



**VERMILION RIVER BRANCH EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**  
**Sloane P. Dieken, P. Eng.**  
**September 17, 2009**

**Item**

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## **REPORT TO COUNCIL**

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### **SUBJECT**

Recent Branch Activities

### **SUMMARY**

- We have held no executive meetings since May.
- The branch held a Golf Tournament on June 4, 2009.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

The branch is actively developing the plans for a PD Day to take place in the fall of 2009. We are looking at a one day format with one topic presented in the morning and another topic presented in the afternoon, followed by an evening presentation by an interesting engineering topic not related to the oil industry. This format has been successful in the past for the branch.

### **BRANCH OPERATIONS**

#### **Supporting APEGGA Vision/Mission via Branch Terms of Reference**

- The Branch's 2008/2009 Business Plan calls for increased involvement in areas relating to Member Involvement, Public Awareness, and Promote Science & Technology to Students. These areas are addressed with the following action plans and committees.

#### **Member Involvement**

- A Member Social event is planned for later this year. The previous success with a pool night is encouraging for event organizers

## **PUBLIC AWARENESS**

- **Promote Science & Technology to Students**

S. Dieken will continue to promote and present awards for excellence in Math and Science at the Junior High School level in the Vermilion River Branch Schools.

## **FINANCIAL ANALYSIS**

The Branch is financially sound.