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All -

Thank you so much for your patience as we compiled these documents for you.

Attached is the additional briefing for the Panel Discussions and the White House. The White House briefing is laid out chronologically with background information and biographical information for each portion of the meeting. There are talking points at the end of the briefing for the stakeout press conference after the meeting.

Kate Hansen and Mark Giangreco from our press shop are cc'd on this email if you have any specific questions about the stakeout.

For the staffers meeting their boss at the stakeout: Please arrive at the Northwest Gate at Pennsylvania Ave and Jackson Place (17th Street) at 12 noon. You will be allowed on the grounds at 12:10pm to meet your boss at 12:15/12:20pm. I will be at the gate for any troubleshooting and Mark will be inside at the stakeout.

Lastly, if everyone could touch base with me on the departure of your boss from the White House by 1:30pm EST, the Secret Service is asking me for specifics for each Governor.

Please let us know if you have any outstanding questions!

Thank you!!

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DGA Events Briefing Memo
National Governors Association Winter Meeting
February 24-27, 2012

To: Democratic Governors
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 Schedulers
 Security Detail

From: Erin Gorman
 Roshan Patel
 Kelly Berens

OVERVIEW

The Democratic Governors Association is hosting several events during the National Governors Association Winter Meeting in Washington, DC. These events include a meeting with Democratic Governors and President Obama, a policy discussion focused on jobs, multiple receptions, and a Governors Only business meeting. Additional briefings will be provided for the meeting with President Obama and the Panel Discussions.

This year, NGA runs from February 24-27 and attire for all DGA events is business. Attendee lists broken down by event are attached at the end of this briefing.

STAFF CONTACTS

There is a DGA staff contact listed for each DGA event in the details of each event, however, please find additional contact information for all DGA staff here:

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DGA OFFICE

The DGA will operate an office in the J.W. Marriott Hotel (Room 757, 761, 763), which will be available for Governors' meetings. The suite is staffed from 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Saturday through Monday, or earlier/later if needed. Please contact Erin Gorman [REDACTED] gorman@dga.net) and Donna Tappin [REDACTED] tappin@dga.net) if you need to schedule any meetings during your time in Washington, DC.

State	Governor	Attending NGA	2/24 WH Meeting	2/24 Panel Event	2/24 Chair's Dinner	2/24 Late Night	2/25 Taste	2/27 Govs Only
HI	Abercrombie	Yes	Yes	Yes - Panel 2	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
AR	Beebe	Yes	No	No	Yes	Maybe	Yes	Yes
KY	Beshear	Yes	Yes	Yes - Panel 1	Yes (cocktails)	No	No	Yes
CA	Brown	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	tbd	tbd	tbd
MN	Dayton	Yes	Yes	No*	Yes	No	Maybe	Yes
WA	Gregoire	Yes	Yes	No*	Maybe		Yes	Yes
CO	Hickenlooper	Yes	Yes	No*	Yes (cocktails)	Maybe	Maybe	Yes
CT	Malloy	Yes	Yes	Yes - Panel 2	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
DE	Markell	Yes	Yes	No*	Yes	Maybe	Yes	Yes
MO	Nixon	Yes	Yes	Yes - Panel 2	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
MD	O'Malley	Yes	Yes	Yes - Panel 1 & 2	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
MA	Patrick	Yes	Yes	No*	tbd	tbd	tbd	Yes
NC	Perdue	Yes	Yes	Yes - Panel 1	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
IL	Quinn	Yes	Yes	Yes - Panel 2	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
MT	Schweitzer	Yes	Yes	Yes - Panel 1	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
VT	Shumlin	Yes	Yes	Yes - Panel 1	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
WV	Tomblin	Yes	No	Yes - Panel 2	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
AS	Tulafono	Yes	Yes	No	Maybe	No	Yes	Maybe

*Cannot participate on Panels due to NGA Executive Committee Meeting

EVENT LOCATIONS AND SECURITY INFORMATION

Friday, February 24

White House

Governors will meet at the Capital Hilton and taken by secure bus to the White House

Entrance: Southwest Gate, 17th St & State Place NW

Departure: Northwest Gate, Pennsylvania Ave & Jackson Pl NW

Security Contact: Please contact Erin Gorman, gorman@dga.net or [REDACTED]

Capitol Hilton

1001 16th Street, NW

Washington, DC 20036

Security Hold: South American A Room

DGA Staff Office: Senate Room

Newseum

555 Pennsylvania Avenue NW

Washington, DC 20001

Security Contact: Nate Tucker at NTucker@newseum.org or [REDACTED]

