



AGENDA

Tuesday, August 6, 2019

Location: Grand Hyatt Hotel, Washington, DC
Attendees: NASWA Veterans Affairs Committee members and invited guests
Please bring: Copy of this agenda, and anything else you want to print.

7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Hosted Breakfast	Penn Quarter AB
8:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Welcome & Introductions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Beth Townsend, Chair, Executive Director, Iowa Workforce Development	Constitution CDE
8:45 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	Review of Agenda, Meeting Materials & Veterans Conference Schedule <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lori Adams, Veterans Policy Director, National Association of State Workforce Agencies	Constitution CDE
9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	USDA Opportunities in Agriculture for Veterans <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bill Ashton, Military Veterans Agricultural Liaison, Office of Partnerships & Public Engagement	Constitution CDE
10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Break	Constitution Foyer
10:30 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	The Manufacturing Institute <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Babs Chase, Vice President, Military & Veterans Program, The Manufacturing Institute at the National Association of Manufacturers (invited)	Constitution CDE
11:15 a.m. – Noon	Army Wounded Warrior (AW2) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Roberta Berry, Career and Education Readiness Action Officer DCoS, Warrior Care and Transition Soldier Services Directorate Career and Education Readiness Division	Constitution CDE

Noon – 1:30 p.m.	Joint Committee Lunch	Penn Quarter AB
1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	VETS Policy & Program Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ivan Denton, USDOL VETS Director of National Programs • Maria Temiquel, USDOL VETS Director, Grants & Training • Other VETS staff 	Constitution CDE
3:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Break	Constitution Foyer
3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	Military Spouses/Licensing & Credentialing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wendy Russell, Maher & Maher/USDOL • Pam Frugoli, Senior Workforce Analyst, USDOL ETA 	Constitution CDE
4:45 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Policy Discussion – DVOP Eligibility <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sam Mitchell, WorkSource Administrator, Employment Connections Military Base Support, Washington State Employment Security Department 	Constitution CDE
Evening	Dinner on your own	
Wednesday, August 7, 2019		
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Hosted Breakfast	Penn Quarter AB
8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	View from the Corner Office <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scott Sanders, Executive Director, National Association of State Workforce Agencies 	Constitution CDE
9:15 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Subcommittee/Pilot Project Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Legislation & Policies • LVER Performance Metrics • TAP Access • Military Spouse Warm Handoff Project 	Constitution CDE
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Research Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kayla Williams, Director of Military, Veterans & Society programs, Center for New American Security 	Constitution CDE

11:00 a.m.

Meeting Adjourns.

- *Lunch on your own. Sixth Annual Veterans Conference starts at 12:30 p.m. in the Independence Ballroom.*
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