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NAPM-SEVA February Meeting **SPECIAL EVENT!**

Dr. Vinod Agarwal, of ODU's Department of Economics will present the:

Hampton Roads 2010 Economic Forecast

The ODU Economic Forecast is the most respected evaluation of the predicted economic situation of the Hampton Roads MSA. It was just published in January 2010 so we are fortunate to be one of the first events to host this review. This forecast is used by companies throughout the World to assess the strength and opportunities in our local economy.

Because of this special Event, NAPM-SEVA is encouraging all members to invite their management and financial executives to experience this presentation. As further enticement, they will be able to attend at the same price as members.

We also extend this member rate to our friends in the **NCMA** and hope they will also be able to attend this special event.

WHERE: Westin Virginia Beach Town Center,
4535 Commerce St., Virginia Beach, VA

WHEN: Thursday, February 25, 2010

6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. – Registration

6:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. – Dinner

7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. – Speaker's Presentation

**To Register: E-mail Debbie Stewart - dstewart75@cox.net
(Confirmation will be returned via e-mail)**

\$20.00/person – Reserve by 2:00 pm, Monday, February 22

\$25.00/person – cash, check or charge at the door

Westin's Chef Scott will be preparing a special meal for this event:

Caesar Salad with Parmesan cheese and roasted Red Peppers
Sliced Ciabatta Bread and Butter
Breast of Chicken topped with a creamy Shrimp Sauce (white wine, shallots, garlic and chopped shrimp)
Westin Wild Rice
Fresh Vegetables
Cheesecake Parfait
Starbucks Coffee and Tazo Teas

Hope to see all of you there!

Check out the website for speakers and vendor information for this event, or see attached document.

www.napmseva.org

Bio:

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Dr. Vinod Agarwal, Professor of Economics earned his doctoral degree from the University of California at Santa Barbara. He currently serves as a member of the Governor's Advisory Board of Economists and as a member of the Virginia College Building Authority for the Commonwealth of Virginia. Professor Agarwal was the Chairman of the Old Dominion University economics department from 2001 to 2006.

His research interests are in the area of applied economics. His articles have appeared in various journals such as Cornell Hotel and Restaurant Quarterly, Journal of Travel Research, Economic Development and Cultural Change, Eastern Economic Journal, Economics of Education Review, Growth and Change, Journal of the American Real Estate and Urban Economic Association, Social Science Quarterly and Southern Economic Journal. He is author or co-author of more than 60 professional journal publications and research monographs. In addition to citations in professional publications, Professor Agarwal's work has also been cited in more than 130 newspapers, magazine and wire reports throughout the U.S., including the Dow Jones newswire, Associated Press and USA Today.

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