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WED- MAY 14	Session Details	
3:30pm – 5pm	<b>Broadband Advisory Council Meeting</b>	
6pm – 7pm	<b>Connection Reception</b>	
7pm – 9pm	<b>Virginia Cable Hall of Fame Dinner &amp; Awards</b> Peter Broadbent, Christian & Barton The Honorable Kathy Byron, Former Member VA House William Newborg, Breezeline Joseph Lee McClellan, Nelson County Cablevision J.D. Myers, II, Cox Communications Lisa Schoenthaler, NCTA	
THURS- MAY 15	Session Details	
9:30am	<b>Opening Session</b> Welcome Remarks Recorded Remarks by <b>Virginia Governor Glenn Youngkin</b>	
9:30am – 10:30am	<b>Session 1- “B.E.A.D. Update”</b> <b>Moderator:</b> <b>Juan Pablo Segura</b> , Secretary of Commerce and Trade <b>Panelists:</b> <b>Bryan Horn</b> - Director, DHCD <b>Tamarah Holmes, Ph.D.</b> - Director, Office of Broadband <b>Chandler Vaughn</b> - Associate Director, Office of Broadband	

10:30am – 11:30am	<b>Session 2- "Beyond Access: Advancing Universal Broadband for All Communities"</b> <b>Moderator:</b> <b>Harrison Phelan-</b> Guidehouse  <b>Panelists:</b> <b>Dr. Karen Rhueban-</b> Professor, Medical Director, Office of Telemedicine, UVA- School of Medicine <b>Calypso Gilstrap-</b> Associate Director, Office of Educational Technology and Classroom Innovation, Virginia Department of Education <b>Jeremy Johnson-</b> Associate Director & State 4-H Director, Virginia Cooperative Extension	
11:30am – 12:30pm	<b>Networking Lunch/Vendor Time</b>	
12:30pm – 1:30pm	<b>Session 3- "Guides to Connectivity: Empowering Communities Through Digital Navigation"</b> <b>Moderator:</b> <b>Kristen Dahlman-</b> Virginia Community Action Partnership  <b>Victoria McKelvey-</b> Assistant Program Officer, LISC <b>Misty Allen-</b> Vice of Government and Regulatory Affairs and Community Impact, Comcast Beltway Region <b>Brett Brooks-</b> Program Officer, Wealth Building & Community Engagement, Local Initiatives Support Corporation (LISC)	
1:30pm – 2:15pm	<b>Session 4- "Securing the Digital Frontier: Cybersecurity in a Connected World"</b> <b>Moderator:</b> <b>David Blount-</b> Executive Director, Virginia Association of Planning District Commissions (VAPDC)  <b>Panelists:</b> <b>Ivan Shefrin-</b> Executive Director of Cyber Security Services, Comcast, Business <b>Sun Ho Moon-</b> Director of Cyber Security, Product Architecture and Engineering, Comcast Business <b>Cuong Vuong-</b> Systems Engineer, Menlo Security	
2:15pm – 2:30pm	<b>NETWORKING BREAK</b> <i>Vendors Open</i>	

2:30pm – 3:15pm	<b>Session 5- AI in Action: Transforming Connectivity, Services, and Infrastructure”</b>  <b>Leigh Sheldon-</b> Partner, Data & Analytics Lead, Guidehouse	
3:15 – 4pm	<b>Session 6- “Reconnecting After Crisis: Resilience in Broadband Infrastructure”</b> <b>Moderator: Matt Ogburn-</b> State and Local Government Affairs, Verizon  <b>Panelists:</b> <b>Casey Logan-</b> Chief Executive Officer, Mecklenburg Electric Cooperative <b>Gabe Elias-</b> Statewide Interoperability Coordinator, Commonwealth of Virginia <b>Eric Workman-</b> Chief Strategy Officer, GigaBeam Networks <b>Joe Prater-</b> Director, State Government Affairs, Charter Communications	

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