

## **NWCCOG Regional Economic Summit**

Thursday, May 1, 2025 8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Silverthorne Pavilion – 400 Blue River Parkway, Silverthorne, CO

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| AGENDA (as of 3.17.25) |   |
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| 8:30 – 9:00 a.m.       | Registration and Coffee $E \square A$   |
| 9:00 – 9:30 a.m.       | <b>Opening Comments &amp; Welcome</b><br>Presenters:<br>• Jon Stavney, Executive Director, NWCCOG<br>• Patti Clapper, Pitkin County Commissioner, NWCCOG EDD Board Chair<br>• Angela Belden Martinez, Regional Director, EDA Denver Regional Office<br>• Trent Thompson, Econ Development Rep, EDA Denver Regional Office |
| 9:30 – 10:30 a.m.      | <ul> <li>Demographic &amp; Economic Overview: NWCCOG Region, State, &amp; U.S.</li> <li>Presenter:</li> <li>Greg Totten, Economist, State Demography Office, Colorado Department of Local Affairs</li> </ul>  |
| 10:30 - 10:45 a.m.     | Networking Break  |
| 10:45 – 11:30 a.m.     | <ul> <li>Childcare Solutions in the Region Presenters: <ul> <li>Nina Waters, Commissioner, Summit County (Moderator)</li> <li>Catherine Schaaf, Executive Director, Early Childhood Options in Summit County</li> <li>Katy Hale, Executive Director, Grand Beginnings in Grand County</li> </ul></li></ul>                |
| 11:30 – 12:15 p.m.     | <ul> <li>Workforce Housing Solutions in the Region</li> <li>Presenters:</li> <li>Welcome from Colorado Housing &amp; Finance Authority (CHFA)</li> <li>Jason Dietz, Housing Director, Town of Vail</li> <li>Regional Approach to Workforce Housing (speaker TBD)</li> </ul>   |
| 12:15 – 1:00 p.m.      | Lunch<br>Provided by Enza's Delicatessen & Market   |
| 1:00 – 2:00 p.m.       | <ul> <li>Tourism: Value of Tourism, Mountain Destination Travel Trends</li> <li>Presenters: <ul> <li>Lucy Kay, President &amp; CEO, Breckenridge Tourism Office</li> <li>Jill Corbin, Deputy Director of Destination Stewardship, Colorado Tourism Office</li> </ul> </li> </ul>  |
| 2:00 – 2:30 p.m.       | <ul> <li>Economic Planning in Uncertain Times</li> <li>Speakers TBD</li> </ul>  |
| 2:30 – 3:00 p.m.       | <ul> <li>Anita Cameron, Northwest Loan Fund</li> <li>NLF Presentation</li> <li>Raffle! Gift bags with NLF client products</li> </ul>  |

3:00 p.m. Closing Remarks