

2022 Annual Meeting of the Membership

November 4, 2022 7:30 am – 9:30 am Middlebury Inn REGISTER TODAY: HERE

AGENDA

7:30 am: Welcome

7:35 am: Business Meeting: Susan McClure, President

Introduction of Board Members

Recognition of Outgoing Board Members and Officers

Approve Minutes of 2021 Annual Meeting (Vote)

Election of Board Members (Vote):

One Year Term: Sue Ritter, Middlebury College

1st Three Year Term: Mark Foster, Foster Farm, Vermont Natural Ag products

Christopher Lapierre, National Bank of Middlebury

Gina Larrow, Coop Insurance Jason Robert, Seae Ventures

Darcy Tarte, TD Bank

8:15 am: Review of annual activity: Fred Kenney, Executive Director

8:30 am: Keynote Speaker: Dani Douglas, Research & Policy Associate, Center on Rural Innovation (CORI): "*Tech-based economic development in rural communities*"

9:30 am: Adjourn

About the Keynote Speaker:

Dani Douglas, Research & Policy Associate, Center on Rural Innovation (CORI).

Dani Douglas is the Research and Policy Associate at the Center on Rural Innovation (CORI), a national nonprofit that partners with rural leaders across the country to build tech economies that support scalable entrepreneurship and lead to more tech jobs in rural America. In her role on the research and data team, Dani uses qualitative research and policy analysis to better understand the diverse experiences of rural economic development. She holds an M.A. from The Fletcher School at Tufts University and a B.A. from the University of Rochester.