

Bow Valley Credit Union to open second branch in King's Heights, Airdrie in 2011.



Existing branch at 1st Avenue NE and Main Street, Airdrie.

Bow Valley Credit Union is a proud and dedicated member of the Airdrie community. The credit union acquired its original Airdrie branch in 1997 and, in 2001, the credit union constructed a new branch at 1st Avenue NE and Main Street – right in the heart of the community.

Over the past fifteen years, Airdrie has seen tremendous growth – doubling in population and maturing into a vibrant, thriving community. Airdrie has been acknowledged as one of the fastest growing communities in Alberta and possibly in all of Canada. You can see this just travelling through Airdrie and seeing the new commercial developments on both the East and West side of the community.

Bow Valley Credit Union continues to contribute to this growth by providing residents and businesses alike the financial products and services they need to achieve their hopes and dreams. The credit union also gives back to the community through its Corporate Sponsorship program and the staff's volunteer activities and community spirit.

Bow Valley Credit Union is unique and is the only financial institution that has a profit sharing program based on its financial results for the year. This is unique and unheard of in the financial industry.



Architect's rendering of new King's Heights branch in Airdrie.

"Airdrie is one of the fastest growing communities in Alberta," Larry Bohn, CEO of Bow Valley Credit Union, acknowledges, "Because of our outstanding service, local management and competitive products, we are also growing quickly. That's why we're expanding with a second location in King's Heights on Airdrie's east side."

The credit union's second site will be approximately 4,500 sq. feet in size and provide full financial services. The new location will provide easy access to the residents of Airdrie whether they live on the east or west side of the highway.

Land purchase in King's Heights has recently been finalized and construction is expected to commence in April 2011. Bow Valley Credit Union's Airdrie East branch will open in the fall of 2011.

Bohn continues, "With our recent amalgamation with Key Savings & Credit Union in Calgary, we will now have six branches to serve the Calgary to Banff market. Bow Valley Credit Union is a strong and growing force in the Alberta financial marketplace opening its first location in 1953 in Banff. We are proud of our history and excited about our future.

To find out more about Bow Valley Credit Union – your local credit union – visit www.bowvalleycu.com or call your local branch.