

Appalachian Transition Fellowship 2017 Closing Gathering and Celebration

Tennessee Valley Unitarian Universalist Church, 2931 Kingston Pike, Knoxville, TN 37919

Thursday, December 14

Noon	Lunch with performance by singer-songwriter Juniper Stinnett				
	Opening Remarks and Welcome from Highlander Center				
1 p.m.	Appalachian Transition Fellowship / 2017 Overview				
	Participant Introductions				
	Local Grounding				
2 p.m.	Just Transition in a Global Context / Beautiful Solutions				
3:15 p.m.	Break				
3:30 p.m.	Intergenerational Leadership / Caucus				
4:15 p.m.	Report-Backs / Sharing				
4:45 p.m.	Friday Agenda Review / Goodbyes				



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Friday, December 15

9 a.m.	Welcome / Grounding				
9:45 a.m.	Just Transition in Central Appalachia / The Current Context and Landscape				
	Shifts				
11:15 a.m.	Break				
11:30 a.m.	Fellow Case Studies / Q&A				
	 Courtney Boyd (WV) / Unlimited Futures, the Wild Ramp, and Refresh Appalachia 				
	Abby Huggins (KY) / Hindman Settlement School, Knott County				
	Chamber of Commerce and Appalachian Food Summit				
Noon	Lunch				
1 p.m.	Energizer				
1:15 p.m.	Fellow Case Studies / Q&A				
	 Brittany Means Carowick (WV) / WV Center for Civic Life, WV Council of Churches, Generation West Virginia 				
	Brennan Zerbe (WV) / Mid Ohio Valley Regional Council and the Calhoun County Park Board				
	Alice Beecher (KY) / Mountain Association for Community Economic Development, InVision Hazard, and Foundation for Appalachian Kentucky				
2 p.m.	Building a Collective Vision for Our Region				
2:45 p.m.	Break				
3 p.m.	Fellow Case Studies / Q&A				
	 Terran Young (SW VA) / Southern Appalachian Mountain Stewards, Appalachian Voices, Virginia Tech 				
	Kristie Rodgers (KY) / LiKEN, Appalachian Citizens Law Center, Southeast Kentucky Community and Technical College, Godbey Appalachian Center, and more				
	Sam Hamlin (KY) / Community Farm Alliance and Fibershed				
	Hope Hart (KY) / Appalshop and the Highlander Research and Education Center				
4 p.m.	Moving Forward / Next Steps				
5 p.m.	Celebration Dinner, Performances, and Party				
8 p.m.	Goodbyes				