



**The Institute for Advanced Learning and Research
150 Slayton Avenue, Danville, Virginia**

Tuesday, June 5, 2018

Agenda

9:00 – 9:30 am - Registration and Networking

9:30 – 9:45 am - Welcome to Danville and The Institute for Advanced Learning and Research

- Linda Hutson Green, Executive Director of Economic Development, Southern Virginia Regional Alliance, VEDA Summer Membership Meeting Co-Chair
- Telly Tucker, Director of Economic Development, City of Danville, VEDA Summer Membership Meeting Co-Chair

9:45 – 10:45 am - Session I: *Leadership Commitment to Regional Change*

Facilitator: Matt Rowe, Economic Development Director, Pittsylvania County; SVRA Board Member

Speakers:

- Rick Barker, Future of the Piedmont; River District Developer; President & CEO, Supply Resources, Inc.
- Tim Clark, Future of the Piedmont; GO Virginia Region 3 Board; President, Blair Construction
- Karl Stauber, President & CEO, Danville Regional Foundation; GO Virginia Region 3 Council; GO Virginia Working Group

10:45 – 11:00 am - Break

11:00 – 12:00 pm - Session II: *Revitalization of Workforce and Quality of Life*

Facilitator: Telly Tucker, Director of Economic Development, City of Danville; SVRA Board Vice-Chair

Speakers:

- Dr. Mark Jones, Superintendent, Pittsylvania County Public Schools
- Dr. Stanley Jones, Superintendent, Danville Public Schools
- Corrie Teague Bobe, Assistant Director of Economic Development, City of Danville; Director, River District Revitalization
- Eva Doss, President & CEO, The Launch Place

12:00 – 12:45 pm - Lunch

12:45 – 1:45 pm - Session III: *Navigating Change through Intentional Leadership*

Facilitator: Kenneth McFadyen, Director of Economic Development, Botetourt County; VEDA President

Speaker: Ted Abernathy, Managing Partner, Economic Leadership, LLC

1:45 pm - Announcements and Adjournment