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**North Country  
Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS) Committee**

**Meeting Agenda**

**Friday – January 12, 2018**

**10:00am to Noon**

**Conference Room 1&2 – Littleton Regional Healthcare**

Park in the medical office entrance, Conference Rooms are just next to cafeteria.

10:00 Call CEDS Meeting to order and Introductions (Chair, Ben Amsden)

10:10 Acceptance of Minutes from November 17, 2018 Meeting

10:20 ***Guest Presentation & Discussion – Perspectives on Opportunity in the North County***

*Linda Fogg, Graduate Student of Sociology*

*Curt Grimm, Deputy Director, Carsey School*

*Larry Hamilton, Professor of Sociology and Carsey School Senior Faculty Fellow*

*Eleanor Jaffee, Research Assistant Professor and Coös Youth Study Project Manager, Carsey School*

*Erin Sharp, Associate Professor of Human Development & Family Studies and Carsey School Faculty Fellow*

- What do people see as the North Country's greatest strengths, and greatest challenges?
- What do young adults see as their opportunities in the region – or lack thereof – when they think about building a future for themselves and their families?

*Researchers at the University of New Hampshire have been exploring these questions and will report on findings from their youth and adult surveys relevant to education, economic development, employment, community assets, and quality of life, among other topics.*

*The presentation will be followed by a question and answer period.*

11:40 Committee Roundtable updates

12:00 Adjourn

**\*\*\*Next Full Committee Meeting: Friday – March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**\*\*\*Location TBD\*\*\***

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