



NEWS from the CASPER AREA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ALLIANCE

Incubator Feasibility Consultant Meetings to be Held in Casper

March 7, 2008- Larry Albertson, President of LPL Associates, a professional consulting practice specializing in business incubation and feasibility studies, will be returning to Casper to complete work on the incubator feasibility study. The study will determine the potential success of the Casper Area Business Innovation Center. During this visit, his third trip to the Casper area, Mr. Albertson will be meeting with public officials to present information on the incubator, as well as to receive input for inclusion in the study. The incubator feasibility study is being funded by Casper College, the Casper Area Economic Development Alliance (CAEDA), and the Economic Development Joint Powers Board (EDJPB).

Casper College has applied for a \$100,000 planning grant from the Economic Development Administration in Denver. This grant, if awarded, will be used to develop a business plan for the Innovation Center and to develop architectural plans for the Amoco Administration Building and the planned expansion of that facility. The Amoco Reuse Agreement Joint Powers Board (ARAJPB) agreed to provide the Amoco Administration Building for use as the home for the Innovation Center. The grant requires a 50-50 match, with local matching funds being provided by Casper College, CAEDA, and EDJPB.

If you are interested in the Casper Area Business Innovation Center and the feasibility study, please plan to attend one of the following public meetings:

Natrona County Commission-
Natrona County Annex Building, 120 W 1st St, Casper, Wyoming, 82601
Tuesday, March 11, 2008, at 4:00 p.m.

Amoco Reuse Agreement Joint Powers Board-
City Hall, City Council Meeting Room, 200 N David St, Casper, Wyoming 82601
Wednesday, March 12, 2008, at 6:00 p.m.

Casper City Council-
City Hall, City Council Meeting Room, 200 N David St, Casper, Wyoming 82601
Thursday, March 13, 2008, at 4:00 p.m.

Architect Pre-proposal Meeting
Amoco Administration Building, BP Conference Room, 2435 King Boulevard, Casper,
Wyoming 82604
Friday, March 14, 2008, at 1:00 p.m.



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Economic Development Joint Powers Board Meeting
CAEDA, CAEDA Conference Room, 300 S. Wolcott St. Ste. 300, Casper, Wyoming 82601
Friday, March 14, 2008, at 9:00 a.m.

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