

# FAIRPLAY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

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## YOU ARE INVITED

What: Community Economic Development Assessment

When: Monday, February 23, 2009 11:00 am - 8:30 pm

Tuesday, February 24, 2009 8:15 am - 11:00am & 6:00 pm - 7:00pm

Where: Fairbarn, 8<sup>th</sup> and Bogue, Fairplay, CO.

Economic development and industry experts from across Colorado will perform an assessment in Fairplay for two days. February 23 & 24, 2009. The assessment will provide information on the community's business climate and future direction for economic development efforts. The Economic Development Assessments are the result of a partnership between the Governor's Office of Economic Development and Economic Developers Council of Colorado

A TEAM of economic developers and industry professionals will visit the community and meet with community leaders, business owners, government leaders and local citizens. The public forums provide an opportunity to the community to be involved in future development.

Community participation is the key to the success of the assessment. At the forums you will have the opportunity to meet with the TEAM to discuss issues on Business Development, Infrastructure/Community Development, and Tourism Development. The Community Assessment will be presented at the public presentation meeting the evening of February 24, 2009. Mark your calendars! **Your Community needs you!!!**

### Schedule of Events

Monday, February 23, 2009

11:00 am TEAM arrival & Orientation  
12:00 pm TEAM and ED Board  
Members Lunch.  
Please RSVP by 2/18  
1:00-4:00pm Community / County Tour  
4:00 pm TEAM returns to Hotel  
5:30 pm Gathering / Reception  
6:00 pm Community Dinner  
Please RSVP by 2/18  
7:00 pm Public Forum Meeting  
Introductions  
Overview of process  
7:15 pm Session I  
8:30 pm Adjourn

Tuesday, February 24, 2009

7:30 am TEAM breakfast  
8:15 am Public Forum meetings  
Overview of process  
Introductions  
8:30 am Session II  
9:30 am Break  
10:00 am Session III  
11:00 am Public Forum Meetings adjourn  
11:30-5:30pm TEAM lunch & work session  
6:00 pm Presentation of CED Report  
7:00 pm Public Meeting Adjourned

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