

Iron Range Large-Scale Projects Readiness Initiative

“A Coordinated Regional Response”

Strategy Team Meeting I
Wednesday, August 8, 2007 – 9:00 A.M.
Iron Range Resources Board Room
Eveleth, MN

OBJECTIVE

To organize and launch a coordinated regional strategy to prepare for and respond to the opportunities and needs associated with Range-wide large-scale development projects

PROPOSED AGENDA

- A. Welcome and Introductions, Randy Lasky, Facilitator**
- B. Purpose of Meeting and Expectations of Initiative, Commissioner Sandy Layman**
- C. Review Agenda and Outcomes for the Session, Randy Lasky**
- D. Overview of Organizational Framework and Ramp-up Needs, Roy Smith and Randy Lasky**
 - Leadership Team Established
 - Membership and Role of the Strategy Team
 - Staff Support Roles and Responsibilities
 - Roy Smith, Iron Range Resources
 - Randy Lasky, Northspan Group, Inc.
 - Strategic Areas of Focus and Resource Needs
 - Reporting and Communication
 - Schedule of Meetings
- E. Facilitation Proposal Review and Recommendation to IRR – Northspan Group, Inc.**
- F. Work Team Organization – Membership and Initial Strategic Focus**
 - Projects Team
 - Workforce Team
 - Housing Team
 - Community Readiness Team
- G. Communication Needs**
- H. Resource Needs – Source and Use**
- I. Next Steps and Responsibilities**
- J. Adjourn**