

# Step Up Savannah Annual Meeting & Breakfast

Join Step Up and local business, neighborhood and community leaders to consider and discuss the Purpose Built model for transforming neighborhoods. Help us celebrate the winners of our Creating Opportunity Awards.



**Friday, October 14, 2016, 8:00am to 10:00am**  
Savannah Technical College, Eckburg Auditorium, 5717 White Bluff Road

## Featured Speaker

### Carol A. Naughton

president, Purpose Built Communities



Carol Naughton, a founding staff member of Purpose Built Communities, has been a leader in community revitalization for more than two decades. She is responsible for leading the teams that support revitalizations in 14 cities, as well as the teams vetting opportunities in 35 additional cities. Previously, Naughton served as executive director of the East Lake Foundation, the organization that developed the holistic model of community revitalization that Purpose Built is successfully replicating around the country. Purpose Built Communities works with local leaders to break the cycle of intergenerational poverty by focusing on education, quality housing, and community wellness in a defined geographic area. Naughton also served as general counsel and deputy executive director for Legal and Nonprofit Affairs for the Atlanta Housing Authority.

## Creating Opportunity Awards recognize accomplishments in these categories:

**Outstanding Business Champion** – for a business or organization that has worked creatively to increase opportunity for Savannah/Chatham County residents;

**Outstanding Advocacy** – for any direct service provider (individual or organization) in our community who has gone above and beyond in offering assistance and services to residents in need; and

**Outstanding Neighborhood Leader** – for a grassroots or neighborhood-based leader who has worked to create positive change in his/her community.

**RSVP to Rebecca Elias at [relias@stepupsavannah.org](mailto:relias@stepupsavannah.org) (912) 232-6747**

*Step Up engages all sectors of the community to improve the economic mobility and financial stability of families in Savannah and Chatham County.*

