

# ECONOMIC OUTLOOK 2023

## 24<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL TRI-CITIES REGIONAL ECONOMIC OUTLOOK & 60<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2023 | 7:30AM-1:30PM**  
**THREE RIVERS CONVENTION CENTER, KENNEWICK**

Attend the region's premier half day symposium featuring industry influencers leading panel discussions on key issues impacting the economy of the Tri-Cities.



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**60<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL  
MEETING**

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**DATE:**  
WEDNESDAY,  
**FEBRUARY 1, 2023**  
7:30AM-1:30PM

**LOCATION:**  
THREE RIVERS CONVENTION CENTER  
7016 W. GRANDRIDGE BLVD  
KENNEWICK, WA 99336

**COST:**  
ALL DAY INDIVIDUAL: \$75.00  
ALL DAY GROUP (8): \$550.00  
LUNCH ONLY: \$30.00

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## AGENDA:

- 7:30AM..... Registration & Networking**
- 8:00AM..... Outlook Session 1**  
**Tri-Cities Regional Economy & Tourism Impact**  
*Sponsored By: Moon Security*  
Ajsa Suljic, Regional Labor Economist, Washington State  
Employment Security Department  
Kevin Lewis, President & CEO, Visit Tri-Cities
- 8:55am..... Networking & Refreshment Break**  
*Sponsored By: Framatome*
- 9:00am..... Outlook Session 2**  
**Creating and Securing the Talent Pipeline**  
*Sponsored By: HMIS, WSU Tri-Cities, and CBC*  
Sandra Haynes, Chancellor, WSU Tri-Cities  
Rebekah Woods, President, Columbia Basin College  
Nick Bumpaous, Business Manager, UA Local 598  
David Chavey, COO, BFWDC
- 9:50am..... Networking & Refreshment Break**  
*Sponsored By: Framatome*
- 10:00am ..... Outlook Session 3**  
**Ag Innovations**  
*Sponsored By: Tri-Cities Area Journal of Business*  
Randy Hayden, Executive Director, Port of Pasco  
Amy Johnson, Owner, Purple Star Wines  
Laura Hann, Director of Sustainability
- 10:50am ..... Networking & Refreshment Break**  
*Sponsored By: Framatome*
- 11:00am ..... Outlook Session 4**  
**Clean Up to Clean Energy**  
*Sponsored By: Bechtel National, Inc.*  
Sandra Haynes, Chancellor, WSU Tri-Cities  
Brian Vance, Hanford Site Manager, DOE RL & ORP  
Steve Ashby, Laboratory Director, PNNL  
Bob Schuetz, CEO, Energy Northwest
- 12:00pm ..... 60th Annual Meeting Luncheon**  
**Powering the Next 60 Years of  
Economic Development**  
*Sponsored By: Battelle*
- 1:30pm ..... Event Conclusion**

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## Regional Economic Outlook & Luncheon

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Group Rate (8): \$550 X \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## Luncheon Only

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Group Rate (8): \$200 X \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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