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Abbotsford Airport Hosts Second Annual Networking in the Valley Event

Abbotsford, April 23, 2008 – More than 400 Fraser Valley chamber members, civic leaders, entrepreneurs and government officials will gather at the Abbotsford International Airport on April 30 for the second annual Networking in the Valley event.

“This is an opportunity to showcase our airport, our region and our recent successes,” says Dave Kandal, Chair of the Abbotsford Airport Authority. “We’re pleased to be hosting the Chambers from our neighbouring communities. The efforts of these communities have played a major role in the airport’s success over the last year and have helped to create a regional transportation hub that plays a key role in our province’s regional transportation network.”

The event is being organized by the Abbotsford Chamber of Commerce. Chamber members from Chilliwack, Hope, Langley, Mission, Ridge Meadows, Surrey and Tri-Cities are participating. The evening will feature over 50 exhibitors of tourism and air travel related services as well as keynote addresses from City of Abbotsford Mayor, George F. Ferguson, City of Surrey Mayor, Dianne Watts and WestJet officials. WestJet is sponsoring the grand prize draw of two roundtrip tickets to Toronto, their newest daily, non-stop route from Abbotsford International.

Networking in the Valley takes place at the Abbotsford International Airport main terminal on April 30, 2008, from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. There is no cost to attend, however an RSVP is required online at www.abbotsfordchamber.com or by calling 604-859-9651.

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Abbotsford International Airport is the Fraser Valley’s regional airport and serves over 500,000 passengers annually from Surrey to Hope. Conveniently located off the trans-Canada highway, Abbotsford International offers daily service to Edmonton, Calgary, Toronto and Vancouver Island as well as a seasonal weekly charter service to Mexico. With close, affordable parking, on-site wi-fi service, and self-serve check in kiosks, Abbotsford is the preferred choice for travelers wanting a friendly, easy and stress-free travel experience.

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