



Thursday, February 20th, 2025

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Historic Inns of Annapolis, Governor Calvert Ballroom

58 State Street, Annapolis, MD

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AGENDA

- 4:00 - 4:10 PM** **Welcome and Introductions**
Ricardo Benn – Deputy Secretary, Maryland Department of Commerce
New Commissioners
- 4:10 - 4:15 PM** **Minutes of the October 23rd, 2024 MATC Meeting**
Ricardo Benn - Deputy Secretary, Maryland Department of Commerce
- 4:15 - 4:30 PM** **Election of Chair and Vice Chair**
Ricardo Benn – Deputy Secretary, Maryland Department of Commerce
- 4:30 - 5:15 PM** **Strategic Plan Development Kickoff**
Ricardo Benn – Deputy Secretary and Commissioners
- Introduction to the Strategic Plan Requirements
 - Initial Discussion on Key Components and Goals
 - Research and Funding Opportunities
 - Public-Private Partnerships
 - Workforce Training
 - Educational Programs
 - Aerospace and Technology Zones
 - Formation of a Strategic Plan Working Group
 - Discussion of Hiring Consultant Services
- 5:15 - 5:30 PM** **Formation of Advisory Committees and Identification of Committee Leads**
Ricardo Benn – Deputy Secretary and Commissioners
- 5:30 - 5:45 PM** **Public Comments/Discussion**
Ricardo Benn – Deputy Secretary, Maryland Department of Commerce
- 5:45 - 6:00 PM** **Closing Remarks and Next Steps**
Ricardo Benn – Deputy Secretary, Maryland Department of Commerce
- 6:00 PM** **Adjournment**
- 6:00 - 8:00 PM* *Maryland Aerospace Day Reception - Historic Inns Atrium (Optional)*