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Monthly Report

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QLIP Council Tasks and Deliverables for the Month of January 2013

January 02 through 07, 2013

Completion of QLIP Report for the coming year 2013 to 2014

January 02 through 10, 2013

Completion of QLIP Progress Report covering the period from April 2012 to December 2012

January 08, 2013

Interviewed a potential Master's program student in reference to working with the QLIP

January 09, 2013

• Completed the QLIP December 2012 Monthly Report

January 15, 2013

- QLIP Coordinator Interviewed by TVCOGECO for part six of the "Breaking Barriers" documentary focusing on the QLIP
- Attended Quinte Employment Network QEN meeting with special presentation by the East Central Ontario Training Board on the Local Labour Market (Statistical analysis and trends)

January 16, 2013

QLIP Meeting was attend by a very large number of QLIP Partners and interested parties details available
in the minutes of the meeting

January 23, 2013

 Meeting with Todd Davis - Community Development Coordinator for the County of Prince Edward to discuss the planning and strategy for QLIP Deputation to PEC Council on Jan 24, 2013

January 24, 2013

- QLIP Deputation to Prince Edward County Council
- The PEC Council endorsed the 2012 QLIP Local Settlement Strategy and Action Plan

January 24, 2013

Attended a preliminary meeting with representatives of United Nations Association in Canada – Quinte, to work on the planning of a cultural event for the Quinte area in Belleville for March 21, 2013. Location will be Albert College in Belleville from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Speakers will include the Mayor of Belleville, UNAC Quinte and the QLIP Coordinator. There will be cultural entertainment and a wide variety of ethnic foods in a buffet style. Expecting 200 to 250 guests for the event.

January 25, 2013

- Participated in the second planning session held at Belleville City Hall for a Quinte area cultural event in Belleville, for March 21, 2013. Met with representatives of United Nations Association in Canada – Quinte, Dr. Aruna Alexander and Nathan Jn-Francois; Karen Post Manager, Economic & Strategic Initiatives from the City of Belleville and the President of the Board of Directors for the Bridge Street United Church. The event to be tentatively called "Inclusive Community and Economic Development" and currently includes a list of the following:
 - Presenters: UNAC, City of Belleville, and QLIP,
 - Venue: Albert College Belleville (6:30 pm to 9:00 pm)
 - o Light dinner buffet at 6:30pm to include a wide variety of ethnic foods
 - o Programme will include local musicians
 - Keynote speakers: The Mayor of Belleville, and, Karen Poste, Manager, Economic & Strategic Initiatives

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Throughout the Month of January planning conducted for the QLIP Meeting February 21, 2013 which will be a planning meeting for the QLIP. Activities include arranging for the room at City Hall, refreshments, parking passes and all documents for discussions. The agenda includes:

- o Review: Meeting Minutes from December 12, 2012 and January 16, 2013
- Discussion Event scheduled for March 21, 2013 "Inclusive Community and Economic Development" - UNAC Quinte - City of Belleville - QLIP
- Discussions on welcoming community events Follow-on locations
- o QLIP Plan 2013 2014
- Review of proposed work plan and targets/milestones
- o Terms of Reference & Governance review
- Planning for key areas from the Action Plan for 2013 2014
- o QLIP Revisions for the 2013 2014 Action Plan and Milestones
- o Planning for key areas from the Action Plan
- Implementation schedule in key areas from the Action Plan Plan details Next steps

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- Production of agenda for QLIP Council meeting February 21, 2013
- Assemble minutes from the QLIP meeting of January 16, 2013
- Web site modifications ongoing
- Production of QLIP Best Practices document
- Preliminary work on QLIP Facebook site

Next QLIP Council Meeting

Thursday, February 21, 2013 - 09:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. (New Date) Belleville City Hall (New Location)
SMB Meeting Room, 3rd floor
169 Front Street, Belleville, ON

Date: Wednesday, February 06, 2013

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