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QUARTERLY GENERAL MEETING: SETTING NEW STANDARDS FOR PROFESSIONALISM



Ms Goddard facilitating members and invited guests' discussion...

...followed by refreshments and networking



Members and their guests from the Anguilla business community participated in a Quarterly General Meeting on Tuesday, April 5th at the ACOCI Communication Center located in the Valley. Participants included leaders from financial services, law, accounting, utilities, retail, healthcare, publishing, television, and villa and resort

properties – as well as guests from the Social Security Board and the General Post Office. The forum was facilitated by Melinda K. M. Goddard, principal of ClieTel Consulting, LLC – and ACOCI member. The participants were asked to describe the characteristics and key behaviours of the *best*, most professional employees and colleagues

WELCOME...

Miss Stephenie Brooks has joined Mr Calvin Bartlett as an office manager for the Anguilla Chamber of Commerce, effective April 1st. Ms Brooks has established an exceptional reputation in the business community as an accomplished marketing consultant and project leader – both independently, and with AXA Offshore Management and Webster Dyrud Mitchell – after working with some of



the most distinguished organizations in Washington DC. Ms Brooks has accepted a part-time assignment through December of this year and will undoubtedly represent a key resource for the Chamber.

STILL TIME...

The 2005 Anguilla Business Satisfaction Survey is *still* open for participation by *everyone* in the business community.

This important tool helped provide critical direction for the Chamber in 2004 – and it will again be reported *anonymously* – but shared publicly and with the Government.

To arrange an interview, call 497 2839...

...Or participate online from a secure, confidential link to the survey by visiting:

www.anguillachamber.com

MEMBERSHIP MEMO'S

On behalf of our members, we are pleased to highlight their businesses on "Page 2" of this newsletter. If you aren't yet a member, join the Chamber and benefit from this service today!

Attention: Members Please send YOUR "Membership Memo" for the May edition to: acoci@caribcable.com





The Anguilla Business “Satisfaction” Survey: All Anguilla business owners and executives are invited to share your opinions of doing business in Anguilla - visit www.anguillachamber.com or call for an appointment today: **497 2839...**

DREAM ANGUILLA

As a Chamber member, Changes Inc. has continued to demonstrate a commitment to helping *every* Anguilla business realize its “dreams” through effective, elegant editorial and marketing in *Dream Anguilla* since the inaugural publication. Speak with publisher, Mitsou Gumbs, to see how *Dream Anguilla* can help you live your dreams of business success in 2006 *and beyond!* **497 0412**

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*A new Chamber member, the Anguilla Mortgage Company, offers a variety of options for small business and individual loans. Office Manager, Mrs Veronica Gumbs, would gladly help match the best terms to your needs. For a private consultation, visit Anguilla Mortgage Company in the Caribbean Commercial Center across from Nico’s in The Valley, or call ... **497 5450***



SPECIAL REQUEST...

To the Management of the Anguilla Chamber of Commerce: Please contact me regarding...

- How to become a Member of the Chamber
- The 2005 Anguilla Business Survey – including my vote for the Top 10 Best!
- A business announcement I would like to submit to the newsletter as a member.
- A suggestion to help support Anguilla business and our economy.
- A proposed topic for a future Quarterly General Meeting forum.

Name _____ Business _____

Phone _____ Cell _____

Signature _____ Date _____

(Please complete this request for contact and mail to: Anguilla Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 321, The Valley, Anguilla B.W.I. ...or come with the form to the ACOCI offices across from the Treasury windows in The Valley. For a specific appointment, call Mr. Bartlett at 497 2839.)