



North Country Regional Economic Development Council

AGENDA

10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Thursday, July 9, 2015 – Lussi Ballroom, ORDA Conference Center

Working Session

10:00 – 10:05 a.m.

Welcome

Garry Douglas & Tony Collins, Council Co-Chairs
Tony Collins presiding

Introduction of New Council Member

Bill Ferebee, Chair, Essex County Legislature

10:05 – 10:10

CFA Project Updates

Stephen Hunt

10:10 – 10:20

Working Group Reports

- Priority Project & Plan Implementation (P3IC)– Sue Matton
- Public Participation – Eric Virkler

10:20 – 11:20

Leadership Group Reports

- Advanced Manufacturing & Innovation – Garry Douglas
- Agriculture & Clean Energy – Kate Fish & Kevin Jordan
- Tourism & A Community of Centers – Cali Brooks

11:20 – 11:35

North Country Direct Homeownership Assistance Program Update

Keith Zimmerman

11:35 – 11:50

Start Up NY

Leslie Whatley, Executive Vice President of Start Up NY

11:50 – 12:05 p.m.

Business Mentoring Program

Amy Greenstein, Program Manager

12:05 – 12:20

Other Business

Assignment/Wrap Up/Next Steps

12:20 – 12:50

Lunch

Open Session
1:00 to 2:00p.m.

Welcome

Tony Collins and Garry Douglas, Council-Co-Chairs

Synopsis of Working Session

Tony Collins and Garry Douglas, Council-Co-Chairs

Public Comment

Upcoming Events of Interest

Next NCREDC Meetings (subject to change)

August 14: Canton

September 16: Lake Placid

2:00 p.m.

NCREDC Meeting Close

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