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GREATER SASKATOON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ANNOUNCES 2016/17 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

SASKATOON - The Greater Saskatoon Chamber of Commerce is proud to announce the results of its 2016/17 Board of Directors election. An impressive slate of 12 strong candidates coming from diverse industry backgrounds let their name stand for election, and the following eight individuals were deemed successful following a final count of electronic ballots received from Chamber member representatives.

Bill Cooper – PotashCorp
Peggie Koenig – Koenig and Associates
Paul Labbe – Stantec Inc.
Linda Mason – PCL Construction Management Inc.
Deborah Meyers – Saskatchewan Polytechnic
Silvia Martini – Interlink Research
Karl Miller – Meridian Development
Brian Skanderbeg – Claude Resources Inc.

In addition to the eight successful candidates named above, a number of existing Board members will be entering the second year of their two-year term, including:

Sandra Ribeiro – Canadian Light Source
Chris Sicotte – Affinity Credit Union
Sanj Singh – AdeTherapeutics
Trevor Thiessen – Redekop Manufacturing
Chris Woodland – MLT Lawyers

The 2016/17 Executive Committee will be comprised of:

Jason Yochim – Saskatoon Region Association of REALTORS (President)
Kelly Bode – WMCZ Lawyers (1st Vice-President)
Peggie Koenig – Koenig and Associates (2nd Vice-President, Finance)
Tanya Knight – MNP LLP (Past President)
Bill Cooper – PotashCorp (Chair, Governance)

“I am thrilled to be given the opportunity to lead such a diverse collection of Directors over the coming year,” said incoming President Jason Yochim. “With the continued slowdown of economic growth and a municipal election quickly approaching, our Chamber will need to remain steadfast in its mission to build the best business climate in Canada. We look forward to that challenge and the opportunities that lie ahead,” concluded Yochim.

The Executive Committee will be officially sworn in at the Chamber’s 109th Annual General Meeting on May 26th at LB Distilleries.

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