



August 19, 2010

Fellow NIGP Members:

I hope everyone had a wonderful summer, our next NIGP General Meeting and Luncheon is scheduled for Thursday, September 2, 2010, so mark your calendars and plan to attend.

DATE & TIME: Thursday, September 2, 2010 11:30am – 1:30 pm	LOCATION: World Forestry Center - 433 SW Canyon Rd Portland, OR 97221
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DALTONS NORTHWEST CATERING WILL PROVIDE LUNCH FOR THIS EVENT.

THE LUNCH SELECTION IS ITALIAN HERB CHICKEN BREAST WITH WILD RICE, FRESH FRUIT, OREGON BABY GREEN SALAD, ROLLS AND BUTTER. BEVERAGES ARE INCLUDED.

PLEASE LET ME KNOW IF YOU NEED A VEGETARIAN DISH.

MEETING AGENDA:

CHAPTER UPDATE

Columbia Chapter Officers will debrief members regarding the facts of the recently discovered misappropriation of funds.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

The Columbia Chapter is entirely run by volunteers. Most volunteer opportunities require a limited time commitment. Learn what opportunities exist and how you can help!

FORUM HIGHLIGHTS!

Columbia Chapter members who attended 2010 Forum will share their experience. Enjoy some Forum dialog and slide shows!

WHAT'S NEW?

Officers and volunteers will share Chapter developments. View the new Chapter website, hear our new mission statement, and more!

PLEASE RSVP BY FRIDAY, AUGUST 27, 2010, by 12:00 NOON.

RSVP TO: Cynthia Phillips, Procurement Specialist - City of Portland, Procurement Services, **Voice 503.823-6809, fax 503.823-6809 or e-mail cphillips@ci.portland.or.us**

NOTE: THE MAX TRAIN HEADING FOR THE BEAVERTON MALL STOPS AT THE WORLD FORESTRY CENTER.