

## Valley Community Fibre Network Authority Minutes of the 2012-2013 Annual General Meeting September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2013 – 11:45 a.m. Orchards Room, 78 Cornwallis St. Kentville, NS

1. **Call to Order**: The meeting was called to order by the Chairman at 11:45 a.m. A quorum was present. Board members in attendance were:

Don Clarke (chairman)

Faye Hill (Councillor, Hantsport)

Shirley Pineo (Councillor, West Hants)

Hugh Simpson (Deputy Mayor, Wolfville)

Jim Winsor (Councillor, Municipality of Kings County)

Also present were:

Jessica Clahane (Grant-Thornton)

Bruce MacDougall (IAI)

Sherry Crowe (IAI) Tom MacEwan (Kings County)

Terry Dalton (ACORN-NS)

Gary Meister (Acadia University)

Gary Doucette (Acadia University)

Geoff Muttart (Muttart's Law)

Kim Durling (Kings County) Chris Norman (Mainland Telecom)

Dale Facey (NSCC – via teleconference)

Don Regan (Town of Berwick)

Kathleen Leslie (Mun, of Kings County)

Duane Saulnier (Grant-Thornton)

Craig Parsons (Mainland Telecom)

Cris Shirritt (Muttart's Law)

Sue MacArthur (Mainland Telecom) Rod Simpson (IAI)

2. **Approval of Agenda:** The agenda (document 100-170-318) was approved following a motion. (Hill / Simpson)



- 3. **Minutes of the 2011-2012 Annual General Meeting**: The minutes of the 2011-2012 Annual General Meeting (document 100-170-300) held on Feb 26<sup>th</sup>, 2013 were approved following a motion. (Simpson / Pineo)
- 4. **Auditor's Report:** Jessica Clahane and Duane Saulnier of Grant-Thornton presented the financial statements of the VCFNA for the 2012-2012 fiscal year, noting that the VCFNA statements were presented as Notice to Reader statements. The financial statements were approved following a motion. (Hill / Simpson)
- 5. **Election of Officers:** A call for nominations was made. Councillor Hill made a motion nominating the incumbents for an additional term. These are:

Chairperson Don Clarke
Vice-Chairperson Hugh Simpson
Secretary-Treasurer Shirley Pineo

A call for nominations from the floor yielded no further nominations. The motion was passed and the above nominees were acclaimed to the positions. (Hill / Winsor)

- 6. **Appointment of Auditor:** A motion was presented and passed appointing Grant-Thornton as auditors for the fiscal year 2012-2013 (Simpson / Pineo)
- 7. Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 12:10 p.m. (Hill)