

**ReNU Niagara (COPC)**  
**Economic Development and Employment Sub-Committee**  
**May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2006**  
**St. Vincent's Hall, Niagara University**

**In Attendance:** David Taylor, Deborah Curtis, Michael Jeswald, Julianne Galie, Judy Tederous, Al Oddo, Vince Agnello, Jill A. Shuey

- Meetings
  - Friday Meeting time
  - Summer set up smaller group for projects
  - Follow up on next steps from last meetings
    - 1) Data from Judith to Dave- Done
    - 2) Poster- Debbie- with rack cards (draft)
  
- Poster
  - Outreach purpose- get more bodies in the door- drive business to Judith
  - Summer focus on Hospitality
  - Track #'s thru swipe card by zip code
  - Dave baseline- Judith counting #'s- Judith will also ask people where they heard about- keep paper tract)
  - "Poster might look like program- Judith concern"
  - Ideas: change target employer and make place for special events
  - Judith- people need skills to match
  - COPC on poster?
  
- Mike Jeswald
  - Working on partnering with the Factory Outlet Mall/ Job opportunities thru Hospitality: Partners- Center for young parents, NF housing Authority, at risk students- high schools
  - 80 students- out of school-focusing nationally
  
- Next Steps- small meetings with Jill and Dave
  - Vince Agnello- tomorrow morning Dave and Jill
  - Debbie and Al will touch base with Jill to set up meetings
  
- Follow up- 1) Poster
  - 2) Grant update- Niagara Co. Training Program/ Debbie
  - 3) Follow up on seminars with Mike Skowronski/ Debbie
  - 4) Jill e-mail Judith and Julianne