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# Finance Forum

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**Wednesday, January 4, 2017**  
**OMNI Richmond**  
**100 S. 12th Street**

## Agenda

- 10 – 10:10 a.m.      **Welcome and introductory remarks**
- 10:10 – 11:10 a.m.      **Overview of Governor McAuliffe’s Budget Proposal and Priorities**  
Betsy Daley – Staff Director, Senate Finance Committee
- 11:10 – 11:25 a.m.      **Break**
- 11:25 a.m. - 12:20 p.m.      **Impact of the Governor’s Budget Proposal on Local Budgets**  
Jim Regimbal – President, Fiscal Analytics
- 12:20 – 1:10 p.m.      **Lunch**
- 1:15 – 2:00 p.m.      **Economic and Job Growth in Virginia**  
Ann Battle Macheras – Vice President of the Regional Economics Division,  
Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 2 – 2:15 p.m.      **Break**
- 2:15 – 3:15 p.m.      **Econ Development/Business Incubators**  
Tim Ryan – Greater Williamsburg Business Incubator (Launchpad)  
Amanda Jarratt – Franklin-Southampton Economic Development, Inc.
- 3:15 – 3:30 p.m.      **Communications Strategies during the Legislative Session**  
Gage Harter – Director of Communications, VACo and  
Nancy Chafin – Communications Specialist, VML
- 3:30 p.m.      **Wrap up and adjournment**