



Annual Report for March 31, 1995

Council Members elected in Spring 1994

Ross Ravelli, Chairman	Maurice Fines, Vice Chairman
Brian Haddow	Etela Strasky
Al Knipple	Gunta Vitins, BCMAFF Rep

The Annual General Meeting was held on July 14, 1994 at the Fort St John Agriculture Office with nineteen producers and four representatives from the BCMAFF present. Financial Statements for 1994 were distributed for information. Mavis Nelson presented a Year In Review and Garry Scott explained the purpose of the Council Initiatives Fund.

The 1994 Levy Funded the following

	Council Funds	Total Funds
BCGPA Variety Trials	33,594	128,594
Fine Seeds Project	8,625	8,625
Research Committee Project	5,865	5,865
Transportation Committee Project	8,510	8,510
Safety Nets Project	920	920
Safety Project	8,022	8,022
Marketing Project	2,300	2,300
Canola Council of Canada	4,700	29,200
PRSCA Soil Health	2,500	32,712
PRSCA Chemical Mobility	2,500	49,605
Grain and Oilseeds Fund		
BCGPA Variety Trials Truck Purchase	20,000	42,331
Council Initiatives		
PRASPS Farm Products Map	3,000	18,997
Canola and Pulse Memberships	1,400	1,400

Total funds requested was \$124,422. Total Projects approved was \$101,936. Levy Funds provided \$75,745 for projects and \$4,400 for Council Initiatives. The Grain and Oil Seeds Fund provided \$20,000 for capital purchase of Variety Trials Truck and \$6,668 to subsidize the levy funds.

Total Levy received was \$95,943, refunds were \$10,691 and the operating costs were \$9,175. Plebiscite and election costs were \$6470 which was offset by a grant of \$5,000 from the BC Ministry of Agriculture Fisheries and Food.