Iron Horse Taproom

Downstairs Bar

507 Seventh Street NW

Washington, DC 20004

Saturday, February 25

Mellon Auditorium

1301 Constitution Avenue NW

Washington, DC 20240

Security Contact: Elliot Grollman, Elliot.grollman@dhs.gov

Monday, February 26

JW Marriott

Salon 1

1331 Pennsylvania Avenue NW

Washington, DC

DGA Staff Office: Rooms 757, 761, 763

Schedule of Events

****All Times Eastern****

Friday, February 24, 2012

Hold Rooms at the Capital Hilton

7:00 am – 6:00 pm South American A Room Available as Security Hold at the Capital Hilton
7:00 am – 6:00 pm Pan American Room Available as Press Room/Hold at the Capital Hilton
7:00 am – 6:00 pm MA, NY and OH Rooms Available as Meeting at the Capital Hilton

**Note: please contact Erin Gorman (gorman@dga.net) to schedule any meetings in these rooms*

8:00 am – 6:00 pm Continental Room Available as Governors' Hold at the Capital Hilton

8:30 - 9:00 am

Governors arrive at Capital Hilton

Location: Capital Hilton – Statler Lounge
1001 16th Street, Washington, DC 20036
Details: A continental breakfast will be available.

9:00 am

Governors Board Buses at Capital Hilton

Location: 16th Street Entrance of the Capital Hilton
1001 16th Street, Washington, DC 20036
Details: Bus will depart at 9:30am

10:00 am – 12:30pm

Democratic Governors' Meeting at the White House – GOVERNORS ONLY

Location: Eisenhower Executive Office Building
725 17th Street NW, Washington, DC 20500
Details: An additional briefing will be attached. Due to security constraints, the White House has advised that no staff will be allowed to accompany the Governors for the meetings at the EEOB and in the Residence. The Governors will be allowed to bring their security detail. Staff will be able to meet the Governors at the press stake out at the NW Gate at 12:15pm.
Security: Any staff or security traveling to the White House (using DGA transportation or not) needs to send full name, DOB, and SS# to Erin Gorman at gorman@dga.net or 202-309-3093 by Wednesday, February 22nd at 3 pm ET.
Agenda:
10:00 am Meeting with Senior WH Officials, EEOB
• Secretary Bryson, Dept of Commerce
• Steve Case, CEO of AOL
• Secretary Donovan, Dept of HUD
• Valerie Jarrett, Senior Advisor
11:15 am Governors meet with President Obama
12:20 pm Press Availability outside the White House
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Mark Giangreco, giangreco@dga.net
Erin Gorman, gorman@dga.net

12:50 pm

Governors Board Buses and Depart White House for Capital Hilton

1:00 – 1:30 pm

Lunch and Panel Preparation

Location: Capital Hilton – Continental Room
1001 16th Street, Washington, DC 20036

Details: Lunch will be provided for the Governors and staff only upon their arrival from the White House. There is no agenda for this lunch. At approximately 1:50pm, DGA Executive Director Colm O'Comartun will give a message overview and the Stage Manager will give technical and staging pointers.

1:30 – 2:45 pm

Policy Panel 1: The Road to Recovery: Innovating to Create Jobs & Opportunity

Location: Capital Hilton – Presidential Ballroom
1001 16th Street, Washington, DC 20036

Details: This is a conversation between Governors and CEOs/Labor leaders facilitated by a moderator. Governors and CEOs on each panel will be sitting on a stage in a u-shaped configuration (there will not be a desk or table in front of them. This event is open to press. An additional briefing is provided for participants.

Governors: O'Malley, Beshear, Perdue, Schweitzer, Shumlin

Panelists: Cloud Beam - William H.C. Chang, CEO
Honest Tea - Seth Goldman, CEO
SEIU - Mary Kay Henry, President
Southern Company - Tom Fanning, CEO
ValueOptions - Heyward Donigan, President & CEO

Moderator: Neera Tanden, President of the Center for American Progress

Program: Governor O'Malley welcomes everyone introduces Moderator Neera Tanden. Moderator introduces Governors and panelists (by name only) and moderates policy discussion.

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**There will be a 15 minute break between panels to prep the 2nd panel's participants.*

3:00 – 4:15 pm

Policy Panel 2: The Road to Recovery: Expanding Economic Growth in Our Communities

Location: Capital Hilton – Presidential Ballroom
1001 16th Street, Washington, DC 20036

Details: This is a conversation between Governors and CEOs/Labor leaders facilitated by a moderator. Governors and CEOs on each panel will be sitting on a stage in a u-shaped configuration (there will not be a desk or table in front of them. This event is open to press. An additional briefing is provided for participants.

