

North Shore Community-Based Wind Energy Forum

Tuesday, April 14, 2009

North House Folk School
500 W Highway 61
Grand Marais, MN 55604

- 1:00– 1:05** **Welcome and Introductions**
Bonnie Hundrieser,
Arrowhead Regional Development Commission
- 1:05 – 1:15** **An Overview of Potential Wind Projects
in Grand Marais & Silver Bay**
Jim Boyd – Cook County Local Energy Project
Lana Fralich, City Administrator, Silver Bay
- 1:15 – 1:45** **Risks and Rewards:
Opportunities through Wind Energy**
Melissa Peterson, Program Analyst, Windustry
- 1:45 – 2:15** **How Does it Work? –
A Sample Business Model**
Charlie Daum, Director of Development,
Geronimo Wind Energy
- 2:15 – 2:30** **Break**
- 2:30 – 3:00** **Power Utilities Perspective
Panel Presentation with Q & A**
Frank Frederickson, Minnesota Power
Joe Buttweiler, Arrowhead Electric Cooperative
Additional utilities may be represented
- 3:00 – 3:30** **Minnesota Supports
Community Wind Energy**
Cheryl Glaeser, Program Specialist
SWIF/Rural Energy Development Initiative
- 3:30– 4:00** **Commercial Scale Wind Opportunities -
Panel Discussion / Q & A**
Above presenters as well as other guests



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