



INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TASK FORCE MEETING

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES 2014 LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON HILTON

ROOM: Georgetown West (CONCOURSE LEVEL)

SUNDAY, MARCH 2, 2014

8:00 AM—10:00 AM

BREAKFAST STARTS AT 8:00 AM

Chair: **Hon. Paula Brooks**, Commissioner, Franklin County, Ohio
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Vice Chair: **Hon. Larry Johnson**, Commissioner, DeKalb County, Ga.
Vice Chair: **Mr. David Thompson**, Executive Director, North Carolina Association of County Commissioners

MEETING AGENDA

Call to Order and Welcome

- **Hon. Paula Brooks**, Commissioner, Franklin County, Ohio

County Tracker 2013- Patterns of Economic Recovery across the 3,069 County Economies

- **Dr. Emilia Istrate**, NACo Research Director and International Economic Development Task Force Liaison

Update on the NACo Economic Development Practice Agenda

- **Kathy Nothstine**, NACo Program Director, Community and Economic Development

“Made In Rural America” Export and Investment Initiative — NACo as a Partner

- **Hon. Paula Brooks**, Commissioner, Franklin County, Ohio

Questions & Answers

9:00-10:00 Training Session open to ALL NACo members

How to Build Relationships and Seal the Deal with Indian Companies

- **Jeff Finkle**, President, the International Economic Development Council
- **Nitin Pangam**, Managing Director, Maeflower Consulting

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