Governors: O'Malley, Abercrombie, Malloy, Nixon, Quinn, Tomblin

Panelists: Ameren Missouri - Warner Baxter, CEO
Great Lakes Dredge & Dock - Jonathan Berger, CEO
IAM - Tom Buffenbarger, President
NAHB - Barry Rutenberg, Chairman of the Board
ResCare - Ralph Gronefeld, CEO

Moderator: Kiki McLean, Senior Partner of Global Head of Public Affairs and Managing Director, Porter Novelli Public Services

Program: Governor O'Malley welcomes everyone introduces Moderator Kiki McLean. Moderator introduces Governors and panelists (by name only) and moderates policy discussion.

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6:30 – 8:30 pm

Chair's Dinner Hosted by DGA Chair Governor Martin O'Malley**Location:**Newseum – Galleries (Interactive Floor)
Great Hall of News (Dinner)

555 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20001

Details:

This is a reception and private dinner with Governors, spouses and members of the DGA Chairman's Board (\$100k + donors). The Chair's Dinner is sponsored by Pfizer. Governors will be seated at the table with their state name, where there will be a reserved sign for the Governor and their spouse. Due to space constraints, we encourage staff to wait to be seated until all DGA members have been seated (all staff is invited to DGA "Late Night" where there will be food provided also.) This event is closed press.

Program:

6:30-7:15pm Reception in the Interactive Floor
 7:15pm Guests/Governors ushered to the Great Hall
 7:45pm DGA Executive Director Colm O'Comartun thanks and introduces Pfizer's Steve Janson
 7:48pm Pfizer's Steve Janson makes brief remarks & introduces Gov. Bev Perdue
 7:53pm Gov. Perdue makes brief remarks & introduces Gov. Martin O'Malley
 7:58pm Gov. O'Malley makes brief remarks and introduces Gov. Jerry Brown
 8:05pm Gov. Brown makes remarks
 8:15pm Speaking Program ends

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8:30 pm – midnight

Late Night with the DGA**Location:**Iron Horse Taproom - Downstairs
507 Seventh Street, Washington, DC 20004**Details:**

This is a late night reception for Governors, Governors' spouses, Governors' staff and all DGA members. There will be an open bar and light buffet. This event

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6:00 – 9:00 pm

DGA Taste of America Gala**Location:**The Mellon Auditorium
1301 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20240**Details:**

The Taste of America Gala has traditionally been the DGA's largest fundraising event of the year. It is a two-tiered event, where the VIP Reception will merge with the General Reception at its completion.

Partner:

The DGA is partnering with Share our Strength for the Gala. They have brought in nine top chefs from around the country to cook for our guests, along with two mixologists. Share our Strength is a national organization that works hard to make sure no kid in America grows up hungry. Share Our Strength is a national nonprofit working to end childhood hunger by 2015. Share our Strength works to weave together a net of community groups, activists and food programs to catch children facing hunger and surround them with nutritious food. Read more about Share Our Strength here: <http://strength.org/>.

VIP Reception:
6:00 – 7:00pm

Two-hundred fifty attendees are expected in this closed press event. There is no speaking program. This reception is open to Governors, Governors' spouses, Governors' staff, and members of DGA's Founders' Circle (\$250k + donors), Chairman's Board (\$100k + donors) members and other VIPs.

Taste of America:
7:00 – 9:00pm

Eight-hundred attendees are expected in this closed press event. This reception is open to Governors, Governors' spouses, Governors' staff, and all DGA members. The speaking program will begin after a short video at approximately 7:15pm.

Speaking Program

7:15pm 5 minute video plays, Governors head to stage
7:20pm DGA Executive Director Colm O'Comartun thanks and introduces DGA Vice Chair, Gov. Perdue
7:25pm Gov. Perdue makes brief remarks & introduces DGA Chair, Gov. Martin O'Malley
7:30pm Gov. O'Malley makes brief remarks, acknowledges all Governors.
7:30pm Gov. O'Malley invites all chefs to the stage
7:45pm Gov. O'Malley thanks and closes

Staff Contacts:

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Sunday, February 26, 2012

7:30 – 10:00 pm

Senior Staff Reception & Dinner

Location:

The Occidental – Monument (reception), Presidential (dinner)
1475 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20004

Details:

The Senior Staff Reception is a reception for Governors' Staff and all DGA Members while the Governors and their spouses are at White House for President Obama's reception. There will be a private dinner for STAFF ONLY immediately following the reception at 9pm in a separate, private room at The Occidental.

