



1st Annual North Dakota Downtown Conference

Creating Vital Downtowns for Community Sustainability

Presented by the Downtown Business Association of Bismarck
Bismarck, ND

November 8, 3-5pm at Dakota Stage Theater ---- November 9, 8:30am-4:30pm at the Radisson.

Network with other Downtown Stakeholders, learn about revitalization programs, and learn how to start implementing changes in your community's city center. A highly experienced panel of Downtown professionals will present on various Downtown topics geared to promote economically sustainable city centers. You'll also experience Downtown Bismarck with an evening out and daytime tour.

Planning Your City for Financial Stability Using Existing Infrastructure

Charles Marohn, PE AICP

Executive Director of Strong Towns-

The mission of Strong Towns is to support a model for growth that allows America's towns to become financially strong and resilient.

Implementing Change in Your Downtown: Revitalization and Organized Support

Dan Senftner

Chairman & CEO of Destination Rapid City- Our Mission is to Foster downtown Rapid City through economic development, creating a vibrant business district rich in appeal for the Rapid City Community and its visitors.

'Main Street' Program for North Dakota

Mike Hahn

President & CEO of Fargo Moorhead Downtown Community Partnership- Mission: Creating a Vital and Vibrant Downtown Fargo-Moorhead Area.

Downtown Developments and Impact

Jason Tomanek

Downtown Planner with the City of Bismarck

Respect for the Past, Gratitude for the Present, Inspiration for the Future

Kilbourne Group Presentation

Kilbourne Group was founded in 2006 by Doug Burgum with the mission of providing thoughtful leadership on the revitalization, smart growth and redevelopment of Fargo North Dakota's downtown core. While the team's efforts primarily focus on downtown Fargo, the principles are applicable anywhere.

Business Improvement Districts Presentation- New Tool for ND Development

Business Improvement Districts (BID)

2011 ND Legislation now allows any city to use BID.

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Registration fee: \$100/attendee.

Non-refundable, substitutions are accepted.

*Please Return this Portion and Make Payment to: Downtowners of Bismarck, PO Box 521, Bismarck ND 58501.

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(To receive your confirmation info) Email _____

*A special room rate has been reserved: 'Downtown Conference' at the Radisson of Bismarck, 701-255-6000.