



ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SUMMIT #2

July 18, 2017 - 2:30 PM
UVA Research Park, Town Center Two
1001 Research Boulevard, 4th Floor
Charlottesville, VA

Attendees: See attached list of attendees.

I. **Welcome & Introductions**

Brian Cole, Chair, opened the meeting at 2:30 by thanking everyone for coming.

II. **Growth & Diversification Plan**

Andrew Crecelius presented an overview of GO Virginia and initial findings from Camoin Associates' Economic Base Analysis of the region.

III. **Facilitated Discussion I**

Attendees divided into small groups to discuss the following:

- What assets/strengths/advantages does this region have?
- What weaknesses/challenges to growth do your communities face?
- What opportunities are out there for the region?
- What might stop/slow progress toward these opportunities?
- If you were to pick a top five for each, which would they be?

IV. **Facilitated Discussion II**

Small groups were combined with another nearby small group to form a medium-sized group and discussed the following:

- What do your top five have in common? Find similarities and combine to make a new top three.
- In those similarities, can we also see common community values? Top three?
- What in the region needs to be preserved? Changed? Top three things that would make the region better?

V. **Facilitated Discussion III**

All groups joined together as one large group and discussed:

- Top three from each group
- How might we further combine these into one cohesive statement that represents our collective thoughts and values?
- Where do our communities want to go as a region?

VI. **Conclusion**

A draft community statement was developed. Mr. Crecelius shared that today's work will help guide the planning process and explained that the team will conduct many one-on-one interviews and focus groups during the remainder of this week. A draft plan should be presented at the Council meeting on August 15 at 2:30 PM (Germanna's Daniel Technology Center in Culpeper, Virginia).

VII. **Adjourn**

The Summit adjourned at 4:30 PM.

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1	Aitken	Naomi	Department of Aging & Rehabilitation Services
2	Boyles	Chip	Thomas Jefferson Planning District Commission
3	Brooks	Suzanne	Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co.
4	Cardwell	Rebecca	UVA Community Credit Union
5	Cheng	Jim	CAV Angels
6	Click	Tom	Patriot Aluminum
7	Cole	Brian	LexisNexis
8	Dill	The Hon. Norman	Albemarle County
9	Dunstan	Ethan	UVA Community Credit Union
10	Engel	Chris	City of Charlottesville
11	Euler	Alex	Center for Innovative Technology
12	Friedman	Frank	Piedmont Virginia Community College
13	Gamma	Diana	Greene County
14	Gardner	Tracey	Madison County
15	Goodwin	Christian	Louisa County
16	Hoge	Betty	SBDC
17	Johnson	Elizabeth	Social Enterprise Incubator of Charlottesville
18	Kay	Mary Jo	UVA Community Credit Union
19	Kluge	John	
20	Krueger	Sharon	University of Virginia
21	LeFeuvre	Gary	NEST Furnished Living Solutions
22	Mallek	The Hon. Ann	Albemarle County
23	Middleditch	Leigh	McGuireWoods
24	Monroe	Kaye	Vocational Placement Counselor
25	Montague	Percy	Montague, Miller & Co.
26	Pettit	David	Lenhart Pettit
27	Sheehy	Colette	University of Virginia
28	Shreve	Dave	Albemarle County EDA
29	Sindy	Dick	Virginia Employment Commission
30	Sisson-Vaughan	Mary Jo	VA Small Business Finance Authority
31	Smith	Jason	Fluvanna County
32	Smith	Elizabeth	Afton Mountain Vineyards
33	Stapleton	Mark	Three Pines, LLC
34	Stopha	Joel	VEDP
35	Wade	Andy	Louisa County Economic Development & Tourism
36	Walker	Doug	Albemarle County
37	Wilson	Sam	Rappahannock Electric Cooperative
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