



## Chamber Of Commerce Notepad

### January

- Jan. 5 Board meeting @ Sue's Café 12pm
- Jan. 18 CVB meeting @12pm at Sue's Café
- Jan. 19, Membership meeting @ 12pm at D'Andreas
- Jan.26 Retail Trades @ 1pm at D'Andreas

### Notepad Advertising For 2012

All Chamber members are welcome to advertise in the Notepad. The cost will be \$75 for a full Calendar year. If you would like to advertise in the 2012 Notepad please email logo to the chamber office at [hazenchamber@westriv.com](mailto:hazenchamber@westriv.com) as soon as possible. The Notepad is e-mailed and direct mailed out once a month to all chamber members. Registration was mailed out with membership renewal.

Remember—your business history needs to be turned in to the Centennial Book Committee...please include a photo or two.

For more information, contact Val at the library at 748-2977.

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# Be planning your booth and food for Taste of Hazen!



## You're Invited! Coal Country Relay For Life Kick Off

Date & Time: Monday, January 9, 2012  
Open House from 5:00 - 7:00 pm  
Location: The Union Bank, Hazen



Ready to sign up your team?  
Interested in learning more about Relay For Life?  
Bring your friends & family and join us  
at the Relay For Life Kickoff!

Questions?  
Contact Bethanie Christmann 748-5420, Pede Winkler 873-5618,  
or Anne Jacobs 748-6498

**Register your team at Kick Off and save \$25 off the \$125 registration fee!**

*The Magic of Relay: Dream It. Hope It. Cure It.*

### Chamber Highlights

- Thank you to everyone who showed up to the Christmas Party.
- Membership Renewals have been mailed out.
- Taste of Hazen will be held on March 26.

### CVB Highlights

- Tourism conference is April 23-25
- Bismarck Sport Show will be February 24-26. We will need volunteers to work at the sport show. If you are interested please contact the Chamber office.





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## HCD NEWSLETTER January– 2012 Duke Rosendahl, Executive Director



The holidays are over and its time to get down to business. One of big stories for 2012 is going to be the proposed new development created by Annabelle homes. The start date is basically when the ground thaws out. BUT – There is a hitch. First, the city commission and Annabelle Homes needs to get an agreement on the land. Included in that agreement is the timely relocation or, temporary elimination of the RV park on which a major part of the proposed development is set aside for 20,000 square feet of commercial property for businesses.

Twenty thousand square feet of commercial property, a motel, and 30 town homes and 23 single family homes. I don't have to think about it very long. That's quite a development for a small community and it's a great development project for Hazen. As far as the RV Park goes, I want to see it moved to a nice spot and flourish. If it doesn't happen, then I won't argue taking it down until a new location can be found for it. The trade off is a no brainer. Emotions aside, we can't afford to miss out on a chance to grow Hazen and west Hazen offers that opportunity. I am confident that a place for the RV Park to be moved will be found and the job accomplished.

Downtown and other business sectors need to flourish also. Hazen needs to continue to do whatever it can to keep its historic downtown sector vibrant. HCD is always ready to help the downtown or anywhere else in the community.

As for last year, the HCD office was busy as usual. Housing and commercial growth have been the big ticket items on the list. HCD initiated and as a result there are 4 new homes sprouting up in west Hazen. There promises to be more. HCD brought Annabelle homes to Hazen with the promise of creating an awesome commercial/housing/and hospitality venture together. HCD has created a relationship folks who strive to bring value added agriculture into our midst. HCD's Commerce Center building is more than half filled with promise for more businesses being added. Add to that the never ending interest buy downs and other financial and technical assistance provided to local businesses and it fills out a busy year.

And now it's on to the New Year with enthusiasm and high hope to continue to add to the growing reasons that make Hazen a great place as a home for families and businesses. This is the year some of the dreams of our community minded leaders and citizens will come true. This is the year that will herald in a new and vibrant look for Hazen. This is going to be a good year for Hazen and that means a good year for all of us who live here – or – who will soon be living here – in Hazen!

Happy New Year - 2012!!

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**2012 Hazen Chamber of Commerce Memberships received as of 12/30/2011**

American Legion Auxiliary, Astra Technologies, Inc., Billy Boy's Travel, Benning Financial Services, Cenex, SubExpress & Pizza Primo, Cinema Flix, Hazen Community Development, Jahraus Dental Clinic (Joy Management), Jensen Jewelry, Johnson Lumber, Mercer County Abstract, Mercer County Historical Society, Promised-land Design, Sebastian Custom Embroidery, The Union Bank, Today's Woodworking, West River Telecommunications,

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**2012 Committee Sign up**

**We still have a lot of openings on committees for 2012. If you are interested in serving on a Committee, please contact the Chamber office at 748-68-48 or email us at [hazenchamber@westriv.com](mailto:hazenchamber@westriv.com)**

## Community Health Needs Assessment Please Participate – We Need Your Input!

In an effort to gauge the overall health needs of our communities, area health care providers and public health will survey area residents during a three-week period in January. Results of the survey will provide guidance on better ways to address health care needs. This survey is being conducted with assistance from the Center for Rural Health at the University of North Dakota School of Medicine and Health Sciences.

We strongly encourage all area residents to participate in the survey. Surveys will be distributed to the area through the **Coal County Dollar Saver** either the first or second week of January. Surveys also will be available at SMC, KRCC, CCCHC and public health. Residents may also access an interactive, online version of the survey at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/beulah-hazen>. Additionally, written copies will be available by calling Marie Mettler at 748-7218. All survey responses are anonymous, and there is no way to track responses back to individuals. A postage-paid return envelope is included with each written survey. Survey responses are returned to the UND Center for Rural Health to help ensure anonymity.

This survey will allow local providers to learn of the community's awareness of local health care services being provided, hear suggestions and help identify any gaps in current and future services, and determine preferences for using local health care versus traveling to other facilities. In addition to specific questions, the survey also seeks general, open-ended input from residents about the community's health needs and the delivery of local healthcare. Completing the survey takes about 10 to 15 minutes.

Please take the time to complete and return this very important survey, your input can and will make a valuable contribution to local healthcare now and in the years to come, thank you!

Marie Mettler, Public Relations  
Sakakawea Medical Center

## Memberships for 2012

**Membership renewals have been mailed out.  
Membership in your Chamber of Commerce is an  
investment in the future of Hazen's Community  
If you have any question about the renewal of your  
membership please contact the chamber office at  
748-6848 or [hazenchamber@westriv.com](mailto:hazenchamber@westriv.com)**