

# **GEDA IDA Executives Summit**

Building I, Central Georgia Technical College, 3300 Macon Tech Dr, Macon, GA 31206

## **Agenda**

(subject to change)

- 9:00 Welcome, Introductions, and Sponsor Recognition  
Grant Cagle, Executive Director, Georgia Economic Developers Association  
Grant Buckley, Chair, GEDA IDA Executives Committee  
President Ivan Allen, Central Georgia Technical College  
President Pro Tem John F. Kennedy, Georgia State Senate
- 9:30 Tools of the Trade, Grant Buckley
- 9:45 Georgia Dept. of Community Affairs Update
- 10:15 Consultant Conversation:  
Mr. Stuart Pendley, CBRE, Atlanta, Ga.  
Mr. Greg Haynes, Esq., CBRE, Atlanta, Ga.
- 10:45 Policy Update: Incentives, Board Issues, Etc., Kevin Brown, Seyfarth Shaw.
- 11:30 Georgia Data Center Realities (Views from the Battle Front):  
Mr. Andy Camp, Thomas and Hutton  
Mr. Chris Hewitt, Manager, Crisp County Power Commission  
Mr. Grant Buckley, Moderator
- 12:15 Lunch
- 1:00 War Stories Exchange (Breakouts):  
1. Organizational:  
a. Board members  
b. Job stability  
c. Budgets  
2. Sites:  
a. Prospect visits  
b. Utility, Geotech, environmental issues  
3. Social Media and Marketing  
a. Keeping it between the ditches: setting parameters/limits  
b. Projects/discussions gone off the rails
- 2:00 Georgia Dept. of Economic Development Update, Dep. Commissioner Misty Martin
- 2:30 Conclude