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## Meeting with the Economic Development Committee

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**William Harper** <WHarper@emdc.org>  
To: "cody.mcewen@maine.edu" <cody.mcewen@maine.edu>  
Cc: Vicki Rusbult <VRusbult@emdc.org>

Fri, Dec 27, 2019 at 2:09 PM

Hello Cody,

I'm writing in response to your request for a meeting to discuss EMDC's work on your comprehensive plan.

My name is William and I have been working with Vicki Rusbult since late last month to move this plan towards completion. I'll save a more detailed introduction for when we meet, but I am currently in the process of editing text, updating and adding data and visualizations, and creating GIS content. We had at one point discussed a joint meeting with Millinocket, East Millinocket, and Medway. If this is possible, I think it would be a great way to both introduce myself and start wrapping this project up. If so, do you think you may be available to host? Please let us know what your availability is for the next few weeks and we can coordinate our schedules.

Also, thank you for your time and your work on this project. I've appreciated getting to know your town through your writings and contributions. I'll look forward to meeting in person.

Yours,

William

### William T Harper, MPPM

Planner

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William,

It's great to hear from you. We are anxious to move this project to completion and will be glad to work with you. Would you be available Tuesday, January 7th at 5:00pm? That is the next Millinocket Economic Development Committee meeting which will be held in the Manager's office at the Municipal Building in Millinocket.

Another option is our next regular scheduled council meeting for January 9th at 4:30pm, if you would like to present to the council as a whole, we can mark you down for a presentation.

I agree that all three communities should get together for a joint meeting, though my calendar is fairly full the next two weeks into the year. I can definitely meet with you on those dates readily. Though if not we can look for maybe a joint meeting the week of the 12th or 19th preferably in the evening? I can check in with Deb Rountree at the Katahdin Region Higher Education Center in East Millinocket if we can all coordinate a time as that would be a good venue for the three towns.

Thoughts?

Also, I hope you have a great new year!

Best,

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**William Harper** <WHarper@emdc.org>  
To: Cody McEwen <cody.mcewen@maine.edu>  
Cc: Vicki Rusbult <VRusbult@emdc.org>

Fri, Jan 3, 2020 at 1:17 PM

Hello Cody,

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Hope your New Year has started off nicely!

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**Cody McEwen** <cody.mcewen@maine.edu> Sat, Jan 4, 2020 at 10:43 AM  
To: Manager <manager@millinocket.org>  
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John,

Can you add this to the next agenda for a special presentation? William Harper, the new planner for EMDC would like to present to us an update on the comp plan.

Best,

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**William Harper** <WHarper@emdc.org>  
To: "cody.mcewen@maine.edu" <cody.mcewen@maine.edu>

Tue, Jan 7, 2020 at 3:31 PM

Hi Cody,

Just confirming my attendance at your January 9<sup>th</sup> meeting at 4:30PM. Where would I need to meet everyone?

Thanks,

William

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**From:** William Harper  
**Sent:** Friday, January 3, 2020 1:18 PM  
**To:** 'Cody McEwen' <cody.mcewen@maine.edu>  
**Cc:** Vicki Rusbult <VRusbult@emdc.org>  
**Subject:** RE: Meeting with the Economic Development Committee

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**From:** Cody McEwen [<mailto:cody.mcewen@maine.edu>]

**Sent:** Sunday, December 29, 2019 7:06 PM

**To:** William Harper <[WHarper@emdc.org](mailto:WHarper@emdc.org)>

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**Subject:** Re: Meeting with the Economic Development Committee

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**Cody McEwen** <[cody.mcewen@maine.edu](mailto:cody.mcewen@maine.edu)>

Tue, Jan 7, 2020 at 4:10 PM

To: William Harper <[WHarper@emdc.org](mailto:WHarper@emdc.org)>

William,

Yes you are set, the meeting will start at 4:30pm at the Municipal Building in Millinocket. The address is 197 Penobscot Ave and you will need to go through the back stairwell if the front door is closed.

Council chambers is on the third floor at the end of the hallway.

Best,

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**William Harper** <[WHarper@emdc.org](mailto:WHarper@emdc.org)>

Wed, Jan 8, 2020 at 9:23 AM

To: Cody McEwen <[cody.mcewen@maine.edu](mailto:cody.mcewen@maine.edu)>

Thanks so much!

I'm going to bring some printed out copies of a chapter or two – one's where I'm mostly done – so that you all can see what I've been up to. I don't want to take over the meeting, but I'll be sure to make a good impression. Let me know if you can think of anything that would be helpful for me to have!

See you there!

Will

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