



March 23, 2020

## **Business Resource Virtual Town Hall Today 1 p.m.**

### **Opportunities for Business Owners TODAY & TOMORROW**

The Asheville Area Chamber of Commerce and Economic Development Coalition for Asheville-Buncombe County are hosting a series of Virtual Town Halls to get timely information to the business community during this Covid-19 crisis.

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**TODAY, March 23, 1 - 2 p.m.**

**Topic: Employment Considerations in the COVID-19 crisis**

**Panelists:**

- Nathan Ramsey, Executive Director of the Mountain Area Workforce Development Board and Land of Sky Regional Council
- Rodney Embler, Executive Director of NCWORKS Asheville
- Timothy Love, Emergency Operations Center for Buncombe County
- Jackie Grant, Partner with Roberts and Stevens

**More Info & Instructions to Participate:**

- <https://web.ashevillechamber.org/events/Virtual-Town-Hall-Employment-Considerations-in-the-COVID19-Crisis-6940/details>
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**TUESDAY, March 24, 3 – 4 p.m.**

**Topic: Business Continuity & Lending in the COVID-19 Crisis**

**Panelists:**

- Sandra Dennison, Regional Center Director, Small Business & Technology Development Center, WCU
- Sharon Oxendine, Director, Western Women's Business Center
- Matthew Raker, Executive Director, Mountain BizWorks
- Joe Ward, Regional Executive, First Bank

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- <https://web.ashevillechamber.org/events/Virtual-Town-Hall-Business-Continuity-and-Lending-in-the-COVID19-Crisis-6941/details>

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## Can't Join? Info on Recordings

The Zoom calls will accommodate the first 500 callers and allow for real time written questions. If you're unable to join, the recorded call will then be posted on the Chamber's business resources page:

<https://www.ashevillechamber.org/chamber/coronavirus-resource-guide/>

Explore Asheville is also aggregating information for tourism partners on this page and will also provide the links:

<https://www.ashevillecvb.com/coronavirus-update-resources/>



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