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Fitzgerald to Keynote Annual Meeting

Terry J. Fitzgerald, Senior Economist and Assistant Vice President of the Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, will keynote at the 7th Annual Meeting of the Cass County Economic Development Corporation. *“Is the Economic Tank Half Empty or Half Full?”* will be held on Friday, October 22nd, at the Chase Hotel in Walker, MN.

Fitzgerald conducts research on national and regional economic issues, advises the bank president and board of directors on economic policy and current macroeconomic conditions, and contributes articles to bank publications *The Region* and *fedgazette*. Terry has more than 20 years of experience with the Federal Reserve and holds a B.S. in economics from the University of Iowa and a Ph.D. in economics from the University of Minnesota. His research includes macroeconomics, economic growth, and the economics of education. His work has appeared in professional journals and in publications of the Federal Reserve Banks of Chicago, Cleveland, and Minneapolis.

The evening will include local businesses – Riverside Assisted Living and Leech lake Brewery – that will provide highlights of their business projects. The Cass County Economic Development Corporation will conduct a short annual meeting. The event will start at 5:30 PM and all are invited to attend. Tickets are \$25 per person and seating is limited. Reserve a ticket by calling the office at 218-947-7523 or email at cass.edc@co.cass.mn.us.

The Cass County Economic Development Corporation is a community non-profit corporation with the mission to “Improve the business environment of Cass County by encouraging a strong, diverse and sustainable economy and to build better relationships between business, government agencies and local communities.”

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