely flow of communications and personnel throughout the remobilization and subsequent demobilization in the region

To conclude the presentation Ken showed a video called [Grace Under Fire – The Fort McMurray Fires](#).

You can also watch the WestJet Fort McMurray Christmas Miracle here:

[WestJet Christmas Miracle: Fort McMurray](#)





NAHEED K. NENSHI

March 2017



A MESSAGE FROM MAYOR NENSHI

On behalf of the citizens of Calgary and my City Council colleagues, it is my pleasure to welcome you to this meeting in recognition of Desk and Derrick Awareness Month, hosted by the Alberta Foothills Desk and Derrick Club.

Meetings such as this allow members of the Desk and Derrick Club to come together to discuss best practices and educational opportunities. It is important to the future of our energy sector that those employed in the industry have access to professional development, and I commend the Alberta Foothills Desk and Derrick Club for their commitment.

I hope you all have a productive and informative meeting.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Nenshi". The signature is stylized and written in a cursive-like font.

Naheed K. Nenshi
MAYOR

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Alberta Foothills Desk and Derrick Club Mother's Day Raffle

Tickets: \$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00

Draw date: May 9 at the Alberta Foothills Desk and Derrick Club's dinner meeting



Prizes include:

First Prize basket (over \$500 value):

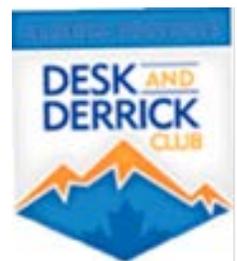
- 2 bottles of wine, decanter and wine glasses
- Galaxy Nails gift certificate (\$50)
- House cleaning certificate (4 hours)
- Martinizing Cleaners certificate (\$40)
- M & M Meats certificate (\$25)
- Red Lobster certificate (\$50)
- Bubbles Car Wash certificate (\$100)
- Starbucks certificate (\$20)
- Movie pass for two (\$25)
- ... and much more

Second Prize basket (over \$200 value):

- Martinizing Cleaners (\$20)
- Dinner gift certificate (5 restaurants)
- Safeway certificate (\$10)
- Tim Horton's certificate (\$10)
- Movie pass for two (\$25)
- ... and more

Third Prize (\$150 value):

- Jubilations Dinner Theatre tickets (2)





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MARCH NEWSLETTER

The representatives of the ADDC Public Relations / Trade Show committee for 2017 are in full swing this month . . . **MARCH is DESK AND DERRICK AWARENESS MONTH!**

REGION I REP
Carrie Harmon
Buckeye

Our plate is full this year and the PR/Trade Show Committee will be asking for each Club’s help as we prepare to reach out and connect with universities and colleges who offer higher education programs in the oil and gas and energy sector. We will be reaching out to each Region’s Oil and Gas Associations and Energy Related Trade organizations to network. We have been asked by the ADDC to locate a Public Relations Firm who deals with Energy and Educational issues to better promote our Association. Your Region Representatives need to hear from you . . . does your employer use a PR firm who can help us? Do you belong to an Energy related trade organization who we can share information with? And most of all, we need each of you to promote Desk and Derrick with your co-workers, vendors, and associates you know in the oil, gas, and energy allied industries. **YOU** the member are the best PR!

REGION III REP
Susan Miller
Westbank

REGION IV REP
Debbie Rowe
Corpus Christi

REGION V REP
Shelly Rogers

REGION VI REP
Sharon Hiss
Great Bend

REGION VII REP
No Rep

The Public Relations Committee is pleased to announce that we are accepting official nominations for the ADDC Distinguished Member Service Award, the ADDC Distinguished Energy Service Award, and the ADDC Special Achievement Awards for 2017. These prestigious awards are presented annually at the ADDC Convention to deserving members, clubs, employers and outstanding individuals who promote and support the Associations’ educational goals and energy industries.

The ADDC Distinguished Member Service Award is awarded to a Desk and Derrick member who demonstrates outstanding service and/or contributions including but not limited to:

- 1 Benefit to the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs
- 2 Years of membership
- 3 The contribution to the Association must be well known and/or merit recognized and be shared with others (members, clubs, regions, etc.)

