



NOTICE OF MEETING

The next meeting of the **Northern Middlesex Council of Governments (NMCOG)** will be held on **Wednesday, June 18, 2025, at 7:00 p.m. at 672 Suffolk Street, Suite 100, Lowell, MA** and via **Zoom** at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86418433254> Meeting ID: 864 1843 3254, One tap mobile +13017158592,,86418433254#.

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order and Roll Call**
- 2. Announcements:** Welcome to New Council Members (Rich Russo, Tewksbury Select Board, and Sean Kelly, Westford Select Board) and returning members (Alex Lowder, Tewksbury Alternate, and Jim Silva, Westford Alternate)
- 3. Meeting Minutes – (Vote Required)**
Minutes from NMCOG Council Meeting 5/21/2025
- 4. Financial Report and Warrant - (Vote Required)**
- 5. Nominating Committee (Vote Required)**
- 6. Economic Development District (EDD) designation application update- (Vote Required)**
- 7. Greater Lowell Stronger Together (2025-2030 Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy)**
Presentation by Jennifer Raitt, Executive Director, and Christopher Glenn Hayes, Housing and Economic Development Program Manager. A CEDS is a vital component of establishing and maintaining a robust economic ecosystem by building regional capacity-through hard and soft infrastructure-that contributes to individual, firm, and community success. It provides a vehicle for individuals, organizations, local governments, learning institutes, and private industry to build strategies that will best serve economic development in the region. This planning effort, completed in partnership with Fourth Economy, aims to gather key insights into how the Greater Lowell Region can grow in key areas. The draft CEDS [is available for download and open for public comment](#).
- 8. Executive Director's Report**

9. Community Exchange

10. NMCOG Reminders and Announcements

- *NMMPO Meeting* – June 25 at 2 PM (hybrid on Zoom and at NMCOG)
- *Regional Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan Public Forum* (July 8 from 5-8 PM Lowell Senior Center)
- *NMCOG Council Meeting* – July 16 at 7 PM (hybrid on Zoom and at NMCOG)

11. Other Business not known at the time of posting of this agenda.

12. Adjourn

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Please contact jraitt@nmcog.org with any questions

