

## **RISC**

## Roberts hwy 212 Improvement & Safety Committee

Committed to advocating for the Roberts community's needs and requests for a safe, functional and aesthetic result from MDT's Hwy 212 re-construction improvements.

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## Minutes for meeting #12

Monday, March 2, 2020 at 5:00 PM Roberts School

- There were 7 people (total) in attendance= 6 of 9 committee members: Michael Gebhardt (Chair), Frank Jarvenpaa, Steve Keebler, Sanford Langager, Chris White and Dale Marie Muller along with Alastair Baker
- Brief introductions to Alastair were made.
- 1. Mike elaborated a bit about RISC's background and how our committee got started.
- 2. Our key issues were addressed and Chris shared a flyer and survey with Alastair. Alastair said that he asked Frank to share a pdf of the flyer via email to use in the paper. He is going to visit our website in more detail and to view our pie charts from the community votes.
- 3. Safety and aesthetic were discussed as our main driving forces. We stressed the pride that we have for our town and the community.
- 4. The presence of the Amish was brought up and how their families impact the community in a refreshing manner. They are equally included in our safety and aesthetic considerations, as they own property along hwy 212 and use horse drawn buggies and bikes along the shoulder.
- 5. We decided to prepare a letter for reaching out to state representatives, such as, our senators and the governor for their assistance. A draft has been constructed. We are seriously considering mailing the letter after the March 11 community meeting. RISC wants to hear the community's thoughts about taking this next step first.

- 6. Alastair was fully engaged in our entire meeting and he is going to write an article. It will appear on the front page of the Carbon County News this Thursday, March 5.
- Target the next community meeting for Wednesday, March 11, at 6:00 pm in the school gym or the fire hall. We need to confirm availability of the school with Alex. The fire hall is available on that date. We will dial in a location by the latest, Wednesday morning, March 4, for Alastair to include the meeting announcement in his article. We will plan on having a thorough presentation/discussion and possibly food and/or dessert. We plan to invite MDT, the commissioners and Alastair from CC News.
- Meeting adjourned at 7:00 pm