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African American Business Summit

LEXINGTON, NC –Beginning on Saturday, March 7, multiple local entities are joining together to host a month long African American Business Summit series. Through the series of presentations, attendees will be provided with pertinent information that will assist them in their efforts of establishing a small business. The summit will be held each Saturday in March from 9:00am to 12:00pm.

Date	Location	Presenter	Topics
March 7	Lexington Christian Fellowship Church <i>803 Laurel Avenue</i>	Martha Larson, Director - DCCC Small Business Center	Classes and events Business model canvas
March 14	Lexington Christian Fellowship Church	Tammy Absher, Director - City of Lexington Office of Business and Community Development	Building inspections Code enforcement Permits Planning and Zoning
March 21	Banks-Miller Post 255 <i>1 Arthur Drive</i>	Joe Wallace, CEO – Lexington Area Chamber of Commerce	Program of Work Membership Benefits Chamber events
March 28	Banks-Miller Post 255	Rebekah McGee, Executive Director – Uptown Lexington Inc	Structure of Uptown Façade Grant Program Success stories

Seating is limited for each session. To reserve your spot, email info@kslcan.com. Please indicate which sessions you will be attending. Interested citizens are encouraged to attend all sessions. The summit is free.

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About the African American Business Summit:

The summit is a collaborative partnership between Davidson County Community College Small Business Center, Lexington Area Chamber of Commerce, Uptown Lexington Inc, the City of Lexington, Pastor Robert C. Hill of Lexington Christian Fellowship Church and KSL Can, LLC. The purpose of the summit is to build relationships with potential business owners in the African American community by sharing vital information, facilitating discussions and supporting them in their journey of entrepreneurship.

