

# Saskatchewan Beekeepers Development Commission Saskatchewan Beekeepers' Association

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# **NOTICE OF Annual General Meeting to all Registered Saskatchewan Beekeeper Producers**

**DATE & TIME:** Wednesday, March 1, 2017, Registration at 1:00 p.m. Meeting to start

at 1:30p.m.

**LOCATION:** Saskatoon Inn, Saskatoon (2002 Airport Dr, Saskatoon,)

- ask to be directed to the Saskatchewan Beekeepers AGM

**PURPOSE OF MEETING:** the 2016 AGM for the SBA and the SBDC

## **MEETING REGISTRATION FEE: \$20.00**

### WHO CAN ATTEND AND HOW DO YOU REGISTER?

All 2016 Saskatchewan Beekeepers Association (SBA) members and all Saskatchewan Beekeeper Development Commission (SBDC) registered producers can attend this meeting.

### WHO CAN PARTICIPATE IN THIS MEETING?

All 2016 registered SBA members may ask questions with regards to the reporting of the SBA finances. All registered Saskatchewan Beekeepers Development Commission (SBDC) members in good standing may vote at this meeting. And all newly registered 2017 transition year registered members may vote at this meeting. If you have not paid your 2017 transition year registration with the SBDC you may do so prior to this meeting.

### **DETAILS REGARDING MEETING:**

At the last convention, SBA and SBDC members voted in favour of retiring the SBA and merging both the mandate and the assets of the SBA with those of the SBDC. This meeting will report to the membership the finances of the separate organizations before the merger and the finances after the merger.

The board will also present the 2017 transition year budget as well as a proposed budget for the first full year of the merged organization. The board will make recommendation that the levy for the first full year of the new organization be set at \$1.60 representing a blending of the two fees from the previous two organizations. The Membership will then be asked to set the levy for the SBDC in the coming year Sept 2017- Aug 2018. The members will also be asked to name the auditors for the transition year.

Parking at the Saskatoon Inn is free for all attendees.

A room block has been reserved for the evening of Feb 28 for any members wishing to drive to Saskatoon the day before the AGM and spend the night.