

2021 Summer Refresh

The Park Event Center + Virtual
500 Division Street | Waite Park, MN 56387

Wednesday, May 26, 2021

(Optional)

- 2:00 p.m. **Chamber Federation Partners Meeting**
- 5:00 p.m. **Adjourn**
- 7:00 p.m. **Dutch Treat Dinner (Federation Partners and Summer Refresh attendees)**
Mavericks Steak and Cocktails (as part of The Park Event Center)

Thursday, May 27, 2021

- 8:00 a.m. **MCCE Board of Directors Meeting – Glacier Room**
- 8:30 a.m. **Registration Open - Foyer**
- 9:00 a.m. **Welcome and Introductions**
Teresa Bohnen, IOM, President, St. Cloud Area Chamber of Commerce
Barry Wilfahrt, Chair, MCCE; President/CEO, The Chamber Grand Forks East Grand Forks
- 9:45 a.m. **5 Voices, GiANT Worldwide**
Jeff Meacham, President, ForwardByChoice
The 5 Voices is designed to help every individual discover their leadership voice and be empowered to use it effectively.
- 12:00 p.m. **Lunch**
- 12:45 p.m. **Legislative Wrap-Up and Election Season Preview**
Doug Loon, President, Minnesota Chamber of Commerce
- 1:15 p.m. **Membership Strategies: The Good, The Bad, The Ugly**
Facilitator: Barry Wilfahrt
Brad Fischer, Membership Director, Owatonna Area Chamber of Commerce and Tourism
Antoinette Valenzuela, Membership Specialist, St. Cloud Area Chamber of Commerce
Amanda Grossell, Membership Development and Programs Manager, Winona Area Chamber of Commerce
- 2:15 p.m. **Break**
- 2:30 p.m. **Pandemic - One year later: What's the one thing you realized you could live without?**
Facilitator: Brad Gruhot, President, Marshall Area Chamber of Commerce
- 3:00 p.m. **How to make sure Monday morning doesn't suck!**
Eric Harkins, President, GKG Search & Consulting
- 4:00 p.m. **Adjourn**