



September 2017

Dear Colleague:

MEDA Conference planners are working to put the finishing touches on their Fall Conference in Red Lodge hosted by Beartooth RC&D. This fall's theme is "Montana Superheroes – Building our Communities" and will be held October 5-6, 2017 at Old Roosevelt School.

The typical MEDA conference has about 100 attendees from all over the state who work or are involved in Economic Development. We invite you to join us as a sponsor for this fall's conference.

Highlights of the conference agenda thus far:

- Workforce Development Pre-Conference Training
- The Old Roosevelt Story and Case Study
- Ignite Montana!
- Governor's Office of Economic Development Program Updates
- MEDA Awards Luncheon
- State Legislative Strategy Update
- Breakout Sessions, including Asset Based Community Development, Cyber Security and Ripple Effect Mapping
- Creative Placemaking Session

We are offering sponsorship opportunities beginning at \$250 to businesses or individuals that would like to help make this meeting a resounding success. There are also opportunities for meal and break sponsors.

<b>Event Benefits for Sponsors</b>	<b>Gold Level \$1,000</b>	<b>Silver Level \$500</b>	<b>Bronze Level \$250</b>
Complimentary registration(s) to the conference	3	2	1
Display table in foyer throughout the conference (2 available)	X		
Option for materials to be placed in attendee packets	X	X	
Name/Logo included on all marketing materials and agenda	X	X	X
Recognition from the stage during the event	X	X	X
Logo included in Conference Summary	X	X	X
Logo on conference table tent cards	X	X	X

In addition to the benefits listed, please add our gratitude for your investment in our organization and economic development efforts. Contact Sue Taylor at 406-962-3914 or [staylor@beartooth.org](mailto:staylor@beartooth.org) or Gloria O'Rourke at 406-563-5259 or [gloria@medamembers.org](mailto:gloria@medamembers.org) with your questions or intent to sponsor by September 10<sup>th</sup>. The sooner we hear from you the sooner your logo will be included in our communications.

Thank you for your consideration,  
The MEDA Agenda Committee

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