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**Economic Development Commission
Monday, February 21, 2011- 7:00 p.m.
The Home of A. Tillinghast, 511 Brooklyn Road****

AMENDED AGENDA

- I. Call to Order**
- II. Roll Call**
- III. Minutes- January 25, 2011**
- IV. Public Participation**
 - A. Tom Marano, Northeast Utilities Business Development Director to facilitate EDC discussion of following items:**
 - Researching/hiring grant writer: Example of business materials, software at Library
 - Work on an EDC Website/Business calendar
 - Develop a marketing plan: Eco-tourism/agricultural tourism, Quinebaug River, Route 169, farmer's market, A Canterbury "brand", business attraction/tax incentive policy-
 - Business Assistance Program: Biz to biz, work with library, biz networking, create and incubator location, "How to do Business in Canterbury"
 - Prudence Crandall Museum
 - Work with Board of Education in student business program
 - Work with other towns EDC's, Regional Director
 - Consider support of an Agricultural Commission
- V. Old Business**
 - A. Discuss 3rd edition of Business Directory
- VI. New Business**
 - A. Discussion of where EDC will spend its time in 2011
 - B. Discussion of proposed EDC budget 2011-2012
- VII. Adjournment**