

Cass EDC annual meeting is Oct. 29 at Chase on the Lake

The Cass County Economic Development Corporation (EDC) will hold its sixth annual meeting Oct. 29 at the Chase on the Lake Hotel in Walker. The Honorable Vin Weber, U.S. Congressman 1981-1993, will provide the keynote message.

Weber was elected to Congress in 1980, representing Minnesota's Second Congressional District. He served on the Appropriations Committee and House Republican leadership.

Currently Weber is managing partner of Clark and Weinstock, a public policy and business consulting firm in Washington, D.C. He has extensive experience in politics and public policy. He maintains a home in Walker and currently serves on the boards of numerous nonprofits and businesses.

His keynote address, "Moving Forward in Challenging Economic Times," will highlight the evening's activities.

The social hour begins at 5:30 p.m., followed by dinner, project talks by two Cass County business owners and a short annual business meeting.

Two local businesses, Trails RV Park, owned by Dave Kaufman, and Ridgeline Manufacturing, owned by Jerry and Nick Newman, recently received assistance from the EDC.

Each will talk about the development of their business and how the EDC provided coordination.

Ridgeline is a dock manufacturing company located in Pillager. Trails RV Park is located west of Walker.

To reserve a ticket, call the Cass County EDC at (218) 947-7523. The EDC is a local nonprofit economic development corporation funded by Cass County, memberships and governmental partners. It was created to assist with job creation and capital investment throughout the county.

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