

**Day 1: Tuesday, December 9th**

8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

9:00 AM – 9:30 AM

**Breakfast provided by hotel**

**ARC Presentation**

Jennifer Neely, Program Analyst  
Appalachian Regional Commission

9:30 AM – 10:30 PM

**Collaborative Partnerships to Foster RLF Success**

Mindy Tramel, Business Lending Manager  
Upper Cumberland Development District

10:30 AM – 10:45 AM

10:45 AM – 12:00 PM

**Break**

**Portfolio Management**

Bob Isaacson, Senior Vice President  
Center For Regional Economic Competitiveness

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM

**Lunch**

12:45 PM – 1:45 PM

**EDA Audit and Monitoring**

Laurin Yoder, Senior Project Manager  
Georgia Mountains Regional Commission

1:45 PM – 1:50 PM

1:50 PM – 2:50 PM

**Break**

**RLF Defederalization**

Randy Imler, Executive Director  
Catawba Regional Council of Governments

2:50 PM – 3:00 PM

3:00 PM – 4:00 PM

**Break**

**Managing in Uncertain Times**

Mary Louk, Director of Credit  
Grow America

5:00 PM – Onward

**Dine Arounds**

5:30 PM Urban Bar & Kitchen - 2321 University Blvd,  
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401 (3 min walk)  
6 seats available (first come, first serve)

5:45 PM Sugo Italian - 2218 University Blvd Unit A,  
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401 (4 min walk)  
6 seats available (first come, first serve)

6:00 PM Half Shell Oyster House - 2325 University Blvd,  
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401 (2 min walk)  
6 seats available (first come, first serve)



## DDAA RLF Peer Meeting Agenda

December 9<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup>

Embassy Suites by Hilton Tuscaloosa

2410 University Boulevard Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35401 USA

### Day 2: Wednesday, December 10th

8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

**Breakfast provided by hotel**

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

**Tour: Synergic Center**

“An innovative co-working and training environment that focuses on developing next era talent in Tuscaloosa County and beyond.”

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