

**Charter Township of Grand Blanc
Technology Village Area Plan – Symposium
November 7, 2007 from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm**

**Genesys Conference and Banquet Center
805 Health Park Boulevard, Grand Blanc, Michigan 48439
Maple Room**

Agenda

1. **Welcome and Introduction** - Jeffrey Zittel, Township Supervisor and Keith Edwards, Community Development Director, The Charter Township of Grand Blanc.
2. **The Diagnostic Picture of the Great Lakes Region** - John C. Austin, Senior Fellow, Brookings Institution.
3. **The Knowledge Economy Report** - Faron Supanich-Goldner – Michigan State University, Center for Community and Economic Development.
4. **Emerging Business Sectors** - Maureen Donohue Krauss, Deputy Director, Oakland County Department of Economic Development & Community Affairs.
5. **Attracting National and International Business to Southeastern Michigan** - Thomas Anderson, Ph. D, MBA, Senior Director, Automation Alley.
6. **Economic Development in Genesee County** - Edward Donovan, Genesee Regional Chamber of Commerce.
7. **The Grand Blanc Township Technology Village Area Plan** - Rodney Arroyo, Vice President, Birchler Arroyo Associates, Inc.
8. **The Future of Health Care** - Michael H. James, J.D., President, Genesys Ambulatory Health Network.
9. **The Genesys Learning Institute** - Norma Hagenow, RN, MBA, Chief Learning Officer, President Emeritus, Genesys Health System.
10. **Intermodal Transportation Center** - James Rice, Airport Director, Bishop International Airport Authority.
11. **Introducing Hybrids - Cleaner Air, Brighter Future** - Robert Foy, General Manager, Mass Transportation Authority, Flint, Michigan.
12. **Conclusion**