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Vision for the Future

Agenda September 12, 2007

8:30 to 9:00	Registration, Doughnuts and Coffee
9:00 to 9:05	Welcome by the Honorable Gerald Bennett, Board Chair, CMAP
9:05 to 9:20	The 2040 Regional Comprehensive Planning Process by Randy Blankenhorn, Executive Director, CMAP
9:20 to 9:45	Why is the northeastern Illinois region unique? by Geoffrey Baer, Historian, WTTW
9:45 to 9:55	Discussion: What is northeastern Illinois currently recognized for?
9:55 to 10:20	Designing our Future: Visualizing 2040 by Bruce Mau, Creative Director, Bruce Mau Design, Inc.
10:20 to 10:30	Discussion: What will the region win an award for in 2040?
10:30 to 10:55	Discussion: Evaluating and Refining the 2040 Vision Statements
10:55 to 11:20	Discussion: Refining the 2040 Vision Statements
11:20 to 11:40	Prioritizing the Vision Theme Areas
11:40 to 11:55	How did we do on the Vision Statements?
11:55 to 12:00	Closing Remarks and Next Steps by Randy Blankenhorn, CMAP