

Capital Budgeting for Elected Officials

“How to Turn Your Capital Dreams into Reality”

Thursday-Friday, September 26 and 27, 2024
Buncombe County Offices
200 College Street, Asheville, NC 28801

Thursday Morning

- 8:30 am Registration and breakfast
- 9:00 am Welcome by Buncombe County Board of Commissioners Chairman Brownie Newman and Asheville Mayor Esther E. Manheimer
- 9:10 am Instructor introductions
- 9:15 am Icebreaker: Where do I want my plaque?
- 9:25 am Chatham County’s Capital Story
- 10:00 am Break
- 10:15 am What you need to know about capital budgeting to understand your Finance Officer: Overview of Capital Budgeting

Thursday Lunch

- 12 noon Lunch and tour of Public Safety Training Center (25 Canoe Lane, Asheville) (participants will be traveling by Asheville Parks & Recreation vans, lunch provided during tour)
- Presentation on Building Lifecycle Analysis, Jeremiah LeRoy, Buncombe County Sustainability Officer

Thursday Afternoon

- 2:00 pm What you need to know about capital budgeting to understand your Finance Officer: Overview of Capital Budgeting continued
- 3:30 pm Break
- 4:00 pm How to turn your dream project into reality: Overview of funding capital projects
- 5:30 pm Adjourn for the day

Friday Morning

- 8:30 am Registration and breakfast
- 9:00 am Asheville City CIP and GO Bond Referendum Process, CFO Tony McDowell and ACM Rachel Wood
- 10:00 am Case study exercise
- 11:45am Questions & Answers and Class Evaluation
- 12 noon Adjourn for lunch and tour of River Arts District