

Banaian to address the new normal at Cass County EDC annual meeting

Event is Oct. 25 at Chase on the Lake in Walker

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WALKER — The Cass County Economic Development Corporation (EDC) will be having their annual meeting Oct. 25.

The public is invited to the event at Chase on the Lake in Walker.

Key note speaker will be King Banaian of St. Cloud State University. He is director of the Research School of Public Affairs and professor in the Department of Economics. Banaian has consulted at the central banks of Ukraine, Egypt, Macedonia and Armenia. He is author of three books on the economy and more than 40 articles discussing the political economy. He served one term in the Minnesota House of Representatives for District 15B. Banaian is also host of a weekly radio show and co-author of the St. Cloud Quarterly Business Report.

Banaian's talk is entitled "Economic Development in the New Normal." Other countries have reacted to the new economy in different ways. How this area readjusts will be significant to economic recovery and this will be addressed in his talk, the EDC reported.

Tickets are \$25 each and include a buffet dinner. Social hour starts at 5:30 p.m. and reservations are required. RSVP is requested by calling 218-947-7523 or emailing to michelle.sproessig@co.cass.mn.us. Seats are limited. The Cass County EDC is a local nonprofit corporation.