

MEDIA ADVISORY

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BOMA Manitoba Hosts City Councillor Panel Discussion on Winnipeg Infrastructure and Development

(**Tuesday, April 7, 2013 - WINNIPEG, MB)** Today, four Winnipeg City Councillors will be participating in a panel discussion at the Building Owners and Managers Association of Manitoba (BOMA Manitoba) luncheon.

Councillors Mike Pagtakhan, Jeff Browaty, Dan Vandal and Paula Havixbeck are this year's participants.

The discussion will focus on topics of importance to the commercial real estate industry: infrastructure spending, downtown revitalization, the building permit approval process, and the City's overall business climate. Geoff Currier, host of CJOB 680's The Night Hawk, will serve as moderator.

"As a group that represents commercial property developers, owners and management firms, we feel it's important to engage local politicians and gain their insights into the City's future," says Tom Thiessen, Executive Director, BOMA Manitoba. "We believe these types of forums are a great first step in moving processes forward, and encouraging more development for the benefit of our entire city and province."

Join us today for our luncheon:

Date: Tuesday, May 7, 2013

Time:

- 12:35 to 1:35 p.m. Panel discussion
- 1:45 p.m. Media interviews permitted
- No media interviews prior to panel discussion

Who:

- City Councillors Mike Pagtakhan, Paula Havixbeck, Jeff Browaty & Dan Vandal
- BOMA Manitoba Representatives

Luncheon Location:

The Fort Garry Hotel, 222 Broadway Avenue
1st Floor, Provencher Room

About BOMA Manitoba

The Building Owners and Managers Association (BOMA) of Manitoba actively assists real estate developers and operators of commercial office space to become more expert, professional, and accomplished in their fields, as well as to create better tenant environments and more stable investments for the owners