

City of Niagara Falls, New York

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Thursday, February 23, 2017 9:00 am - 12:00 pm The Conference and Event Center Niagara Falls, 101 Old Falls Street, Niagara Falls NY 14303 Presented by

Western New York Zombie Initiative Partnership's Co-Chairs: Niagara Falls Mayor Paul Dyster and Kate Lockhart from the Western New York Law Center

About the Event

WNY ZIP- A Regional Zombie Foreclosure Initiative is a coordinated effort designed to spur strategic action from the many regional stakeholders who care passionately about protecting the long-term future of our neighborhoods and communities. WNY ZIP is convening institutional investors, regional government leaders, and affordable housing stakeholders that are committed to addressing the region's chronic challenges by raising awareness, elevating best practices, and finding collaborative solutions stemming from zombie foreclosures. Confirmed participants include:

Understanding the Issues & Context- Abandoned Property Neighborhood Relief Act of 2016

Paul Dyster, Mayor for the city of Niagara Falls (Moderator)

Kate Lockhart, Western New Law Center (Moderator)

Assemblyman Michael P. Kearns, Assembly District 142

The Role of Code Enforcement

Lou Petrucci, Assistant Director of Permit & Inspection Services for the city of Buffalo

Community and Economic Development Strategies

Seth Piccirillo, Director Niagara Falls Community Development

Revitalizing Foreclosed Properties with Land Banks

Gina Paradis, Administrative Director of Chautauqua County Land Bank Corporation

Keynote Speaker

Annie Carvalho, Vice President-Strategy & Development National Community Stabilization Trust

Registration

No fee to attend, but registration is required. Space is limited. Convention Center Parking available. To register or see full event details, contact Kyle Boxhorn at (585) 610-3694 or kboxhorn@wnylc.com