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The Lane County Sector Strategy Team (LCSST) will be holding a Team Event on Thursday, November 3, 2016, at the Ford Alumni Center in Eugene to highlight the notable achievements made by the LCSST in both the Tech and the Food and Beverage Sector. The Team Event begins at 3:00 p.m. and the networking reception begins at 5:00 p.m. Speakers include Lucy Vinis, Incoming Mayor of Eugene; Kari Westlund, Travel Lane County; Heidi Larwick, Connected Lane County; Matt Sayre, Technology Association of Oregon; and Lynne Fessenden, Willamette Farm and Food Coalition. Over 100 elected officials and business and community leaders will be in attendance.

The LCSST was created in 2014 and is comprised of leaders throughout Lane County – business CEOs, elected officials, Chamber presidents, city managers and planning staff. Under the leadership of the Lane Workforce Partnership Board of Directors, the team works collaboratively to address specific issues identified by industry.