The ADDC Distinguished Energy Service Award is awarded to non-members in recognition of outstanding service to the petroleum, energy, and allied industries, and support to the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs in some manner.



The ADDC Special Achievement Award consists of (3) categories: D&D club member, club and committee. The guidelines are as follows:

- 1 A Desk and Derrick Club member nomination may be granted for individual accomplishment that has benefited the Association and helps further its educational purpose. No more than two (2) members may be granted this award each year.
- 2 A club nomination may be granted for an outstanding contribution to the Association in the form of a special project, a workshop and or seminar. No more than two (2) clubs may be granted this award each year.
- 3 A committee nomination may be granted for a special project, a seminar and or workshop that has been of benefit to the Association. No more than two (2) committees may be granted this award each year.

Further guidelines are available on the ADDC website, or contact your Region Representative or Region Director. **The deadline for submitting nominations is June 15, 2017, 5:00 pm (EST)**. This should give each club plenty of time to submit a worthy nominee..and we have a lot of them within our organization!

The NAPE Summer Expo will be held in Houston, TX on August 16-17, 2017. This annual Summer NAPE expo in Houston is a networking event that brings together all the players necessary to forge, facilitate and close deals. This event offers producers and purchasers a unique chance to connect, reconnect, and make deals. More intimate than the annual NAPE Summit, this show is a “must attend” event to network with the people and players who have firsthand knowledge of the opportunities and prospects throughout the area. The ADDC is proud to be a part of this great event, and plans are underway for the ADDC to have a booth and be a part of this great event. Thank you to the ADDC members who manned the booth during the Winter Expo in February.

And finally, the Public Relations Committee is looking for a Representative in Region VII. Our committee is hoping to fulfill the agenda that the ADDC Board has asked us to do, and with each member’s help, we can achieve these lofty goals.

On behalf of the Regional Representatives and myself, we thank you!

Kathy Bickel
ADDCC Public Relations Chair



Region VII Director's Letter



April 2017

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Region VII Members:

When we think of April, we usually think of spring and wonder if summer could be just around the corner? For those who live in Alberta, we know that winter may not be done with us yet. In fact, for the next 2 months we might bounce back and forth between the two. However, whether it is spring or winter, we know that the Region VII meeting is just around the corner. Have you sent your registration in? The early bird deadline is April 21 and the final registration deadline is May 5. The meeting kicks off on Thursday with the Certification Seminar on Production Accounting and "Discover the Peace" seminar. Following the seminars will be the Meet & Greet (wine & cheese) and then we will wind up the evening with our Open Forum. The Open Forum is your chance to talk and share your ideas with your fellow members. Among other things, we will be discussing the ADDC Bylaw Amendments, Region Fund amendments and the overall status of the clubs in Region VII. Friday is an exciting day involving the River of Death, Dinosaur Museum, and winding up at Grande Prairie's Stampede Chuckwagon Races. Saturday, we turn our direction to handling the business of our Region and welcoming a new Region VII Director.

The Production Accounting Seminar is part of the Petroleum Tech Certification Program which involves a full day course on each of Geology, Land and Leasing, Drilling, Completion and Production, Marketing, and Accounting. Programs are run at Regional Meetings and Conventions to offer our members the opportunity to earn their Certificate of Completion in a timely manner. This is the first time it has been offered at a Region VII meeting and we hope members will take advantage of the opportunity.

Wayne Ammons has been working hard putting together the Region VII Website. He tells me it will be ready in time for Regional and he is personally going to walk us through the finished package. Please start thinking of the things that can be put on the website. You can even start sending Wayne your club events, trade show dates, anything else you want to share with members of Region VII.

Have you thought about attending the annual Convention in San Antonio, TX? Mark your calendars now for September 19 – 24. The convention promises many educational opportunities in the form of seminars, field trips and industry speakers. It is also when we will elect our new ADDC Board of Directors. The call for nominations has gone out and the deadline to submit names is June 2, 2017.

