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Thank You

APRECIATION

Thank you for your support in Inland Northwest Partners this year. We value your organization and its investment in INP. This overview shares our activities and achievements in 2023. We work hard to highlight our donors at every event and in every communication with our members.

At INP, we believe in building strong relationships with our investors. Your support is crucial in helping us achieve our mission of promoting economic growth and development in the Inland Northwest region.

We are ever mindful that you as our investors are a critical part of INP's success. We want to express our sincere gratitude for your partnership with INP and look forward to continuing our work together in the years ahead. Thank you again for your investment in our organization and the Inland Northwest region.



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ATTAINABLE HOUSING

Spring

Attainable Housing is a topic our members have asked repeatedly for INP to address. So, this last March we held “Housing Strategies for the Inland Northwest” at Templins Red Lion in late March. With a variety of speakers from around our region sharing examples and visions of what attainable housing looks like within northern Idaho and eastern Washington.

We had approximately 75 attendees and our survey results rated it a 4.73 out of 5.

Attendees were impressed with the knowledge and expertise of the speakers, as well as the opportunity to connect with others who share a passion for affordable housing. The event sparked important conversations and inspired attendees to take action in their own communities.



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COMMUNITY

Summer

Doug Griffiths is a well-known speaker in our area as he has assisted communities throughout our region over the past five to 10 years. In June we brought him to Spokane Valley's CenterPlace Event Center to share his wit and wisdom in making a difference for our communities -- regardless of size. The more than 100 attendees rated the event 4.85 out of 5 on the survey.

Doug's experience in community development and his passion for helping communities thrive has made him a sought-after speaker. During his presentations, he shared valuable insights on how to take control of the future of our communities. He stressed the importance of community members coming together to identify the strengths and weaknesses of their community and working together to address any issues that arise.

A big thank you to our headline sponsor Idaho Central Credit Union, Innovia Foundation for sponsoring a copy of Doug's book, "Thirteen Ways to Kill Your Community" to each participant and the City of Spokane Valley for providing the incredible venue.

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Fall



ECONOMIC FORECAST

Our annual fall economic forecast was again a success. This year it was held at the delightful Coeur d'Alene Resort. Our survey results rated the event a 4.76 out of 5 from our 70 participants.

A big thank you to our headline sponsor Spokane International Airport.

Avista Corporation's new President & COO Heather Rosentrater shared what the future of energy looks like for our region.

Our trio of economists -- Sam Wolkenhauer, Dr. Grant Forsyth and John W. Mitchell shared local, regional and national statistics and trends with attendees providing perspective on what we are experiencing in today's economy and what we might expect moving forward.



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