

# West Louisville FoodPort Project: Economic Inclusion Outreach Session

Messer Construction Co., Seed Capital Kentucky, TKT & Associates, Inc. and the Louisville Urban League are pleased to invite you to attend our Economic Inclusion Outreach Session for the Seed Capital Kentucky West Louisville FoodPort Project.

**Tuesday | April 26, 2016**

**Time**  
1:30 – 3:30 p.m.

**Location**  
Kentucky International Convention Center  
221 South Fourth Street (Room 101)  
Louisville, KY 40202

**All attendees should meet the below criteria:**

- Prime Bidders
- Minority / Women – owned Business Enterprises and Disabled subcontractors/ suppliers
- Community Partners
- Construction Job Seekers (must be 18+, strongly encouraged to bring resume)

**Due to limited seating, registration for this event is mandatory. Please register by Thursday | April 21, 2016:**

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# Russell Choice Neighborhood Planning Initiative NEWSLETTER

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Wednesday | April 20, 2016**

**A Joint Meeting of All CNI Task Forces** (see inside for more details)

**Time**  
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

**Location**  
Kentucky Center for African American Heritage  
1701 W. Muhammad Ali Blvd.

**Saturday | April 23, 2016**

**Russell Cleanup Day**

Louisville Forward and Louisville Metro Housing Authority have teamed up for a Russell Neighborhood Cleanup Day on Saturday April 23rd.

Interested in joining?  
Call 502-569-6459



A roof repair program is a part of the NRSA plan



## NEIGHBORHOOD REVITALIZATION STRATEGY AREA

Russell is on the fast track to becoming a certified Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Area (NRSA) by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) thanks to the efforts underway through Russell's Choice Neighborhood Initiative planning process.

Once that certification is in place, the Russell neighborhood will receive several benefits including targeted Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds and more flexibility with how funding can be used in the neighborhood. These funds will be programmed for needs prioritized through the Choice planning process, including efforts to spur economic development and improve housing. This in turn could help stimulate more investment in the neighborhood.

The NRSA plan was developed through the Choice planning process, which has provided neighborhood stakeholders, including residents, businesses,

and faith-based organizations, with the opportunity to learn more about each other's aspirations for Russell and how their individual interests often complement one another or can be combined to achieve greater results within the community. Momentum is definitely continuing to build toward a shared vision for Russell.

To learn more about Russell's pending NRSA certification, you can review a draft of the plan online at the following link: <https://louisvilleky.gov/government/housing-community-development/public-notices-federal-plans-and-project-compliance>. A public hearing is scheduled for **May 3rd at 6:00 p.m. at Western Library, 604 S. 10th Street, 40203.**

For more information about Russell's draft NRSA plan and the public hearing, go to <https://louisvilleky.gov/government/housing-community-development/public-notices-federal-plans-and-project-compliance>



