REPORT TO COUNCIL

TO:

Mayor and Council

FROM:

Councillor Christine Thompson

DATE:

September 18, 2017

SUBJECT:

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At the invitation of the Boundary Country Regional Chamber of Commerce, I attended their Biz after Biz at gallery2 on August 31st. I was advised that the members attending were larger than recent Biz after Biz events. I was also advised that their membership has increased substantially over the past two months. I enjoyed meeting and talking to members of the BCRCC. The next Biz after Biz will be held in Greenwood, the date and location to be confirmed.

The Grand Forks Fall Fair was held the week-end of September 9th and 10th. Our MLA Linda Larsen and I were asked to judge the float entries and we were unanimous in our choices. First place went to Pharmasave, second place to the Credit Union and third place to Festival Espresso. The City entered the Might E Truck in the parade, capably driven by Rod Fofonoff who had volunteered, I rode in the cab of the vehicle and Councillor was able to find a lawn chair and rode in the back of it. It was great fun. It was my pleasure, on behalf of Mayor Konrad and Council, to bring greetings to the Fall Fair. Councillor Tripp joined me on the stage, which I appreciated. After the opening ceremonies, and purchasing brunch from one of the vendors, I spent two hours volunteering in the ticket booth.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor Christine Thompson