Until next month . . .

Marilyn

Marilyn Carter
2017 Region VII Director





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April 2017

Dear friends and fellow members,

I hope by now you have received information on both the Convention Registration Award Program, and the Proposed Bylaw Amendments. They are both posted on the website and have been sent out to club presidents.

As part of the Award Program, 3 registrations will be given out. Clubs are divided into three groups by size. The Small group consists of clubs with 1-20 members, the Medium group 21-35 members, and the Large group 36 and above. Send your completed entries to Mark Loch at ADO. The deadline for completed entries is April 30. Then one winner will be selected in each group. The winning clubs will then select the member from their club to receive the registration credit. The criteria for the club entries, and suggested ways to select a winning member are included in the Award form. I urge every club to take advantage of this program. What a great way to get another member hooked on conventions!

When it comes to the Proposed Bylaw Amendments, I'm not going to sugar coat it; the Board is proposing some major changes. At Budget & Planning, we discussed the future of the Association. We firmly believe that these changes are necessary to ensure the future of the ADDC. Keep in mind that we are no longer the same organization we were in 1949. We have grown, we have changed. The world has changed around us. We need to keep moving forward with the world, or we will fade away with the past. These are not proposed for the sake of change, but to aid in the survival of the Association. Please take time to review and really think about each of these proposed amendments. Discuss them at your meetings and at your regional meetings. Ask questions. Propose solutions. Just think.

I was fortunate to be able to attend the Region II meeting. Jan Bell chaired a fantastic meeting, and the members of the Olney club hosted an amazing weekend. The discussions during open forum left me with much to think about, and relay to the Association. I will be reporting to the board some items brought to my attention during this meeting. I enjoyed the education, the discussions, and the camaraderie I found at this meeting. I encourage everyone to attend a regional meeting other than their own. Each has its own unique spin on our shared goal: Greater Knowledgee – Greater Service.

Until next month,

Maggi Franks





The ADDC Board of Directors would like to provide individuals the opportunity to attend the 2017 ADDC Convention in San Antonio. Funds will be made available to pay three individual registrations. All clubs / members are eligible to participate. Clubs should complete the attached form and **submit to ADO by April 30, 2017**. Awards will be made to the club and it will be the decision of the club to select which member will receive the award, based on guidelines provided to the club. Clubs will be divided into 3 categories by size. There will be one registration for the 2017 Convention awarded in each category. The **Small** category shall consist of clubs with 1 – 20 members. The **Medium** category shall consist of clubs with 21 – 35 members. The **Large** category shall consist of clubs with 36 members and above.

The committee recommends the following maximum percentages by category to help in determining the clubs to award:

- Retained members – up to 20%
- New members – up to 20%
- Promoting ADDC – up to 20%
- Introducing ADDC to companies in the area – up to 20%
- Membership drives – up to 10%
- Money making activities – up to 10%

ADDC Club Award Criteria

Club Name: _____
 Membership size as of December 31, 2016: _____
 Membership size as of February 28, 2017 _____
 % of members retained from December 31, 2016 to February 28, 2017: _____
 How many new members from August 1, 2016 to February 28, 2017: _____
 Has your club had any membership drives within the last year? If so, please describe what you did.

 Has your club promoted ADDC in your area? If so, describe what you did.

 Has your club worked to introduce ADDC to companies within your area to increase membership? If so, describe what you did.

 Share one of the club’s money making activities.

 How are fund raising monies utilized? As general working funds or does the club award scholarships, etc.?

 Please provide as many details as possible for each category to provide enough information for the committee to review fairly.

