



ALABAMA PRO-GROWTH POLICY CONFERENCE

June 20-21, 2019 | Auburn Marriott Opelika at Grand National

COMMON GROUND FOR THE COMMON GOOD

THURSDAY JUNE 20

10 AM

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION OPENS

1 PM

OPENING SESSION (*Grand National CDE*)

Welcome and Opening Remarks

Honorable Pebblin Warren – Alabama House of Representatives, District 82

Honorable Bobby Singleton – Senate Minority Leader, Alabama Senate, District 24

Honorable Anthony Daniels – House Minority Leader, Alabama House of Representatives, District 53

PANEL: ENSURING ACCESS TO CUTTING-EDGE HEALTH CARE

Tammy Boyd - Chief Policy Officer, Black Women's Health Imperative

Dr. William Golden - OBGYN and Chief Medical Officer at EAMC

Danne Howard - Executive Director, Alabama Hospital Association

Robyn Hyden - Executive Director, Alabama Arise

Dr. Richard Powers - Adjunct Professor of Pathology & Neurology, UAB School of Medicine

PANEL: VIABLE SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES | RURAL BROADBAND *Sponsored by: Rivers Edge*

Michelle Roth - Executive Director, Alabama Cable and Broadband Association

Robert Smith - Sr. Manager of Government Affairs, Charter Communications

Cleo Washington - Chief of Legislative Affairs, AT&T

TOWN HALL: HOT TOPICS - PRE-K, IMMIGRATION, MARIJUANA

Dr. Barbara Cooper - Director of School Readiness, Early Childhood Education

Carla Crowder - Executive Director, Alabama Appleseed

Yalitza LaFontaine - Program Director/Coordinator, AshaKiran

Moderator: Dillon Nettles - Policy Analyst, ACLU

5:30 PM

OPENING RECEPTION (*Camellia Room*)

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FRIDAY JUNE 21

- 7:30 AM CONFERENCE REGISTRATION OPENS
- 8:30 AM PANEL: ADVANCING EDUCATION & ALABAMA'S ECONOMIC OUTLOOK (Grand National CDE)
Jimmy Baker - Chancellor, Alabama Community College System
Yvette Clayton - Director of Career Services, Alabama A&M University
Kelly Morgan - Chief Operating Officer, Grandview Financial
Dr. Quinton Ross - President, Alabama State University
- PRESENTATION: ALABAMA PRIORITIES - THE CRITICAL ISSUES
Ryan Hankins - Executive Director, Public Affairs Research Council of Alabama (PARCA)
- PRESENTATION: AFFORDABLE HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES
Rachel Ogden - Program Associate, Collaborative Solutions, Inc
- 12:00 PM LUNCH KEYNOTE: SICKLE CELL DISEASE **Sponsored by: Novartis**
Dr. Julie Kanter - Director, Adult Sickle Cell Clinic; Co-Director, Comprehensive Sickle Cell Research Center, University of Alabama Health System
- FORUM: RESPONSIBLE RESTORATION - THE TRANSFORMATION OF SECOND CHANCES
Annette Funderburk - President, Ingram State Technical College
Jenny Kim - Deputy General Counsel & VP of Public Policy, Koch Companies Public Sector
John Koufos - Executive Director, Safe Streets & Second Chances Initiative, National Director, Texas Public Policy Foundation Right on Crime Reentry Initiative
Teisha Sanders - FSU, Institute for Justice Research & Development
- CLOSING SESSION (Grand National CDE)

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