



VSBA

Virginia School Boards Association

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VSBA TRAINING: THE BOARD'S ROLE IN SCHOOL BUDGET DEVELOPMENT

THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 2025
ZOOM

About the Workshop

Get ready for a comprehensive journey through the complexities of school finance! Join us in this dynamic workshop designed exclusively for board members. You have the option of attending in person or remotely. You will not only discover, but fully immerse yourself in the critical role you play in the budget process, aligning it with the overarching mission and vision of your school

system. Be prepared for an action-packed agenda featuring key topics that will inspire your desire for effective financial management.

- Grasp the basics of school finances without the jargon.
- Take a deep dive into where school money comes from – locally, statewide, and nationally.
- Navigate the budget rollercoaster with confidence and ease.
- Learn how to give budget presentations that keep people engaged and informed.
- Crack the code on budget challenges and build support.
- Uncover the school board's crucial role in managing school finances successfully.

Don't miss out on this invaluable opportunity – secure your spot today! This isn't merely an informational session; it's an exciting exploration into the core of financial leadership. Ensure your presence at this crucial conference by registering now!

AGENDA

10:00 am

Workshop Begins

Dr. Michael Thornton, Consultant,
VSBA

11:00 am

Break

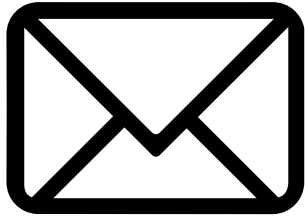
12:00 pm

Workshop Concludes



ZOOM INFORMATION:

All participants will receive their zoom link about a week before the event. Please note that the zoom information comes from a Zoom email account and not a VSBA email account. Please ensure that you check your spam folder if you have not received the zoom link less than a week out from the event or email Mikaela Coffey at mikaela@vsba.org.



COSTS:

Registration: \$180
Late Registration: \$230
(After April 3)

Please mail payment to:
VSBA
200 Hansen Road, Suite 2
Charlottesville, VA 22911



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Dr. Thornton is able to address challenging questions and comments in a professional manner leaving everyone feeling valued.
- Workshop Attendee

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

Registration for VSBA meetings is only open to VSBA members and affiliate members. Please reach out to your school division clerk to register for this event. For business affiliate members, please contact Mikaela Coffey for registration at mikaela@vsba.org.

The deadline for cancellations is April 3, 2025. Cancellations must be received in writing via email to mikaela@vsba.org by April 3 and will incur a \$50 cancellation fee. Cancellation requests received after April 3 and no shows will not be refunded. Substitution of an individual may be made at any time.

If a meeting or conference is canceled and/or postponed due to inclement weather, registration fees will be automatically transferred to the rescheduled date of the conference. If attendees are unable to attend the rescheduled date, a substitution can be made, or the school division will be credited the registration fee to use for future events.