ADDC Member Award Guidelines

Member should have participated in at least 5 of the 10 listed guidelines below:

- 1 Within the past year, the member has promoted ADDC by participating in one or more of the following: club officer, club committee, ADDC committee.
- 2 Member has brought a guest to a club meeting.
- 3 Member has stepped outside their comfort zone. This might be introducing a speaker, providing a committee report, etc. at a club meeting.
- 4 Member secured a field trip or meeting speaker for the club.
- 5 Member attended 9 out of the last 12 monthly club meetings
- 6 Member attended a club-sponsored seminar or field trip
- 7 Member attended regional meetings (5 out of last 8 years)
- 8 Member attended convention (5 out of last 8 years)
- 9 Member has written an article for the club bulletin.
- 10 Member has been a speaker at a monthly club meeting.



Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs Proposed Bylaws or Standing Rules Amendments

Proposed Bylaws Amendment 1

Article I – Name

Currently reads:

The name of this organization shall be Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs, hereinafter referred to as “Association”. Its existence shall be perpetual and the official address shall be the address of its President.

Proposed Amendment:

Amend Article I – Name by striking the words “Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs hereinafter referred to as “Association” after the word “be” and inserting the words ADDC Energy Education dba ADDC, hereinafter referred to as ADDC.”

Amend to read:

The name of this organization shall be ADDC Energy Education dba ADDC, hereinafter referred to as ADDC. Its existence shall be perpetual and the official address shall be the address of its President.

Note: If this proposed amendment passes all references to Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs, Association, Desk and Derrick or D&D shall be changed to ADDC in all governing documents.

Rationale:

ADDC Energy Education describes who we are at first glance. We have been using the abbreviated ADDC for the past 4-5 years. We are about education and by adding “Energy Education” to our name, it is much clearer who we are. By using ADDC we are modernizing without losing our identity. We aren’t the same organization that we were in 1949. We are better now, more focused on educating our communities about the important role they play in our lives. This change will help us to open their eyes to the new and improved ADDC.

ADDC Board For: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 1

Comments:

- It is time for us to finally break free from the past that is holding us back and slowly killing us. ADDC Energy Education states what we are about at first glance. We have been using ADDC for years now, and it still gives a nod to our history.

Rules Committee For: 1 Against: 6 Abstain: 0

Comments:

- This doesn’t do it for me. The acronym “ADDC” will still be part of the name, and THAT is a stumbling block. If we’re going to change our name AND all references AND all governing documents, let’s come up with something that better represents the fact that we are NOT just an oil and gas organization
- It is NOT our name.
- Changing the name won’t change perception of the organization or willingness of businesses to support it. We’ll spend the next 20 years answering “What’s ADDC?” “Formerly the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs.” “Oh, what’s that?”
- Rationale or no rationale the squabble over a name change has become redundant. A name change is evidently not our only problem. We need to look at the big picture. Change is inevitable however don’t run it to the ground. Too much emphasis on this has caused many members to not want to attend Region meetings and convention. Remember our true goal is education, not what we want to be called. I have no problem with “ADDC” however we don’t need to forget our reason for existence.
- There have been many proposed name changes over the years; I don’t think a name change will do much for the Association. I disagree with the rationale. We have always been a good organization, we have grown over the years, but I disagree that “we are better now”. We have been Desk and Derrick for 60+ years; if we change we will still be called Desk and Derrick.
- If we are and have been operating at a deficit, the expense to our Association and to our Clubs to change the name is an expense that perhaps we should table for now.
- I question the wording in the Board’s Rationale. “We are better now”? I do not feel you/we are better now! I feel this will not make the long-time members or even recent members feel very good. The members have overcome boom & bust in the industry several times in the past 60 years and each time saved the Association. It sounds to me as a member that the current Board is feeling a little superior! Also “Open their eyes”? It sounds like you are talking down to not only the members but also our communities! I am in favor of the name change but again, I would be changing the rationale wording.



Proposed Bylaws Amendment 2

Article V – Association Membership, Section 1

Currently Reads:

The Association shall be composed of clubs organized by individuals employed in or affiliated with the petroleum, energy, and allied industries as well as individuals interested in increasing their knowledge about these industries.

Proposed Amendment:

Amend Article V – Association Membership, Section 1 by striking the word “clubs” between the words “of” and “organized” and inserting the word “chapters”.

