



2026

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EVENT PROGRAM

WELCOME

9 A.M.

- Welcome and Event Sponsor Acknowledgment
- Joint introduction of CareerSource Florida Leadership

STATEWIDE PERSPECTIVE

9:10 A.M.

Adrienne Johnston – CareerSource Leadership

NATIONAL PERSPECTIVE

9:24 A.M.

Megan Baird – Department of Labor Office of Apprenticeship Acting Administrator

STATEWIDE PERSPECTIVE

9:44 A.M.

Karmyn Hill – FloridaCommerce Bureau Chief for One-Stop Program and Support

LOCAL PERSPECTIVE

9:54 A.M.

Tal Siddique – Manatee Commissioner and CareerSource Suncoast Board Member

REGIONAL PERSPECTIVE

9:59 A.M.

Natasha Sherwood – Independent Electrical Contractors Workforce Development Director

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10:04 A.M.

- Anna Gapiniski – Geographic Solutions Sr. HR Coordinator
- Peter Buczynsky – CEO of AmSkills

APPRENTICE SPEAKER

10:18 A.M.

Brentyn Szalbirak – Tool & Die Journeyworker of Miter Brands

GRADUATES PRESENTATION & CLOSING

10:21 A.M.

Apprentices Roberto Galendez and Joseph Lundy with Bausch & Lomb

NETWORKING WITH APPRENTICESHIP SPONSORS & EMPLOYERS

10:30 A.M.

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