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Downtown In-depth, A Mayoral Forum

*Presented by: Downtown Council, Downtown Vision and
The Urban Land Institute of North Florida*

WHAT:

Downtown In-depth is a moderated forum with mayoral candidates on the issues facing Downtown and provides an opportunity to hear directly from the candidates. The forum will be moderated by news anchor Phil Amato of First Coast News.

Audrey Moran - confirmed
Rick Mullaney - confirmed

Mike Hogan - Invited
Alvin Brown - Invited

WHERE:

AT&T Tower Auditorium
301 W. Bay Street, Jacksonville, FL 32202

WHEN:

Friday, February 18, 2011
7:30 a.m. - 8:00 a.m. Networking and Continental Breakfast
8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Mayoral Forum on Downtown Issues

COST:

\$10 Pre-registration ([Pre-Register](#))
\$15 Day of registration

DETAILS:

Pre-registration is encouraged and available online at [Opportunity Jacksonville](#)
[Free parking](#) available in the Omni Parking Garage (enter on Bay Street), courtesy of
 AT&T Tower 301.

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About Downtown Council, Jacksonville Regional Chamber of Commerce

Our Council is made up of business professionals from Jacksonville and surrounding areas that recognize the importance of downtown to the business health of Jacksonville as a whole. Members represent all aspects of business around Jacksonville providing an exceptional networking experience at our meetings, programs and social events. We have a beautiful river walk, cultural events, sporting events, restaurants, and a wealth of retail and office space available for small mom and pop shops to corporate headquarters. We work together to cultivate ideas. In the process, we develop business owners and managers into business leaders, while they grow their businesses. www.downtowncouncil.org

About Downtown Vision, Inc.

Downtown Vision, Inc. (DVI) is a not-for-profit 501(c)6 organization whose mission is to build and maintain a healthy and vibrant Downtown community and to promote Downtown as an exciting place to live, work, play, and visit.

Founded in 2000, DVI is dedicated to promoting the Downtown area, building a neighborhood Downtown, serving as a one-stop shop for information on Downtown and advocating the interests of local businesses and property owners. Downtown Vision is the only organization solely devoted to revitalizing Downtown Jacksonville. For more information visit, downtownjacksonville.org.

About Urban Land Institute

The Urban Land Institute is a nonprofit education and research institute supported by its members. Its mission is to provide leadership in the responsible use of land and in creating and sustaining thriving communities worldwide. Established in 1936, ULI has more than 30,000 members worldwide representing all aspects of land use and development disciplines.

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Downtown Council Breakfast Meeting

Meets 1st and 3rd Friday of each month Place: Currents Riverview Bistro, 841
 Prudential Drive (The Aetna Building), 2nd Floor Time: 7:30 am Networking & Breakfast, 7:45 Self
 Introductions and Program

March Program opens with Lunch at The University Club

Location: University Club, 1301 Riverplace Blvd., Wachovia Tower
Program: Downtown Development
Speakers: Preston Haskell, President of The Haskell Company
 Hugh Greene, CEO of Baptist Health, and Chamber Chair
Date: March 4, 2011
Time: 11:30 to 1:00 p.m. (LUNCH)
Cost: \$20 members, \$25 guests
Parking: Free with validation at lunch

This is a change from Downtown Council's usual format of breakfast on first and third Friday mornings. Instead we are meeting the first Friday for Lunch as a trial. The third Friday will be held at the usual time and location.

The [Downtown Council](#) meets on the first and third Friday of each month at Currents Bistro on the 2nd floor of the Aetna building 841 Prudential Drive ([Click for directions](#)) on the south bank downtown. Pull into second driveway, get ticket from attendant, and drive into parking garage. Ticket will be validated for free parking at the Council Registration Table. Cost is \$17 for members and \$22 for non-members. Registration and networking at 7:30. Buffet breakfast from 7:40-8:00. We accept checks, cash, MasterCard, Visa & American Express. REGISTER in ADVANCE [ON-LINE](#) :



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