

2026 Economic Summit

Anatomy of a Healthy Economy:

A Care Plan for Economic Growth

Tuesday, Sept. 22 | 8 - 10:30 AM

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Greater Portland Inc's signature event celebrates our key role as the region's public-private partnership dedicated to growing our economy.

Each year, the Summit convenes hundreds of regional leaders to hear best practices from around the country, learn about our region's successes, and unite around a shared vision for economic prosperity.

This year our program will focus on the ways in which we can revitalize Greater Portland's plan for healthy economic development. Our keynote speaker Kimm Lauterbach, President & CEO of Regional Economic Development Initiative (REDI) Cincinnati, As a founding member of REDI Cincinnati's leadership team, Kimm engineers strategies and tactics that strengthen the three-state, 16-county Cincinnati region to compete globally.

Our Speakers



ALISA PYSZKA

Interim President & CEO

Greater Portland Inc



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KIMM LAUTERBACH

President & CEO

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Keynote Speaker



ANGELA WILHELMS

President & CEO

Oregon Business & Industry

Panelist



JUSTIN DOUGLAS

Economic Development & Urban

Renewal Director

City of Gresham

Panelist



CORNELL WESLEY

Executive Director

Prosper Portland

Panelist



AMY LEWIN

Executive Director

Oregon Arts Commission

& Oregon Cultural Trust

Business Oregon

Emcee & Moderator

Today's Program

- 7:45** Networking and breakfast buffet opens
- 8:20** Program begins, welcome by Amy Lewin
- 8:30** CEO Address by Alisa Pyszka
- 8:45** Remarks from Presenting Sponsor Kaiser Permanente's Aphriekah Duhaney-West
- 8:55** Keynote Remarks by Kimm Lauterbach of REDI Cincinnati
- 9:20** Panel Discussion
 - Moderator Amy Lewin
 - Kimm Lauterbach, REDI Cincinnati
 - Angela Wilhelms, President and CEO of Oregon Business & Industry (OBI)
 - Justin Douglas, Economic Development & Urban Renewal Director at City of Gresham
 - Cornell Wesley, Executive Director of Prosper Portland
- 9:55** Presentation of the Greater Portland Champion Award
- 10:10** Raffle Drawing
- 10:15** Conclusion

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