

**June 16-17, 2026 | Marysville, Ohio**

**Making Regional Impact through Rural Routes:  
Rural Strategies for Destination Development.**

**Register TODAY!**



**AMIC | 1100 Innovation Way Suite D, Marysville, OH 43040**

Closest airport is CMH, rental cars are suggested for folks flying in

Please review our website for hotel options!

## ***Tuesday - June 16th***

**12:30pm Onsite Check-in at AMIC**

**1:00pm- 1:15pm Welcome**

Brad Ebersole, Community & Government Relations Director, Consolidated Cooperative

**1:15pm- 2:15pm Who is Ohio?**

Deborah Scherer, Executive Vice President, Global Development, One Columbus

Matt Waldo, Jobs Ohio

Eric Phillips, Economic Development Director, Union County

**2:15pm- 2:30pm Break**

**2:30pm- 3:30pm Rural Ohio - Marysville**

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**3:30pm- 3:45pm Break**

**3:45pm- 4:45pm Driving Change in Rural America**

Jason Duff, Founder, Small Nation

Ben Vollrath, President, Logan County Chamber of Commerce

**4:45pm- 6:30pm Networking Reception @ Leon's in Marysville**

## ***Wednesday - June 17th***

**8:00am - 8:30am Breakfast provided at AMIC**

**8:30am- 8:45am Local Welcome**

Tim Street, CEO, Logan County Electric Cooperative & Touchstone Energy Board President

**8:45am- 1:00pm Local Tours!**

*Tour Honda Marysville & Downtown Bellefontaine*

**1:00pm- 1:45pm Lunch & Learn - Lunch provided**

Ben Vollrath, President, Logan County Chamber of Commerce

Eric Phillips, Economic Development Director, Union County

**1:45pm- 2:30pm The Impact of Healthcare Institutions on Rural Communities**

Chip Hubbs, President/CEO of Memorial Health

**2:30pm- 2:45pm Break**

**2:45pm- 3:30pm Turning Ideas into Reality**

Jason Duff, Founder, Small Nation

**3:30pm- 3:45pm Closing Remarks**