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## **02-27-2013 - Upcoming NAIOP Events:**

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February 27:

Checking In or Out?

Travel and tourism in and around Boston are on the rise, the local economy is in recovery, and the pipeline of new hotel development is heating up. The Massachusetts Convention Center Authority (MCCA) is actively promoting new hotel construction in the Seaport and beyond, which will support Boston's convention business. While the hotel market in Boston is strengthening, it remains a challenge to successfully finance and execute new hotel development. Learn how development is getting done from a panel of hotel experts.

March 5:

Boston's South End: Whats New and Whats Next?

Major transformations are down the road for Boston's South End. Say goodbye to landmarks like the former Boston Herald building, and hello to apartments, retail shops, restaurants and even a state-of-the-art parking facility! A representative from the BRA will share the city's vision for the South End neighborhood and provide an overview of existing and proposed developments. Executives from National Development and Normandy will then share their plans for some of the largest and most active developments.

March 19:

NAIOP @ Night

Don't miss this fun evening of networking at GEM Restaurant and Lounge! Located in Boston's Financial District, this new, hot night spot is fashioned after Montreal supper clubs, London's exclusive pubs and New York's meat packing district. Reserve your spot early, this popular networking event usually sells out.

March 26:

Building Up Downtown Crossing

After many delays and false starts, Downtown Crossing is poised to be transformed into a 24/7 mixed-use neighborhood. Following a successful educational community expansion, construction of new residential towers and the opening of several unique retail concepts are now underway along Washington St. New ownership is breathing life into the Filene's development, and the city's

Business Improvement District is taking initiatives to enhance the overall image of the area. Hear from panelists who are responsible for planning, developing and transforming this city center.

## Save the Date

April 10: Community Connect

Join AAREP, CoreNet, NAIOP, NEWiRE, SMPS and ULI for an industry-wide day of service at the Giving Factory to support Cradles to Crayons followed by drinks, appetizers and networking.

May 1: NAIOP Bus Tour

Don't miss this fast-paced and informative live market update bus tour in the active 128 corridor, including Chestnut Hill, Needham, Burlington, Waltham and Lynnfield.

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