Amend to Read:

The Association shall be composed of chapters organized by individuals employed in or affiliated with the petroleum, energy, and allied industries as well as individuals interested in increasing their knowledge about these industries.

Notes:

If proposed amendment number 1 does not pass, this amendment will not be considered.

As stipulated with the adoption of proposed amendment number one, the word “Association” will be changed to ADDC.

Rationale:

The word club is dated and lends to the appearance that we are a social organization. The word “Chapters” is more commonly used by most organizations and sounds more professional, and appealing to businesses.

ADD Board For: 5 Against: 6 Abstain: 2

Comments:

- After deliberating about this proposed amendment, I feel that we do not need to change from “Club” to Chapter”. I understand that some clubs feel that the word “Club” diminishes the way we are viewed – that we are a “Social” organization. So that being said, maybe it should be left up to the individual clubs and / or regions.
- I don’t see the need to change from Club to Chapter. I would rather see the clubs have a choice of using either Club or Chapter in the name. It’s a personal preference.
- The Alberta Society’s Act does not recognize “Chapter” as an identifier in the name. We would likely have trouble registering under that.
- The name change from clubs to chapters is not significant and just changing the name does not make it any different. I have spoken with my people here at work and they see no difference. It is viewed as it stands without the name chapter or club. There are a lot of organizations with the word “Club” in the name, such as Kiwanis Clubs, Lions Clubs, etc.
- Personally, I do like the word chapter; however, due to the new information that Region VII gave us about it causing a problem with our Canadian clubs, then I don’t think we need to pass an amendment that would cause them problems. Also, is this really going to help us gain any members even if it is changed, and if it does pass, it may cause us to lose some members because of it creating problems for them? All of the clubs in the Association need to be uniform and not some with the word clubs and some with the word chapter.
- It’s a word, and I don’t feel strongly about this one way or the other.

Rules Committee For: 1 Against: 6 Abstain: 0

Comments:

- I prefer the words “chapters” OR “affiliates” over clubs.
- “Chapters,” “Clubs,” or “Affiliates” doesn’t matter; but there may be ramifications for Canadian clubs. Maybe we should allow the use of any of those terms in club names. (All of this will also hinge on a name change)
- Seems like too much emphasis on what we are being called. One definition of Club is “a group of people as of a shared interest.” Chapter” is more like a social organization such as Delta Kappa.
- In my opinion, “Chapters” sounds like a sorority e.g. University or Beta Sigma Phi. One of the definitions of Chapters is club. I agree the word “Club” does sound like a social organization but “Chapter” doesn’t do it for me.



Proposed Bylaws Amendment 3

Article VII – Dues and Fees, Section 1 (a)

Currently Reads:

(a) Annual dues payable to the Association by each club shall be Forty-Five Dollars (\$45.00) in U.S. funds for each member of such club.

Proposed Amendment:

Amend Article VII – Dues and Fees, Section 1 (a) by striking the words “Forty-Five Dollars (\$45.00)” between the words “be” and “in” and inserting the words “Sixty-Five Dollars (\$65.00).”

Amend to Read:

(a) Annual dues payable to the Association by each club shall be Sixty-Five Dollars (\$65.00) in U.S. funds for each member of such club.

Notes:

If proposed amendment number 1 passes, the word “Association” will be changed to “ADDC”. If proposed amendment number 2 passes, the word “club” will be changed to “chapter”.

Rationale:

We have been operating at a deficit for the last few years. If we continue to do so, we will be out of funds in 3-4 years. Our dues are still low in comparison to other organizations similar to ours. It has been 7 years since the last dues increase. This increase will only reduce our deficit, not eliminate it. An increase now will give us a few additional years to increase membership numbers and revenues before an additional increase may become necessary.

ADDC Board For: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 1

Comments:

- This is a must. If this does not pass, the Association may as well begin planning its funeral.
- We have to increase revenue, or we will be out of funds in 3-4 years. The board has cut out the Strategic Planner, and the Marketing firm to save expenses.

