

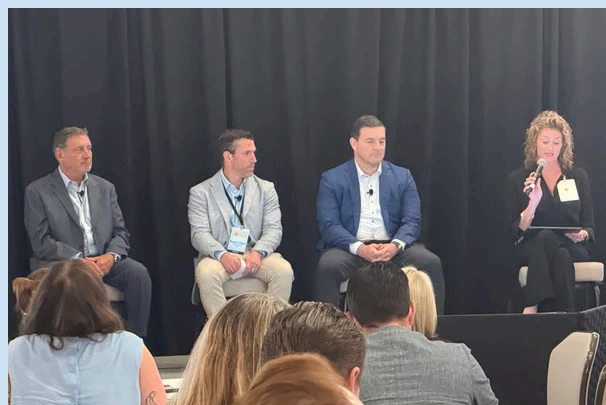
JUNE 2026 ***Brief***

Highlights for Team Volusia EDC activities in June. Thank you for subscribing!

Outreach Meetings in June: 121
Site Visits in June: 5

Area Development Consultants Spring Forum

The Spring Consultants Forum was held in New Orleans with more than 25 of the nation's leading site consultants and corporate real estate advisors providing key insights into current site selection trends and best economic development practices. Since 2006, Area Development has produced more than 80 events in North America providing opportunities for economic developers to interface with leaders in site selection to raise the visibility of their respective communities. Keith Norden represented Volusia County and shared new project locations and developments in Volusia County. The forum was sold out with more than 200 economic development professionals from North America in attendance



Area Development Consultants Forum Panel. L - R: Gray Swoope, VisionFirst Advisors; Brandon Tolbert, Austin Consulting; Seth Martindale, CBRE; Shannon O'Hare, Cushman & Wakefield

Berlin Air Show

Team Volusia's Frank Jones attended the Berlin Air Show with the Southern Economic Development Council. The event brought together a diverse range of defense, aerospace, and component manufacturers from across Europe, providing a unique opportunity to network with companies exploring expansion opportunities in the United States. Throughout the conference, discussions focused on emerging industry trends, supply chain opportunities, and investment priorities within the global aerospace sector.



IAMC International Forum

The Industrial Asset Management Council (IAMC) is one of the world's largest industrial and manufacturing real estate trade associations. The organization just celebrated their tenth annual international forum held in London which offered learning opportunities for a diverse group of corporate real estate end users, industrial real estate providers, and economic developers.

The forum focused on integrating AI, trends in site selection, and sustainable supply chains with presentations from notable leaders including Lord (Kim) Darrouch KCMG, Former British Ambassador to the US & National Security Advisor. Keith Norden, IAMC Fellow, attended the tenth annual international forum as a Charter Member from IAMC's founding in 2002. Currently, Keith serves on the Board of the British American Business Council of Central Florida and the forum provided an opportunity to speak with British attendees about the vibrancy of international business activity and support found in Central Florida.



L to R: Daniel Silverman, Vice President, Foreign Direct Investment, Invest Quebec; James Chavez, Director IAMC Board, President & CEO, South Carolina Power Team; Stevie Chavez, Owner, The Stevie Project; and Keith Norden.

Space Tech Expo USA

Space Tech Expo USA, held at the Anaheim Convention Center, is North America's largest B2B trade event for the space industry. Established in 2012, the show pairs a supply chain exhibition with two days of conference sessions and networking, drawing more than 350 exhibitors and over 3,750 attendees — from technical designers, sub-systems suppliers, and manufacturers to systems integrators serving civil, military, and commercial space. Many of these companies are scaling quickly to meet demand in satellite manufacturing, launch, and space operations — and evaluating where to grow next. Team Volusia's Monty Fletcher attended to represent and communicate the many benefits of locating in Volusia County, including our uniquely strategic position on the northern point of the Space Triangle.

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Duke Energy Next Level

Celebrating 25 years at Duke Energy, Marc Hoenstine, CEcD, Managing Director, Florida Economic Development, opened up the the Duke Energy Next Level: Site to Success by welcoming the assembled group. An annual event, the Next Level series brings together state and regional partners, with panels and featured speakers including site selection consultants, and Duke Energy's experts in the industry, for learning and networking opportunities.

Team Volusia EDC's Frank Jones, Monty Fletcher, and Tracy Marino were in attendance.



Additional Community Events

Chamber Alliance Mega Mixer

ABCs of Exporting with SelectFlorida

Amazon Deltona Grand Opening



On June 11, Team Volusia EDC joined Amazon and the City of Deltona to celebrate the ribbon cutting for Amazon's second distribution center in Deltona, a new 1.2 million s.f. facility!

We want to also highlight and thank Duke Energy Corporation. This project is located on the second site to successfully complete their Site Readiness Program in Florida, back in 2014. "What started as an effort to help a site become more market ready and competitive for economic development opportunities has resulted in one of the largest job creation projects in Central Florida and in Deltona’s history," Alexandra Sanchez, Duke Energy Florida.

At the ribbon cutting, Amazon also announced the construction of a new 1 million+ s.f. first-of-its-kind facility, with an estimated investment exceeding \$100MM, which will be the third facility in the City of Deltona! "Deltona jobs at these three facilities will approach 2,000," John Cox, City of Deltona.

Featured speakers at the event included Sam Blatt, Amazon, Site Lead Ben Krzeminski, Amazon, John Cox, City of Deltona, FL, Mayor Avila, City of Deltona, Councilman David Santiago, County of Volusia. Team Volusia Economic Development Corporation congratulates them and everyone who has contributed over the years, to the success of these additional locations for Amazon here in Volusia County!

JETRO Networking Visit

In February, at the Florida Venture Forum, Team Volusia’s Monty Fletcher met the Japan External Trade Organization (JETRO) and the conversation led to Volusia County being established on JETRO’s radar as a potential strong business community partner for them. JETRO is a Japanese government-affiliated organization dedicated to promoting trade and investment between Japan and the United States.

On June 17, Team Volusia EDC welcomed Koki Danno and Trevin Dye from JETRO Atlanta to Volusia County for a first visit, where we convened community stakeholders and together discussed the many strategic and geographic benefits to locating here, and partnering with our business community. Team Volusia is now working with JETRO on a second visit in August, when they return with a delegation of companies exploring business opportunities here in Volusia County during a very limited tour of the U.S. they will be taking.



Left to Right: TVEDC's Frank Jones, JETRO Atlanta's Koki Danno and Trevin Dye, TVEDC's Monty Fletcher.

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Much gratitude to the following organizations for renewing their investment in TVEDC!

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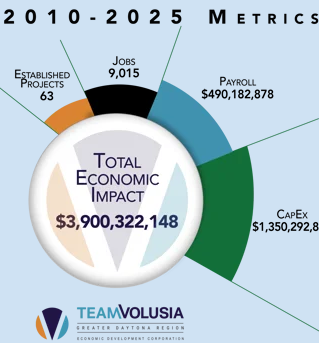
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