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SIGNATURE KEYNOTE

Lead from the Whisper™

You Were Right the First Time

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Your educators chose this work because they believed in something bigger than themselves. That belief — the whisper that first called them to the classroom — is still there. Back-to-school is the perfect moment to help them lead from it again. When your district starts the year grounded in confidence and alignment, the ripple effect reaches every building, every team, and every student.

Vikki's keynote gives your educational team the framework to do exactly that — so they walk into the new school year energized, aligned, and leading from who they already are. Using stories from the classroom your team will walk away with:

1. AWAKEN — Recognize the invisible patterns and external pressures shaping their decisions, so they can lead with intention instead of reaction.

2. DEFINE — Establish clear, personal non-negotiables that protect their values, energy — even under the weight of board expectations, community dynamics, and competing priorities.

3. STRENGTHEN — Build the daily confidence to lead from alignment rather than approval — creating a ripple effect across buildings, teams, and school culture.

AUDIENCE FEEDBACK

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100%	100%	95.2%	94.4%
Found Session Valuable	Would Rebook	Found Session Inspiring	Found Session Relevant

"Informative for overwhelmed leaders" • "Loved the simple framework" • "Empowering"

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THE STORY BEHIND THE KEYNOTE

There was a time when you knew exactly who you were. When you wanted to be a dinosaur-hunter-rockstar-astronaut all in one lifetime — and you didn't ask anyone's permission because you knew it was possible. That person was right. This keynote is your wake-up call to the part of you that never stopped believing in yourself.

I spent decades doing everything right — by everyone else's definition. High performance. High responsibility. From the outside, it looked like success. From the inside, I barely recognized the person who once believed everything was possible. Somewhere along the way, I stopped trusting her. I traded her instincts for approval. I edited myself to fit rooms that were never built for the real me. And I got very, very good at performing. Then I stopped.

Using what would become my Awaken-Define-Strengthen™ framework, I rebuilt the way I led my own life — personally and professionally. I lost and maintained over 100 pounds. I realigned my corporate career and brought together internal and education teams that had never operated as one. Same framework.

When I finally stepped back into my own life — with zero hesitation — everything changed. Not just me. The people around me changed. The conversations changed. The energy in every room I walked into changed. Because that's what happens when someone stops editing who they are and starts trusting who they were from the beginning.

This keynote gives your audience permission to:

- **Awaken** awareness of the hidden patterns that shape reactions under stress and pressure.
- **Define** personal and professional non-negotiables that protect values, energy, and standards.
- **Strengthen** a steady, confident voice rooted in self-trust rather than urgency, approval, or exhaustion.

When people step into their lives with zero hesitation, everything shifts. Relationships get clearer. Decisions get faster. The energy in the room changes — because someone finally stopped waiting for permission.

This keynote challenges audiences to examine where they may be outsourcing their authority — and invites them to reclaim it.

Not to become someone new.
But to become someone who steps into their own life without any hesitation.

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