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Guest Speaker:



Jim Erb,
Chairman of *Citizens for Better Government*
Partner of Erb & Good Family Funeral Home

Jim Erb has been making headlines recently as a spokesperson for the community group called *Citizens for Better Government*. This group is trying to promote discussion in the community around dissolving the eight municipalities of Waterloo Region to form a new form of local governance. "We want this to be a civilized public discussion with community members and try to keep the politicians out of it so that the peoples' voices are heard," said Erb.

Jim is known for his commitment to serving Waterloo as city councillor from 1980 – 1988. He has given generously of his time and money to his community. He was actively involved in the Big Brothers Association for many years and is currently a strong supporter of the United Way of K-W and RAISE Home Support for the Elderly. Jim has served on the board of directors of Kitchener-Waterloo Community Foundation and was a founding member of the Canadian Clay and Glass Gallery.

Aside from his community involvement, Jim has been co-owner and partner of the Edward R. Good Funeral Home for the past 30 years. He was raised in Wellesley where his parents, Irene and Albert Erb, owned and operated Erb Farm Supply. He attended public school in Wellesley, high school in Elmira and graduated from the Canadian School of Embalming in Toronto in 1968, after which he joined the Edward R. Good Funeral Home and slowly worked his way up.

Jim enjoys skiing, tennis, backpacking and spending time at his family cottage along with his wife Marianne, their three sons and spouses, their four wonderful grandchildren and a dog. He is a self-confessed newspaper and political junkie.

Thursday, October 18, 2007

Registration: 11:30 am – 12:00 pm

Luncheon: 12:00 – 1:30 pm

Delta Hotel, Kitchener Room
King St. E., at Benton St, Kitchener, ON

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