



Annual Report from the Board of Directors – January 2005

BV Research Centre Board of Directors (2004-2005):

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Jim Pojar, Past President

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Activities in Year 2004/05:

Scientific Research: 4 completed projects; 8 active projects; 22 project proposals or letters of intent

Scientific Extension: maintained & expanded the BV Research Centre website; hosted biweekly Natural Resources Seminar Series; poster and two extension sessions for Skeena Islands project; risk assessment workshops for Babine Watershed project; co-sponsored Climate Change workshop in Prince George

Communications: AGM coverage in Interior News; booth at UNBC Managing for Tomorrow conference; presentation to Morice-Lakes IFPA Members Information Night (June 2004); online survey of members; Annual Newsletter to Members (Dec. 2004)

Governance & Administration: 2004 membership: 71 including 4 supporting members; hired Executive Director and Administrative Assistant, completed Communications & Marketing Strategy and 5 yr Strategic Plan

Enhancing Community Capacity: contracts worth \$259,032 awarded locally, Renewable Resources Scholarship awarded to Smithers Secondary School graduate