2017-2018 House Rural Development Council
November 8-9, 2017
Albany, Georgia

Regional Economic Development and K-12 Education

Thursday, November 9, 2017

8:00 – 8:45  Dr. Jeff Bearden, Forsyth County Schools Superintendent
- The Leader in Me
- 7 Mindsets

8:45 – 9:30  The Voyage Program – Kevin Scott and Elizabeth Jay

9:30 – 9:50  GACTE (Georgia Association for Career and Technical Education) Pathways and Apprenticeships – Dwayne Hobbs

9:50 – 10:00  Break

10:00 – 10:30  Youth Leadership in Action Program – Dr. Matt Bishop and Lauren Healey, UGA Fanning Institute; Sean Callahan, Principal, Walnut Grove High School in Walton County

10:30 – 10:50  State Pre-K—Amy Jacobs, Director

10:50 – 11:20  Success in Increasing Graduation Rates - Bubba Longgrear, Candler County School Superintendent

11:20 – 11:40  Dr. Michelle Zeanah, Behavioral Pediatrics and State DFCS Advisory Board

11:40 – 12:00  Life Changing Experiences – Ori Yardeni, Founder

12:00 – 12:30  Questions for presenters and Council discussion