

New England Community Development Advisory Council Meeting Agenda

Monday, April 7, 2014 Board of Director's Room – T-31

Breakfast 9:30 AM

Welcome & Introductions 10:00 – 10:15 AM

Richard Walker, Senior Vice President & Community Affairs Officer Regional & Community Outreach

Household Financial Stability & Children's Savings Accounts

10:15 - 10:45 AM

Cheryl Fatnassi, VT CDAC Member, President & CEO Opportunities Credit Union Anthony Poore, Senior Community Development Analyst

Roundtable Discussion 10:45 – 11:45 AM

Based upon your perceived level of priority; please **choose one or two** of the following topics for your three-to-four-minute update on the current situation for lower-income people and communities in your state:

- The availability of jobs and affordable/workforce housing;
- Residents' ability to fund basic needs, stay current on debt service, and save and invest in the future;
- Access to credit (for small businesses, mortgages, and consumer needs)
- Organizational capacity and funding and;
- Emerging issues that the Boston Fed & your CDAC peers should know.

Working Cities Challenge Update

11:45 - 12:00 PM

Prabal Chakrabarti, Vice President, Regional & Community Outreach

Lunch 12:00 PM