

**Building Biomass Value Chains  
Workshop Agenda  
February 23, 2017  
Kenora, Ontario**

<b>8:30 am</b>	<b>Registration and Refreshments</b>
<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>Opening Remarks</b> Francis Gallo, Biomass North Development Centre Mayor David Canfield, City of Kenora Chief Chris Skead, Wauzhushk Onigum Nation
<b>9:30 am</b>	<b>Biomass North: Building our Bioeconomy</b> Dawn Lambe, Biomass North Development Centre <b>Northern Ontario Bioeconomy Strategy – Time for Action!</b> Francis Gallo, Biomass North Development Centre <b>Northern Ontario Heritage Fund Corporation (NOHFC) Programs</b> Andrea Lundy, Ministry of Northern Development & Mines
<b>10:30 am</b>	<b>Morning Break</b>
<b>10:50 am</b>	<b>Long-Term Biomass Yield Responses Influenced by Energy Crop Species</b> Dr. Naresh Thevathasan, University of Guelph Dr. Muhammad Waseem Ashiq, University of Guelph <b>Community and Residential Scale Bioheat Successes</b> Andreas Wintzer, Viessmann Manufacturing Company Inc
<b>12:00 pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>1:00 pm</b>	<b>How to Access Available Crown Forest Resources in Ontario</b> Mike Davis, Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry <b>Towards Healthier Communities</b> Michael Appleby, RediCan Biofuels Michael Rich, RediCan Biofuels <b>Extreme-Weather Greenhouse &amp; HTC Fuel Processing Facilities</b> Jim Gallant, REMASCO
<b>2:30 pm</b>	<b>Workshop Exercise – Qualifying Biomass Opportunities</b>
<b>3:00 pm</b>	<b>Closing Remarks</b>
<b>3-3:30 pm</b>	<b>Ad Hoc Meetings</b>

**Partners and Collaborators:**

