
May 4, 2015

To: Local Area Contractors or Developers
From: Sarah Snitker, Program Administrator
RE: Information on 2 Upcoming Meetings

Upper Explorerland Regional Planning Commission (UERPC) will be holding an informational meeting for local contractors or developers interested in higher education of their craft. This meeting will be instructed by Bill McAnally and discuss high performance building information and ways to make homes more energy efficient.

Bill has more than 35 years of experience in the construction industry. He was a building contractor for over 15 years specializing in new home and light commercial construction. During this time he focused on energy-efficient and healthy building methods. Bill was also a carpentry instructor for Iowa Central Community College for 17 years, eventually serving as Department Chair of Industrial Technology. Bill now operates Bill McAnally Consulting.

This meeting will be held on **Wednesday, May 13, 2015 at 8:30 A.M.** at the Upper Explorerland Conference Room, 134 W. Greene Street, Postville, IA. **This meeting will be free of charge.**

For any contractors interested in bidding or working on projects within the City of Lansing through the Lansing Owner Occupied Rehabilitation Program, this meeting is highly encouraged as it will discuss ways in which work will have to be done for these projects.

UERPC along with USDA, IFA and IEDA will be hosting a housing incentives meeting to discuss options for housing incentives available in our area. This meeting will discuss the Workforce Housing Tax Incentive Programs, all HOME assistance programs and also about loans and grants available through USDA. This meeting will be held at the Oelwein Economic Development Office at **25 W Charles Street in Oelwein on Tuesday, May 19th at 11 a.m.**

If you are interested in attending these meetings or would like more information please contact **Sarah at 563-864-7551 ext. 101 or by email at ssnitker@uerpc.org.**

