

Council of Northern Economic Developers 2014 Conference

Odd Fellows Hall, Dawson City, Yukon

September 10-12

AGENDA

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| Wed Sept 10 | 9:15 | 10:00 | Conference sign-in, welcome and opening speakers (with light breakfast) |
| | 10:00 | 10:40 | Keynote Speaker - Maury Forman: Economic Development: Know It When You See It |
| | 10:50 | 12:10 | Community Speakers - Session 1 <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Larry Bagnell - Chair, Watson Lake Economic Revitalization Commission2. Philip Fitzgerald - Carcross/Tagish Development Corporation3. TBD |
| | 12:10 | 1:10 | Lunch |
| | 1:10 | 2:30 | Community Speakers - Session 2 <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Cory Bellmore - CAO, Village of Carmacks2. Carol Geddes - Chair, Deslin Development Corporation3. TBD |
| | 2:40 | 4:40 | Break-Out Workshops/Idea Exchanges - Delegate Choice of Four: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Building local capacity2. Overcoming barriers to entrepreneurship in communities3. Housing and community economic development4. Engaging with resource development companies |
| | 5:30 | 6:30 | Optional Activity: CNED AGM |
| Thu Sept 11 | 9:00 | 9:30 | Keynote Speaker - Maury Forman: The Eight Commandments of a Healthy Community |
| | 9:40 | 10:30 | Community Speakers - Session 3 <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Tom Lie - CAO, Town of Faro2. TBD |
| | 10:30 | 12:30 | Break-Out Workshops/Idea Exchanges - Delegate Choice of Four: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Motivating the local workforce2. Resources for community-based economic developers3. Hubs for collaboration & innovation incubators4. Government - First Nation Relationships and their economic impact |
| | 12:30 | 1:30 | Lunch |
| | 1:30 | 2:50 | Community Speakers - Session 4 <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Mark Wickham - Klondike Development Organization2. TBD3. TBD |
| | 3:00 | 5:00 | Break-Out Workshops/Idea Exchanges - Delegate Choice of Four: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Community development2. Creating business opportunities3. Settlement Lands and Economic Development4. Ecological principles & the modern economy |
| | 7:00 | 9:00 | Grand banquet with speakers & entertainment |
| Fri Sept 12 | 9:00 | 10:00 | Delegate Lightning Talks & Q&A - Up to 5 mins on favorite projects, ideas... |
| | 10:15 | 11:15 | Open Conference Wrap-Up Discussion - 'Making Change Happen' |
| | 11:15 | 11:30 | Closing remarks, thank yous & goodbyes |