VERMONT BANKERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

Directors, Trustees & Senior Management College
Wednesday, June 3, 2026
Capitol Plaza Hotel & Conference Center
Montpelier Room, Montpelier, VT

The Vermont Bankers Association, Inc. is pleased to present this session once again being held to promote ongoing education to bank directors, trustees and senior management on current topics and various elements of bank supervision. The Directors, Trustees and Senior Management College is being offered by the **Boston Area Office of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation**, in partnership with the Vermont Bankers Association, Inc. The program includes multiple sessions, a conversation with the regulators, and economic overview.

2026 Directors, Trustees & Senior Management College Preliminary Agenda

7:45AM –8:30AM	**Registration and Continental Breakfast**
8:30AM – 8:40AM	**Welcome:** *Christopher D'Elia, President, VBA* **FDIC Opening Remarks:** *Speaker TBD*
8:40AM – 9:30AM	**Payments Fraud: Current Schemes and Mitigation Strategies** **Breakout Session** *Speaker TBD* This presentation will discuss the growing trend in payments fraud, including common schemes related to checks, authorized push payments, and cryptocurrency. Additionally, the presentation will discuss potential mitigation strategies, red flag indicators, and action steps.
9:30AM – 10:20AM	**Community Reinvestment Act Overview** **Breakout Session** *Speaker TBD* This presentation will provide a brief history on the Community Reinvestment Act and elaborate on the evaluation process, ratings, and how various components are assessed during the examination process.
10:20AM - 10:35AM	**Break**

10:35AM – 11:25AM **Emerging Technology Breakout Session**

Speaker TBD

This presentation will discuss how technology continues to influence the banking industry, the potential associated risks, and the Board's role in effectively governing the activities. Additionally, the presentation will include a brief case study to reinforce key learning concepts.

11:25AM – 12:15PM **Conversation with Regulators**

Speakers TBD

This session will provide an informal setting for participants to hear what is on regulators' minds and to share experience and insights as a community bank board member. Members of the FDIC regional management team will highlight emerging issues, answer participant questions and discuss topics raised by participants. The session structure will include prepared remarks, as well as an open forum for questions and discussion.

12:15PM – 1:15PM **Lunch and Economics/Banking Update**

Speaker TBD

During lunch, presenters from the FDIC's Division of Insurance and Research will provide national and local economic data to assist attendees in identifying key trends that have impacted and may continue to impact the industry.

1:15PM **Closing Remarks and Adjournment**

Continental Breakfast: *Regular and Decaffeinated Vermont Coffee Co. coffee and assorted Tazo teas. Basket of freshly baked pastries and fresh sliced fruit. Selection of seasonal juices.*

Hot Buffet Lunch: *Mixed Green Salad, Selection of Bread & Rolls with Vermont Sweet Cream Butter. Roasted Red Bliss Potatoes. Green Beans. Roasted Pork Loin - Whole Grain Mustard, Lemon Basil Chicken, and Vegetable Ratatouille (V). Italian Cream Layer Cake and Chocolate Mousse Cake. Freshly Brewed Vermont Coffee Company Coffee, Tazo Tea, and Soft Drinks. Iced Tea and Lemonade.*