Rules Committee For: 0 Against: 7 Abstain: 0

Comments:

- This is a huge increase (45%) and would be especially burdensome for some members. If it's absolutely necessary to raise dues, maybe a \$10 increase at this time would help.
- During this downturn we must use some of our savings or find funding from other sources, such as energy/education grants.
- \$20 increase seems much too high and will not increase membership; it is more likely to DECREASE membership by those not renewing at the increased dues rate next year. How big of a difference to the budget will the increase really make?
- The members now are having issues with getting dues paid let alone tacking on another \$20. If an increase is made I agree that we could do it gradually by simply adding on \$10 now and then if this seems to rectify the issue then consider another increase on down the road. Are there other ways to reduce costs or increase revenue?
- \$20 annual increase is too much. Cuts can surely be made to our operating costs.
- \$65 US is almost \$100 Canadian dollars!!! Whether US or Cdn members, a big percentage of the ADDC Membership is retired and or not company sponsored. Also a portion of the membership is not in the industry due to job changes. A common question is “What do they get from ADDC for their dues now”?? They feel that they get their monies worth on club level but not ADDC level. Several choose not to attend ADDC Convention or can't afford. I feel you will definitely lose members instead of your goal to increase membership if you raise the dues to \$65. Dues are already \$85 - \$125 for Canadian clubs to compensate for the US dollar and survive on the Club and Regional level.



Proposed Bylaws Amendment 4

Article XVI – Publication

Currently Reads:

The official publication of the Association shall be *The Desk and Derrick Journal*, which shall be published at least twice each year.

Proposed Amendment:

Amend Article XVI – Publication by striking the Article in its entirety and re-number the subsequent Articles.

Amend to Read:

Note: If this proposed amendment passes all references to the publication will be eliminated.

Rationale:

The Desk and Derrick Journal (DDJ) continues to be a large expense we can no longer afford. By the time the DDJ is published it is old news. The Insight has served members well, and is a more timely publication with current news provided to members on a monthly basis.

ADDC Board For: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 1

Comments:

The DDJ is past its prime. We needed it in the past to communicate with members, but technology has made it obsolete. We will always have our History. It is a part of us, but the Insight can be used to communicate to our members.

Rules Committee For: 5 Against: 2 Abstain: 0

Comments:

- By the time members receive the DDJ, it is outdated. I have been thoroughly enjoying the (timely and informational) ADDC Insight since ever since it was first released. This monthly publication also prompts me to read all the monthly newsletters from Board members. Otherwise, I would not take the time to go to the website and search for them. According to the Board’s rationale, the DDJ is a large expense we can no longer afford. Perhaps if we eliminate this expense we wouldn’t have to raise our dues quite so high?
- DDJ has had its day; Insight is timelier.
- Although the DDJ has done a good job in the past it is part of the printed press that no longer seems to be what current society looks to for news and updates. The Insight serves as a good replacement. For any member who doesn’t have computer access simply have them put on their renewal a request for a mail out of the Insight by mail or suggest that Presidents provide copies at their monthly meetings for those members who request it
- I knew this was coming; I am just surprised it took this long! When the "Insights" was started in 2014, I knew it would not be long before the DDJ was discontinued. The DDJ is our history and I hate to see it go away. This is the one tangible item the members received for their membership dues.
- This I agree with; I'm sorry to see it go, but it's time.



Proposed Bylaws Amendment 5

Article XVIII – Insignia (Emblem)

Currently Reads:

The official insignia (emblem) of the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs shall be a derrick with a stylized desk at the lower right as registered in the United States and Canada.

Proposed Amendment:

Amend Article XVIII – Insignia (Emblem) by striking the paragraph in its entirety and inserting the following paragraph: The official insignia (emblem) of the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs shall be an oval with a black background and gold outline with gold letters “ADDC” in the center.

Amend to Read:

The official insignia (emblem) of the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs shall be an oval with a black background and gold outline with gold letters “ADDC” in the center.

Note:

If proposed amendment number 1 passes, the word “Association” will be changed to “ADDC”.

