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MAYOR BARRETT HOSTING STIMULUS INFORMATION MEETING
Event will feature panel discussions, Q&A session

Mayor Tom Barrett and Rep. Gwen Moore will host a stimulus information meeting Monday morning for businesses interested in learning about job creation and economic opportunities from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.

The event, “New Business Opportunities – Stimulating Milwaukee’s Economy,” will be held from 8 to 10:30 a.m. at the Milwaukee Area Workforce Investment Board, 2342 N. 27th St. Registration begins at 7:30 a.m.

The meeting will feature opening remarks by Barrett and Moore, two panel discussions and a question and answer session. Barrett and Moore will be accompanied by representatives from Milwaukee Public Schools, the Department of Transportation, the Metropolitan Milwaukee Sewerage District and the Small Business Administration.

“With more than \$200 million in stimulus funds coming to Milwaukee, I want to make sure that both government agencies and the local business community understand the incredible opportunity we have to create jobs and improve infrastructure in the City,” Barrett said. “I look forward to starting the dialogue on Monday and moving forward with stimulus plans.”

The meeting will provide an overview of the City’s plan to spend stimulus dollars and will explain requirements relating to the resident preference program and emerging business enterprises.

Wallace White, president and CEO of W2Excel, LLC will serve as the meeting facilitator.