



# Northeast Michigan

Regional Prosperity Initiative

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## MEETING NOTICE

### REGION 3: RPI COLLABORATIVE

September 25, 2017

**Note: Time Change: 10:00 am**

University Center  
Gaylord, MI

**12:00pm LUNCH. PLEASE RSVP for an accurate lunch count**

### AGENDA

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|---------|-------|--|
| 1:00pm  | I.    | Call to Order  |
| 1:05pm  | II.   | Members Present  |
| 1:10pm  | III.  | Minutes of the Previous Meeting  |
| 1:15pm  | IV.   | Financial Review   |
| 1:20pm  | V.    | Regional Economic Development Project: Arauco, Inc.: Doug Baum, Manager, City of Grayling  |
| 1:40pm  | VI.   | Northeast MI Broadband Update: Tom Stephenson, Connect MI  |
| 1:55pm  | VII.  | 2018 Regional Prosperity Grant Application<br>A. Talent<br>B. Community Economic Development   |
| 2:00pm  | VIII. | Talent Update<br>A. Talent Tour/Manufacturing Day Update<br>B. College/Training Exploration<br>C. Talent Attraction: Promotion of Region<br>D. Hot Jobs!: Promotion and Package Dissemination to Schools |
| 2: 20pm | IX.   | Community/Economic Development Update  |
| 2:30pm  | X.    | Other Business<br>A. Updates from State Partners<br>B. Rail & Energy Forum: Lisa McComb  |
| 2:40pm  | XI.   | Public Comment   |
| 2:41pm  | XII.  | Updates  |
| 3:00pm  | XIII. | Adjournment – Next meeting date  |