

Douglas LSD Advisory Council Meeting  
Jan 4th, 2016  
Keswick United Baptist Church, Keswick  
6:00 PM

Present: Dave Duplessis, Chair                      Wendy Brewer, Secretary  
            Louella Billings, Member                 Danny Roy, Member  
            Dave Billings, Member

Guest:            Neil LaCroix

**Call to Order:**

Meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM.

**Minutes of last meeting:**

No Minutes available

**New Business:**

Acting Fire Chief was in to discuss the Fire Department budget for the coming year.

- No issues with the budget was identified.
- Justin McGuigan was the successful applicant for the Regional Fire Chief.
- Neil LaCroix will be the Station Chief at the Keswick Valley Division.

**Old Business:**

*Rural Communities;*

We were called to a meeting with the LSD of Estey's Bridge concerning a map they received on Rural Community. Wendy, Dave D. and Danny were present at that meeting. The map they have included the Carlisle Road area. Any of the asks that we identified with our meeting with Ivan and Wayne seemed to have been overlooked.

The LSD's would cease to exist once Rural Communities were incorporated.

When it comes to Rural Communities, it seems that all the inquiries we have had in regards to an RC has been pushed aside and we are swallowed by these maps - we are orphans.

We need to step up our efforts for an Information Session in the Lower Douglas/Carlisle area.

Next meeting date: TBD.

