



Downtown Revitalization Initiative

Local Planning Committee Meeting #2 Agenda

May 29, 2024 @ 6:00 – 7:30 pm | Senior Citizens Center
35 Main Street, Tonawanda, NY 14150

Attendees

State Partners

- Ben Bidell, NYS Department of State
- Angela Keppel, NYS Department of State
- Erin Corrado, Empire State Development
- Mo Sumbundu, Empire State Development
- Lenny Skrill, NYS Homes and Community Renewal

City of Tonawanda

- Sharon Stuart, City of Tonawanda
- Judy Kurtzworth, City of Tonawanda

Local Planning Committee

- Co-chair Hon. John White, Mayor
- co-chair Paul Brown, WNY Regional Economic Development Council
- Marty Grunzweig
- Skip Johnson
- Nhi Kha
- Debbie Jaeger
- Alice Roth
- Joan Horn
- Jeffrey Ross
- Mark Saltarelli
- Bob O'Brocta
- Michelle Lockett
- Suzanne Zuchlewski

Consultant Team

- WSP
- Highland Planning
- Prospect Hill

Agenda

1. Planning process and engagement updates
2. Summary of past plans and recent investment
3. Overview of characteristics of strong DRI projects and slates of projects
4. Project evaluation criteria
5. Vision and goals
6. Open Call for Projects
7. Next steps
8. Public comment