

SOUTHEAST MINNESOTA STATE OF THE WORKFORCE FORUM

Join business and community leaders, along with our elected officials in a Forum to help understand and develop our regional workforce.

We are in the midst of a very dynamic and transformational economy. New processes and skill demands are being created everyday—this at a time when we are experiencing full employment. What are some of the ways we can meet the workforce challenges in our region?

Come join the Forum, and let's learn together!

Schedule for the Day:

- 11:45am - LUNCH**
- 12:20pm - Keynote Speaker**
 - **Ron Wirtz, Regional Economic Activity Update**
- 1:20pm - Roundtable Discussions, Current Career Pathways Initiatives**

Keynote Speaker:

Ron Wirtz

Regional Outreach Director, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis

Ron's primary responsibilities involve tracking current business conditions, with a focus on employment and wages, along with sector-tracking in construction, real estate, consumer spending and tourism. In this role, Ron networks with local businesses in a six-state region, both in person and via various communication channels, and gathers other traditional and nontraditional sources of information to assess current business activity.



FRIDAY, JANUARY 11, 2019

11:45AM—3:00PM

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