



February 9, 2009

Dear Stakeholder,

As a follow up to the Stakeholders' Forum held in January, Community Partners will host a second event on Tuesday, March 3, 2009 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm at its Crosby Road office. Since this time, we have participated in a statewide forum with the Bureau of Developmental Services, where we had the opportunity to share the input you provided at the regional forum and hear ideas from other area agencies. We are also examining our own internal processes to ensure we can manage the anticipated budget shortfall.

At this meeting, I will provide information from the statewide forum, and you will hear from four newly developed subcommittees. These committees will address the themes of Regulatory Relief, Systems Design, Community Collaborations and Fundraising & Development. These were the broad issues raised by you at the January event, and we look forward to continuing the discussion.

I encourage you to take the time to attend this forum. We cannot move forward in a collaborative way without your feedback, your ideas and your advocacy. Community Partners will continue to host forums as we work together in this era of service delivery and its unprecedented challenges. As always, do not hesitate to contact me at any time with questions or concerns. *In the event of winter weather, the Forum will be held on March 5, 2009 (listen for announcements on WOKQ).*

Please RSVP to Tara Wright @ 516-9517 by February 27, 2009. Light refreshments will be served. We look forward to sharing ideas with you on March 3rd.

Sincerely,

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