

## NAMC WASHINGTON CHAPTER

## NAMC WA General Meeting Agenda

April 4, 2024 5:00 pm-6:30 pm

- I. Greetings by Bob Armstead, NAMC WA President 5:00-5:05
- II. Introduction to Presenters and Presentation 5:06-5:15 Topics:

  Update of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act and the BidenHarris Administration Efforts to Connect Small and Disadvantaged
  Businesses to Infrastructure Programs. US Department of Energy
  (DOE) State and Community Programs. Office of Minority and
  Women's Business Enterprises (OMWBE) Small Business
  Legislative Update.
- III. Review, update and changes to DOE Energy Programs- Community Energy Efficiency; Home Rehab; Efficiency Grants for Houses of Worship; Clean Buildings; Energy Retrofit; Career Skills Training Program; State-Based Home Energy Efficiency Contractor Training Grants; Workforce Development and Business Owner Training Programs; Revolving Loan Fund Grant Program

Michael Forrester, US Department of Energy, Washington, DC Principal Deputy Director, Office of Community Programs

IV. Discussion regarding bills that passed and those that did not from the 2024 Legislative session that impact small diverse firms.

Sarah Erdman, Deputy Director, Office of Minority and Women's Business Enterprises Sharon Harvey, Director of Policy, Office of Minority and Women's Business Enterprises

V. Q &A and Announcements