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The Joint Development Authority of Northeast Georgia Presents Existing Industry Growth Event, Friday, August 10, 2012

With Athens Technical College in Auditorium

800 US Highway 29 N. * Athens, GA 30601-1500

Event Fee \$15, lunch included (assists JDA in marketing this region)

- 9:30-10 am **Registration** in Kenneth Easom Building at Athens Technical College
Visit Resource Tables with information related to industry needs.
- 10 am **Welcome**
- 10:05 – 11:30 am Grow Your Bottom Line with Georgia's New Tax Incentives & Exemptions:

*Panel: GA Department of Community Affairs, Russell Morrison &
GA Department of Revenue, Pamela Goshay & Andrea Shepard
includes Q & A*
- 11:30 am – 12:15 pm **Boxed Lunch**
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tax information, workforce issues and more.
- 12:15-1 pm **Industry Growth in the Area and Training Our Workforce**
A) Companies who have started-up or recently grown will talk about why
they like this area, how the hiring processes worked, if hiring was successful
and what positions are most difficult to fill.
Panel: Area Manufacturers – Tencate Geosynthetics, Hailo, Merial
- 1-1:40 pm B) Our partners will discuss how they assist these companies fill positions
and what training is being done for jobs that can be difficult to fill)
*Panel: GA Department of Labor, Athens Technical College &
Lanier Technical College*
- 1:40 – 2 pm Q&A for everyone on the last panel
- 2 pm How the JDA and local economic developers can help companies grow
- 2:15 pm **Adjourn**
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