

**Community & Economic Development Advisory Committee Agenda (CEDAC)
Rockland Economic Development Advisory Committee (REDAC)
Rockport Planning**

Monday, March 28, 2011, 5:30 PM
Washington St. Conference Room

Meeting Attendees and Notes

Attendees

- CEDAC and Liaison: Peter Gross (Chair), Martin Cates, Brian Hodges, Rick Bates, Ellis Cohn, John Arnold
- REDAC and Liaison: Jeff Charland (Chair), Robin McIntosh, Pinny Beebe-Carter, Tina Plummer, Frank Isganitis
- Rockport Planning: Tom Ford
- KWRED: Justin Holmes
- Public: Pete Brown

Notes

1. CEDAC Chair Peter Gross opened the meeting and each attendee introduced themselves
2. Peter then briefly described the CEDAC Strategic Action Plan and Economic Development Analysis and Action Plan. Peter also provided an update of the status of the effort to sell the Tannery Property.
3. Attendees then discussed common development problems and what could be done to address them.
4. After extensive discussion the following ideas for joint projects emerged.

Regularly scheduled joint meetings: Peter, Jeff and Tom will work together to ensure joint meetings continue at some frequency. The next joint meeting is scheduled for April 28 at 5:30 PM in Rockland.

Website: Justin will chair a subcommittee to develop a website under KWRED to provide information to those considering locating businesses in this area. CEDAC and REDAC will each provide two members.

5. Tom described the RES initiative in Rockport. Maine Media Workshop is making a presentation to the Town of Rockport on April 7.
6. There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at about 7:10 PM