Western Connecticut COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS



9/20/2017 Western CT Economic Development Strategy Committee

Held at the Comstock Community Center 180 School Rd, Wilton, CT 06897

MEMBERS

Hal Kurfehs	Coldwell Banker Commercial
Tom Long	The Workplace
Christal Preszler	Newtown Economic Development
Virginia DeCristoforo	Danbury Innovation Place
Jackie Lightfield	Stamford Partnership
Elizabeth Stocker	City of Norwalk, Economic Development
Eugene Schreiner	Savings Bank of Danbury

ALSO ATTENDING

Amy Dent, Newtown Economic Development Commission; Sara Harris, Town of Westport; Kevin Bielmeier, New Milford Economic Development; WestCOG staff, Elizabeth Esposito

WELCOME

The meeting was called to order at 2:05 PM by Associate Planner, Elizabeth Esposito.

DISCUSSION

The group reviewed and raised comments, and discussed changes to the CEDS draft. The group reached consensus that the document will be submitted at the October 5th COG meeting for their approval.

Ms. Esposito outlined the next steps for the plan and the region, and took questions.

Ms. Esposito thanked the volunteers for all their hard work and contributions to the creation of the CEDS document.

INFORMATION ITEMS

After the anticipated approval of the plan at the COG meeting on October 5th, the approved plan will be sent to the State and EDA for their approvals. No meetings are anticipated until 2018.

ADJOURMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 3:55 PM.