

AGENDA

NW OHIO GREENHOUSE CLUSTER MEETING

April 14, 2005

4:00 PM – 5:30 PM

Stables Room (TBG)

Members of Advisory Group

Dick Bostdorff
Michael Carroll
Steve Carver
Bill Dearing
Mary Donnell
Mark Hecklinger
Tony Keil
Charles Krause
Walt Kruger
Claudio Pasian
Joe Perlaky
Lindsay Potts
Neil Reid
Alan Schmidt
Lee Springer
Tom Wardell

- Champion Report
- Cluster Report/Update
- Projects Scheduling
 - Marketing/Branding: Consulting Firm Selection
 - Utility Costs: Guest Presentations
- Other Reports

The next meeting is scheduled for **Thursday, June 9**
8:00 a.m. at TBG (Stables Room)

In 2004, the University of Toledo and Bowling Green State University conducted a Cluster Study as it pertains to various industries in NW Ohio including Specialized Agriculture. By definition, "*clustering is a strategy by which greenhouse growers in NW Ohio identify areas where they can cooperate with each other to mutual benefit*". The grant funded study supports leaders in the greenhouse industry and encourages members to share their activities & accomplishments with other clusters outside their immediate network.