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Tuesday, October 25, 2005

7:30 am
REFRESHMENTS

8:00 - 8:30 am
Ethical Considerations of Sustainability Daniel Wolpert
Minister, Crookston, MN

8:40 - 9:10 am
Building - As Though We Plan to Stay! John Carmody
Director, Center for Sustainable Building Research, U of M, Minneapolis

9:20 - 9:50 am
College Campuses as Engines of Sustainability: Establishing UMACS as a New Regional Campus Network Derek Larson
Chair, Upper Midwest Association for Campus Sustainability, St. John's University, Collegeville, MN

10:00 - 10:30 am
BREAK

10:30 - 11:00 am
A Local Look at Sustainability - The Twin Cities Campus of the University of Minnesota as Experimental Vessel Jim Perry
U of M, St. Paul

11:10 - 11:40 am
The U of Minnesota's Presidential Initiative on the Environment and Renewable Energy (PIERE) and the Bush Initiative on Sustainability Laureen Ross-McCalib
Coordinator, PIERE, U of M, St. Paul
Kris Johnson
Coordinator, Ecosystem Science and Sustainability Initiative, U of M, St. Paul

11:50 am - 12:20 pm
Economic, Environmental, and Social Connections in Northwest Minnesota Ken Meter
Crossroads Resource Center, Minneapolis, MN

12:30 - 1:30 pm
LUNCH

1:30 - 2:00 pm
Student Views of Sustainable Development Nathaniel Emery
Fabien Pommier
U of M, Crookston

2:10 - 2:40 pm
What Might a Center for Sustainable Development Look Like on the Crookston Campus? Delore Zimmerman
President, CEO Praxis, Grand Forks, ND
Richard Nelson, Joe Massey,
Brent Sorenson, Dan Svedarsky
University of Minnesota, Crookston
Linda Kingery
Executive Director, NW Regional Sustainable Development Partnership
Marty Sieve
Staff, NW Minnesota Foundation

2:50 - 3:30 pm
Summary Jerry Nagel

Closing Remarks Brent Sorenson
Dan Svedarsky

LODGING INFORMATION
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Intended Audience: College faculty, staff, students, policy makers, elected officials, development professionals and members of the general public having an interest in the practical applications of sustainability principles.

Format: Commence at 12:45 p.m. Monday with introductions and presentations; adjourn at 6:00 for social; dinner at 7:00 followed by special guest speaker and honoring of Regent Emeritus and former Secretary of Agriculture, Robert Bergland. Students representing campus sustainability initiatives are especially invited to develop poster presentations.

Sponsors: University of Minnesota, Crookston; Northwest Research and Outreach Center; Northwest Regional Sustainable Development Partnership; Northwest Minnesota Foundation; Minnesota Extension Service, and others.

PROGRAM AGENDA

Monday, October 24, 2005

Welcome Joe Massey
Senior Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs and Dean, U of M, Crookston

12:45 - 1:00 pm
Opening Remarks Charles Casey
Chancellor, U of M, Crookston

1:00 - 1:30 pm
The University of Minnesota's Commitment to Sustainability Charles Muscoplat
Vice President for Agricultural Policy & Dean, College of Agricultural, Food and Environmental Sciences, U of M, St. Paul

1:40 - 2:10 pm
Changing Times. Demographics, Social Priorities, Consumption Patterns, Technology, and the Limits to Growth Jerry Nagel
President, Northern Great Plains, Fargo, ND

2:20 - 2:50 pm
Consumption and the Sustainability Equation Jim Bowyer
U of M, St. Paul

3:00 - 3:30 pm
The International Institute for Sustainable Development: The Growth & Development of a Sustainable Development Research Institution Bill Glanville
Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, Winnipeg, MB

3:40 - 4:00 pm
BREAK

4:00 - 4:30 pm
Applications of Sustainability in Resource Management in Canada Leslie King
..... Rick Baydack
Dean and Associate Dean, respectively, Faculty of Environment, U of Manitoba, Winnipeg, MB

4:40 - 5:10 pm
Ecological and Economic Constraints to the Sustainability of Agriculture . Steven Polasky
Fesler-Lampert Professor of Ecological/Environment Economics, U of M, St. Paul

5:20 - 5:50 pm
Intensive Agricultural Systems Devoid of Ecosystem Services: A Developing Global Disaster Don Wyse
Department of Agronomy and Plant Genetics U of M, St. Paul

6:00 - 6:30 pm
SOCIAL
Banquet and Honoring of Robert Bergland, Regent Emeritus and Former Secretary of Agriculture

Emcee John Ostrem
President, Northwest Minnesota Foundation

Banquet Speaker:
The Practicality of Sustainable Agriculture Fred Kirschenmann
Director, Aldo Leopold Center for Sustainable Agriculture, Iowa State University, Ames

tear off and return

Sustainable Development Conference • Registration Form

On-line registration is preferred. Please visit <http://www.umcrookston.edu/CAL/SustainableDevelopmentConferenceRegistration.htm> to register on-line. Otherwise, you may fill out this registration form, enclose your check, and mail to the address given below.

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 Registration includes all meals and refreshment breaks.