The Nevada Leadership Program

You are invited to attend and participate in an upcoming Fundamentals of Economic Development 3.0 Workshop.

A program directed by the University of Nevada, Reno College of Business and University Center for Economic Development.

When?  Monday, September 11th, 2017, 8:30am to 4:45pm

Where?  UNLV Student Union, Ballroom A, UNLV Main Campus (Las Vegas, Nevada)

What is the Nevada Leadership Program?

The goal of the Nevada Leadership Program is to provide elected and appointed officials, government executives and interested members of the public with information about the administration of government in Nevada.

In partnership with the Western Nevada Development District and the Nevada Chapter of the American Planning Association, the Fundamentals of Economic Development 2.0 Workshop will introduce attendees interested in economic development in Nevada to various topics, including:

- An overview of various Federal Government economic development partners including the US Small Business Administration, the US Economic Development Administration, and the US Department of Agriculture.
- How to fund your strategic economic development plan through cost and risk reduction strategies, investment programs, loan packaging, direct lending and investing, technical assistance, and Economically Targeted Investments (ETI’s).
- Performing community and economic analysis.
- Assessing a community’s economic base.

Who Should Attend?  Local and Regional Elected and Appointed Officials (City Council Members, County Commissioners, Planning Commissioners, etc.), Members of Citizen Advisory Boards (Neighborhood Advisory Board Members, Financial Advisory Board Members, etc.), Government Executives and Staff (federal, state, and local government) and Interested Citizens interested in future Elected or Appointed Positions.

* NVAPA Members can receive up to 7.0 AICP continuing education credits *

How Long is the Workshop?  The workshop will be a one day event beginning at 8:30am and ending at 4:45pm. Morning coffee, snacks and lunch will be provided.

What is the Cost?  $75 per Participant. Preregistration and payment required and space is limited.

For more information, including information about Registration, please contact Frederick Steinmann, University Center for Economic Development, via phone (775.784.1655) or by email (fred@unr.edu).

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8:30am – 9:00am: Registration and Networking

9:00am – 9:30am: Introductions and Overview

9:30am – 10:30am: Strategic Economic Development Planning

- Why plan?
- The U.S. Economic Development Administration and the Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS)
- EXERCISE: Completing an Economic Environmental Assessment and Interpreting the Results

10:30am – 10:45am: BREAK

10:45am – 11:45am: Stronger Economies Together (SET) IV – USDA Rural Development Strategic Economic Development Planning Curriculum

- What is SET IV?
- The Western Nevada Development District: A Comprehensive Case Study
- The SET IV Modules and How to Use Them: Module 1, Module 2, Module 3, Module 4, Module 5, Module 6, Module 7 and Module 8

11:45am – 12:30pm: Economic Development Data and Performing Community and Economic Analysis

- Data: What Do We Need and Where Do We Get It?
- Identifying Desirable and Compatible Industry Sectors for Your Community: Area Sector Analysis Program

12:30pm – 1:00pm: LUNCH

1:00pm – 1:45pm: Assessing Your Community’s Economic Base

- Data: US Bureau of Labor Statistics (Occupational Employment Statistics); the Nevada Department of Employment, Training, and Rehabilitation
- Location Quotient Analysis and Shift-Share Analysis
- Economic Base Analysis

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1:45pm – 2:45pm: Funding Your Economic Development Plan, Continued

- General Public Sector Approaches: Reducing the Cost of Borrowing and Risk, Investment Programs, Loan Packaging, Direct Lending and Investing, Technical Assistance, Economically Targeted Investments (ETI’s)

  - 7(a) Regular Loan Program, Export Working Capital Program, International Trade Loans, Community Adjustment and Investment Program, MicroLoan for Entrepreneurs, Small Business Innovation Research

2:45pm – 3:00pm: BREAK

3:00pm – 4:30pm: Funding Your Economic Development Plan, Continued

  - Economic Adjustment Assistance Program

- US Federal Government Approaches: US Department of Agriculture

4:30pm – 4:45pm: Wrap-Up and Thank You

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University of Nevada, Las Vegas Main Campus

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