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Today at CMC
Celebrating
Thanksgiving, CMC will
not be hosting a forum
on November 23

Upcoming CMC Forums

Wednesday, November 30, 2005
Growing Smarter Series
Eminent Domain:
Economic Tool or
Development Tyranny

A Facilitated Discussion With: **Terry Foegler**, President, *Campus Partners*; **Ken Montlack**, Chair, *First Suburbs Consortium of Northeast Ohio*; **Sam Staley**, Director of Urban and Land Use Policy, *Reason Foundation*; and **Nan Still**, Director of Agricultural Law Information, *Ohio Farm Bureau Federation*. Facilitated by: **Kimberly Gibson**, Program Manager, *MORPC*. Presented in Partnership with: *1,000 Friends of Central Ohio*

Wednesday, December 7, 2005

Navigating Murky Waters: Arts Funding in the New Economy

Moderated by: **Ray Hanley**, president, *Greater Columbus Arts Council*; **Wayne Lawson**, Executive Director, *Ohio Arts Council*; **Randy Cohen**, VP of Research and Information, *Americans for the Arts*. Presented in Partnership with: *Greater Columbus Arts Council*. Sponsored by: *NBC 4* and *Richardson Printing*

Thursday, December 8, 2005

A Chocolate Holiday

5:30 – 8:00 p.m. at the Franklin Park Conservatory
Everyone is welcome! Holiday hors d'oeuvres, complimentary wine & beer with a cash bar for cocktails, featuring the CMC Chocولاتini! Holiday portraits available by *Rick Buchanan Photography*. Tickets are \$10. Hosted by: *Franklin Park Conservatory*

Wednesday, December 14, 2005

Different Voices Series

Exploring Columbus' Somali Community

Presented in Partnership with: *Diversity Matters*. **Mariam Ghedi**, Program Coordinator, *Columbus State Community College* and **Dr. Abdinur Mohamud**, Educational Consultant, *Ohio Department of Education*. Moderated by: **Jim Stowe**, Executive Director, *Columbus Community Relations Commission*. Sponsored by: *Huntington*. With support from: *Abbott Laboratories Fund*

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Wednesday, NOVEMBER 30TH, noon to 1:15 at the Athletic Club of Columbus

Eminent Domain: Economic Tool or Development Tyranny

For decades eminent domain has been used to build highways and stadiums and to reinvent "blighted" places. The U.S. Supreme Court established in 1968 that eminent domain can be used for economic development and reaffirmed that decision again in 1984. Both of these cases dealt with blighted properties.

In June of 2005 the U.S. Supreme Court issued its decision on *Kelo v. New London* recasting the debate on the use of this powerful local government tool in non-blighted circumstances. This set off a firestorm of media speculation nationwide. Can the government take your home and give it to Wal-Mart? Is the Kelo decision evidence of government run amok or does it reveal an obsolete economic system? This forum will explore the causes of and the solutions to taking property for economic development purposes. How far is too far and is enough being done in Ohio to protect private property rights?



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Campus Gateway Big WOW for On Site Attendees



Thanks to Campus Gateway President Terry Foegler, CMC's audience enjoyed an intimate behind the scenes tour of the Gateway Cinema, apartments and deluxe office space still under construction.

Plan now to attend the next CMC On Site at "Skate on State" Friday, December 16. Watch for more info.



A bit early to be at the Cinema, Melinda Susalla, Martha Trout and Deborah Norris Matthews share a cup of coffee before the Campus Gateway Tour.

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Celebrate a Chocolate Holiday at the Franklin Park Conservatory
1777 E. Broad Street

Holiday Hors d'oeuvres, Special Chocolate Treats, Holiday Music! Complimentary Wine & Beer, with a cash bar for cocktails, featuring CMC Chocولاتini! Holiday Portraits Available by Rick Buchanan Photography
Tickets are \$10.

R.S.V.P. by December 2 by calling 464-3220 or email staff@columbusmetroclub.org



Last Week at CMC, Wednesday, November 16TH

Resources Invested to Facilitate Social Change



CMC President Suzy Swanson, Speaker Bill Shore and Bill Dolan of Children's Hunger Alliance

"Most nonprofits are in the business of redistributing wealth, rather than creating it."
Billy Shore, Share our Strength

Photographs by Rick Buchanan,
www.rickbuchananphotography.com

"Our role as nonprofits has changed, because the role of governments has been reduced. Community-based organizations used to be supplemental to government services. Now they are playing a primary role with the same resources."

Billy Shore, Share our Strength



Jameson Pack and Tara Rogers

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Write the NUMBER OF GUESTS that will be attending the forum in the box.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Wednesday, November 30 | Eminent Domain: Panel Discussion |
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Forum Fees: Enter the number of attendees next to each forum title listed above. Early discount of \$3 applies if registered by the Friday before the forum.

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|---------|--------|-------|--------|
| Early | \$15 | \$22 | \$25 |
| Regular | \$18 | \$25 | \$28 |

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| | Member | Guest | Public |
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| 8 Seats | \$144 | N/A | \$188 |
| 10 Seats | \$180 | N/A | \$235 |

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