



2026 Programs and Signature Events

Signature Events

State of the Region – Friday, March 6, from 8:00 to 11:00 am

- The event is being held at the Marriott in Westminster
- The program will have updates from the Adams County BOCC Chair and highlight one industry panel
- We will continue with the Community Expo Area
- Plated breakfast to reduce buffet line delays

Gamechangers Awards – Thursday, November 12, from 5:00 to 8:00 pm

- Balistreri Vineyards
- We will go back to the celebration format, without a keynote speaker

Legislative Preview – Wednesday, December 9, from 8:00 to 10:30 am

- Depending on the success of 2025, we will look to keep this at the AC-REP offices

Pathways to Progress – County to County Exchange

- Discuss during board meeting
- Survey sent on 11/18

Programs

Development Council

- Q1 is Inclusivity with a focus on housing
- February 5 meeting – Panel to discuss affordable housing with Peter LiFari, market rate housing with Heidi Majerik, and Council Member Chris Russell from Thornton to discuss their approach to encouraging a variety of housing to meet their growth needs.
- Q2 is Sustainability

Civic & Business Alliance

- Focus on four core sectors where government and industry leaders need to convene
- January 28 meeting was with Sal Pace, General Manager of the Front Range Passenger Rail District, who shared the current vision and plans to provide new transportation options for Colorado.

Business Advocacy & Public Policy

- Updates on BAPP one-pager