



*Worcester County Highway Association
Business Meeting - Tuesday March 10th, 2015*

Val's Restaurant

75 Reservoir Street (Rte 31) Holden, MA

- 8:30 – 9:00 Continental Breakfast/Registration/Check-in
Pledge of Allegiance & Moment of Silence for All Servicemen & women.
- 9:00 – 9:45 **Worcester Polytechnic Institute - WCHA Collaboration – NEW!!!**
Company sponsored student projects - (WPI Major Qualifying Project)
Sharon Deffely, Executive Director, Academic and Corporate Development
Patricia Lee, Contract Administrator
Dave Ortendahl, Director of Corporate Relations, Career Development Center
- 9:45 – 10:30 **Procurement Basics – Review of M.G.L. c.30B, c.149, c.30 § 39M & c.7**
Purchasing Guidelines, Prevailing Wage Laws, Emergency Waivers, RFP's & more
Massachusetts Association of Public Purchasing Officials (MAPPO)
Mary Delaney, Tom Watkins, & Beverly Sleeper
- 10:30 – 10:45 **Break / Networking**
- 10:45 – 11:30 **Plowing Streets vs. Parking Lots: Municipal Liability Exposure – M.G.L. c.84**
Massachusetts Interlocal Insurance Association (MIIA), Michael Cusack
- 11:30 – 12:15 **All Hazard Disaster Debris Management Plans**
Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency (MEMA)
Patrick Carnevale, Manager, Region 3 & 4
- 12:15 – 12:30 **WCHA Nominating Committee/ Present Slate of Officers to WCHA Membership**
- 12:30 **Lunch & Country Store Raffle - (All Raffle Donations are appreciated)**
TOPIC DESCRIPTIONS ON BACK

*If you are not a registered WCHA Member you will be charged \$15.00 at the door to attend.
Membership Applications can be downloaded from www.worcestercountyhighway.com*

Name: _____

Company: _____ Phone: _____

Number attending: _____ **(Must RSVP for Lunch)**

FAX Reservation To: 1-617-488-2233

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Contact WCHA Director Dan Nason 508.393.5030 if you have any questions about this meeting.