

# ALLIANCE FOR REGIONAL LEADERSHIP

LEADERSHIP FORUM • MAY 2000

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## LEADERSHIP FORUM AGENDA

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### Thursday, May 4

3:00–4:00 pm  
**Superior/Huron**

#### **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS**

Welcome and Purpose of the Alliance

*Host: Nick Bollman, President, The California Center for Regional Leadership*

4:00–4:30 pm  
**Superior/Huron**

#### **WHAT WE LEARNED FROM THE NATIONAL SCAN**

A Framework for Regional Leadership

*Leader: Doug Henton, President, Collaborative Economics*

4:30–5:30 pm  
**Superior/Huron**

#### **CONNECTING THE DOTS**

Learning from Chicago Metropolis 2020: Three Key Lessons, Three Key Challenges, Advice from Alliance Members

*Leaders: Frank Beal, Executive Vice President, Chicago Metropolis 2020  
George Ranney, President, Chicago Metropolis 2020  
Brian Kelley, Senior Program Officer and Director, The Heinz Endowments*

5:30–6:00 pm

#### **ON YOUR OWN**

6:00–7:00 pm  
**Gazebo**

#### **MEETING EACH OTHER: WELCOME RECEPTION**

7:00 pm  
**Michigan**

#### **GROUP DINNER**

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### Friday, May 5

7:00–8:00 am  
**Erie/Ontario**                      *CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST*

8:00–8:15 am  
**Superior/Huron**                      *WELCOME*  
Overview of The Alliance for Regional Leadership program to support collaborative regional initiatives and key issues to regional vitality

*Leader: Doug Henton, President, Collaborative Economics*

8:15–9:30 am  
**Superior/Huron**                      *NEW SOURCES OF REGIONAL LEADERSHIP*  
Learning from Austin: Three Key Lessons, Three Key Challenges, Advice from Alliance Members

*Leaders: Pike Powers, Attorney at Law, Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P.  
Rod Petrey, Council, Holland & Knight Law Offices*

9:30–10:45 am  
**Superior/Huron**                      *ORGANIZING CIVIC LEADERSHIP TEAMS*  
Learning from Central Carolina Choices: Three Key Lessons, Three Key Challenges, Advice from Alliance Members

*Leaders: Betty Chafin Rash, Executive Director, Central Carolina Choices  
George Vradenburg, Senior Vice President & General Counsel, America OnLine*

10:45–11:00 am  
**Outside Superior**                      *BREAK*

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- 11:00 am–12:15 pm  
**Superior/Huron**
- INNOVATION DIALOGUES: AN INTERACTIVE ROUNDTABLE***  
Each region presents an innovation  
Each region poses a question to other regions
- Leader: Doug Henton, President, Collaborative Economics*
- 12:15–1:15 pm  
**Michigan**
- LUNCH PRESENTATION: TOWARD REGIONAL STEWARDSHIP/  
LESSONS FROM THE SILICON VALLEY***
- Presenter: Becky Morgan, President, The Morgan Foundation*
- 1:30–2:30 pm  
**Superior/Huron**
- TELLING OUR REGIONAL STORIES***  
“Media and Regions” Roundtables  
Regional “Beat” News Service
- Leaders: John Parr, Principal, Center for Regional and Neighborhood  
Action*  
*Curtis Johnson, President, The Citistates Group*  
*Doug Henton, President, Collaborative Economics*
- 2:30–2:45 pm  
**Outside Superior**
- BREAK***
- 2:45–3:30 pm  
**Superior/Huron**
- PATHWAYS TO REGIONAL LEADERSHIP***  
Learning from Pilot Projects  
Environmental Careers Organization (ECO) Fellows
- 3:30–4:30 pm  
**Superior/Huron**
- BUILDING THE ALLIANCE***  
Connecting to National Efforts  
Topics for Next Innovation Scans  
Future Leadership Forums
- Leaders: Rebecca Riley, Vice-President for Civic Affairs, MacArthur  
Foundation*  
*David Crockett, President, Chattanooga Institute*  
*Doug Henton, President, Collaborative Economics*

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**Superior/Huron**

***WRAP UP***

*Leader: Nick Bollman, President, The California Center for Regional Leadership*

5:00 pm

***ADJOURN***

5:00–6:00 pm  
**Gazebo**

***FAREWELL RECEPTION***