



# The Regional Economic Development Council invites you to a Community Workshop

Western New York  
Region:

Allegany  
Cattaraugus  
Chautauqua  
Erie  
Niagara

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*"We must change the way we engage in economic development planning and execution. Those working at the local level know their area economies best."*

- Governor  
Andrew M. Cuomo



The Western New York Regional Economic Development Council is pleased to invite the public to five community workshops designed to get your input and aid us in the creation of a five-year economic development plan.

**This Strategic Plan will emphasize Western New York's strengths and unique assets.**

The format of the meeting is a facilitated community conversation and will include an overview of the regional council, a discussion of the strategic planning process and will utilize "clicker" technology that will allow the public to have their voices be heard regarding priorities and regional issues.

**[Click here](#) to register or call (716) 846-8247.**

**\*\*\*All meetings will take place from 6 to 8 p.m.\*\*\***

**Allegany County—Thursday, Sept. 8**

Alfred University  
Arthur and Lea Powell Campus Center  
1 Saxon Drive  
Alfred, NY 14802  
<http://www.alfred.edu/map/>

**Chautauqua County—Tuesday, Sept. 13**

Jamestown Community College  
Scharmann Theatre (Arts & Sciences Center)  
525 Falconer Street  
Jamestown, NY 14702-0020  
<http://www.sunyjc.edu/jamestown>

**Cattaraugus County—Monday, Sept. 12**

Jamestown Community College—Olean Campus  
Cutco Theater  
260 N. Union St.  
Olean, NY 14760  
<http://www.sunyjc.edu/cattaraugus>

**Erie County—Wednesday, Sept. 14**

Buffalo State College  
Burchfield Penney Art Center Auditorium  
1300 Elmwood Ave.  
Buffalo, NY 14222  
<http://www.burchfieldpenney.org/>

**Niagara County—Thursday, Sept. 15**

Niagara County Community College  
Humanities & Social Sciences Building- Room E140  
3111 Saunders Settlement Rd.  
Sanborn, NY 14132  
<http://www.niagaracc.suny.edu/>

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