Rationale:

The stylized desk and derrick is dated. The professional planner we utilized in 2014 suggested that we start using the oval, and the board has made a unified effort over the years to consistently use it. It is time to make it our official logo.

ADDC Board For: 10 Against: 2 Abstain: 1

Comments:

- It is past time for us to rebrand. How many businesses haven't changed their slogans and insignia in 60 years?
- I think the Desk and Derrick was appropriate when we were strictly an oil and gas related organization. Now it pigeon holes us into just that industry when we are supposed to be about Energy Education.
- I like the stylized desk and derrick as it says what we stand for bringing the oilfield into the office and taking the office to the oilfield. If something is not broken why are we trying to fix it?
- I'm not against change and moving the organization forward however we currently are still a part of the Oil and Gas (and allied) industries. I like the derrick and I feel like by removing it entirely takes a piece of our history away from the organization. I don't think getting rid of it is going to help us gain new members. A prospective member will not decide to join or not to join if we have a derrick as a part of our logo.

Rules Committee For: 0 Against: 7 Abstain: 0

Comments:

- Although that outdated desk makes me shudder every time I see it AND our scope of education has expanded to much more than just an oil derrick, an oval with the words “ADDC” doesn't really convey who / what we are. However, if I have to choose between the two, I'll take the oval.
- Wait and see what happens with the name change.
- I feel you should wait until the Name Change is decided. If the Name Change passes, the ADDC Oval does not say anything,
- I am against changing the insignia until there is a definite name change. Why go through the expense of doing this until it is actually a done deal?
- I like the "Desk and Derrick" logo and do not much care for the oval ADDC. If we are as strapped for cash as the board makes out, why do we want to spend the money to make this change? Have they looked to see what it will cost to change the insignia?



Proposed Standing Rules Amendment 1

Rule Number 10 (b)

Currently Reads:

(b) Any such item and accompanying printed materials bearing the words “Desk and Derrick”, “D&D”, “Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs”, “ADDC”, and/or the trademark (insignia) must receive Association Board approval by application through regional directors.

Proposed Amendment:

Amend Standing Rule 10 (b) by striking the words “Association Board approval” between the words “receive” and “by” and inserting the words “approval from the ADDC Immediate Past President.”

Amend to Read:

(b) Any such item and accompanying printed materials bearing the words “Desk and Derrick”, “D&D”, “Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs”, “ADDC”, and / or the trademark (insignia) must receive approval from the ADDC Immediate Past President by application through the regional director.

Note:

If proposed amendment number 1 passes, the words “Desk and Derrick”, “D&D”, and “Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs” will be eliminated.

Rationale:

In order to save time and effort, the RD is capable of reviewing the requests for name and logo use and can quickly get changes incorporated before it goes further. This will free the board to concentrate on more pressing business. Regional Directors will do the preliminary verifications, and the Immediate Past President will give the final approval.

ADDC Board For: 12 Against: 0 Abstain: 1

Comments:

This will shorten the processing time for approval process. What takes a week or more now can be done in a day or two if this change passes.

Rules Committee For: 7 Against: 0 Abstain: 0

- I agree with the Board’s rationale that time and effort can be saved by having the Immediate Past President approve.
- Whatever can be done more expeditiously is good for the clubs, regions, and Association.
- It will be much easier if the clubs only need to get approval from the Immediate Past President.



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CHANGE OF ADDRESS FORM

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P.O. Box 847 Bethany, OK 73008
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Name: _____ Member No.: _____

Club: _____ Region: _____

Please update my membership information to reflect the following changes. If you are a Club President, ADDC Committee Chairman or Representative, fill out this section.

President of: _____

ADDC Committee Chairman of: _____

ADDC Committee Rep of: _____

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Check **ALL** that apply:

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New Mobile Phone: (_____) _____

New Primary E-mail: _____

New Secondary E-mail: _____

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IF APPLICABLE:

1. I Transferred from Desk & Derrick Club of _____ in Region _____
to Desk & Derrick Club of _____ in Region _____.

2. _____ I desire to withdraw my Membership.

