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Tonawanda Opportunity Area Project Public Meeting to Take Place July 13th, 2017 at the Philip Sheridan Building Community Room

Tonawanda, NY, June 28, 2017 – A public meeting to reveal the results of the Tonawanda Opportunity Area project will be held at the Philip Sheridan Building Community Room, 3200 Elmwood Avenue, Tonawanda, NY at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, July 13, 2017.

Those in attendance will be able to review draft concept plans for strategic sites on the River Road Corridor between the City of Tonawanda and the Huntley site. Whether you are a resident, business owner, employer or potential investor, the Town encourages and welcomes your participation. The plans reflect community input received at a public meeting held last year as well as stakeholder input.

Consistent with past revitalization efforts the Town is taking a proactive approach to advancing strategic redevelopment plans that will provide the Town with a road map for the future of these underutilized sites. The plan will create opportunities for repurposing and redeveloping underutilized sites that will also improve the economy and quality of life in Tonawanda while increasing tax revenue.

Results of the project will also be used by the Town, investors and other agencies to obtain grant funding for strategic redevelopment projects.

This effort builds upon existing plans and projects, including the Town's Comprehensive Plan, and the recently completed Tonawanda Tomorrow project.

The meeting is open to the public.

For more information on the Tonawanda Opportunity Area project, visit the project website at www.tonawandaopportunity.com .

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