

## Leadership Asheville 27 Program

**Meeting Date: January 21, 2009**

**Meeting Location: Doubletree Biltmore, Ballroom, 828-771-2275**

**Website of the Month: The Community Toolbox (<http://ctb.ku.edu/>)**

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*Where, after all, do universal human rights begin? In small places, close to home – so close and so small that they cannot be seen on any map of the world. Yet they are the world of the individual person: the neighborhoods they live in; the schools or colleges they attend; the factories, farms, or offices where they work. Without concerted citizen action to uphold them close to home, we shall look in vain for progress in the larger world.*

~ Eleanor Roosevelt (1884-1962)

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- 8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast
- 8:20 a.m. Welcome  
*Angela Nixon, Leadership Asheville*
- 8:30 a.m. The Changing Face of K-12 Education  
*Allen Johnson, Superintendent  
Asheville City Schools*
- 9:30 a.m. Break
- 9:40 a.m. From Group to Team: Strategies for Success  
*Carol Rovello, President  
Strategic Workplace Solutions  
Member of LA's Program Advisory Council*
- 11:00 a.m. Break
- 11:10 a.m. Economic Impacts of Recreation and Tourism  
*Kelly Miller (LA 26), Senior Vice President & Executive Director  
Asheville Convention & Visitors Bureau  
Asheville Area Chamber of Commerce*
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch - LLT Meetings
- 1:00 p.m. Leadership Learning Team Exercise  
*Fred Waldkoetter, Mountain BizWorks*
- 1:45 p.m. Program Management Topics  
*Gerry Goertz, Leadership Asheville*
- 2:15 p.m. Break
- 2:30 p.m. A Safe, Attractive, Affordable Home  
*Scott Dedman (LA 18), Executive Director  
Mountain Housing Opportunities, Inc.*
- 3:40 p.m. Break
- 4:00 p.m. The Changing Economic Landscape of Western North Carolina  
*Scott Hamilton, President and CEO  
AdvantageWest of North Carolina*
- 5:00 p.m. Wrap-up & Adjourn  
*Angela Nixon, Leadership Asheville*