Staff Contacts:

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Monday, February 27, 2012

7:30 – 9:00 am
Breakfast at 7am

Governors Only Meeting

Location:

JW Marriott – Salon 1
1331 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington DC 20004

Details:

This is a meeting for the Governors and their staff. The Governors will have assigned seats around a hollow square. This meeting is designed to encourage a frank discussion among Governors on a number of topics. To promote discussion among Governors, seating will be available for **ONE** staff person per Governor, not including spouses/security. Outside speakers will be invited in to present and then will be excused to create an actual Governors-only environment. This meeting will be closed press. There will be a buffet breakfast starting at 7:00am.

Agenda:

7:00am Salon 1 opens, buffet breakfast available
7:30am DGA Chair Gov. O'Malley opens the meeting
7:35am Presentation from Darden (*Presenter TBD*)

7:40am Presentation from DNC's Political Director
Jeffrey Lerner
8:00am 2011-2012 Race Overview from DGA Executive
Director Colm O'Comartun
8:15am Drive to 25: DGA's Plan for Winning in
2013/2014 Presentation from DGA Campaigns
Director Elisabeth Pearson
8:30am Open Discussion moderated by Gov. O'Malley
9:00am Gov. O'Malley concludes the meeting
Erin Gorman [REDACTED], gorman@dga.net

Staff Contact:

Chair's Dinner – Friday, February 25th

Jeremy Anderson ~ American Health Care Association

Andy Antrobus ~ Pfizer Inc

Sue Arthur ~ HP

Mark Bare ~ Motorola Solutions, Inc.

Anne Berry ~ AstraZeneca

Gary Blalack ~ GlaxoSmithKline

John Blandford ~ Blandford Group

Frazier Blaylock ~ Covanta Energy

Mike Bocchini ~ United Food and Commercial Workers

Jeff Bond ~ PhRMA

Byron Boothe ~ Intralot

Paul Brathwaite ~ The Podesta Group

Charles Breslin ~ Rittenhouse Consulting Group

Jim Brewer ~ International Union of Painters and Allied Trades

Bob Broadus ~ Allergan

Nikki Budzinski ~ UFCW

Stoney Burke ~ Southern Company

Jan Burrus ~ GlaxoSmithKline

Elena Butkus ~ Aetna

Donna Checkett ~ Aetna

Brynna Clark ~ GPhA

Susan Connelly ~ Darden

George Cook ~ Toyota Motor North America

Andrew Corsig ~ PhRMA

Darcy DaCosta ~ GTECH

Thad Daise ~ NEA

Meredith Delk ~ Amerigroup

Jim DeMay ~ Pfizer Inc

Andrew Dill ~ General Electric Company

Jonathan Dinesman ~ Centene

Paul DiNino ~ MAXIMUS

Bill Dudley ~ Aflac

Drue Duncan ~ Pfizer Inc

Fred DuVal ~ AZ Board of Regents

Wende Dwyer-Johnsen ~ BNSF Railway

Reese Edwards ~ UnitedHealth Group

Tom Edwards ~ Verizon

Nate Elias ~ Allergan Inc.

Kathy Feegel ~ Amgen

Joe Fleming ~ Scientific Games International. Inc

Ken Frazier ~ Merck

Gary Fuchs ~ HP

Steve Gallagher ~ NAHB

Sam Gibbs ~ eHealth, Inc

Parris Glendening ~ Governors' Institute on Community Design

Daniel Gomez ~ MAXIMUS

Francisco Gonzalez ~ RBC Capital Markets

Richard Gordon ~ Gordon Law Firm, PC

Paul Goss ~ Golden Living

Jack Graham ~ GSK

Kristen Gullott ~ brown rudnick

Chris Hamel ~ RBC Capital Markets

Peter Harty ~ Medco

Alex Heckler ~ LSN Partners

Ken Hiscoe ~ Pfizer Inc

Governor Jim Hodges ~ MAXIMUS

Ann Hogan ~ Keefe Group

Brendan Hostetler ~ UnitedHealth Group

Jennifer Hunter ~ Altria

Carl Hurst ~ Johnson Controls, Inc

Julie Idelkope ~ Pfizer Inc

Mike Johansen ~ MacAndrews & Forbes Holdings Inc.

Andrew Johnsen ~ BNSF Railway

Deron Johnson ~ Amgen

Sara Johnson Davis ~ Novartis Pharmaceutical Corp

Ronald Johnston ~ Johnson Controls, Inc.

Merissa Khachigian ~ Oracle

Saul Kilstein ~ Merck

Rick Knapp ~ Novartis Pharmaceuticals

Sean Kolaskar ~ Dutko Grayling

Barry Lambergerman ~ Motorola Solutions, Inc.

Leighton Lang ~ TracFone Wireless, Inc

Courtney Larkin ~ Travelers

Sarah Lashford ~ Edison Electric Institute

Brent Layton ~ Centene

Mark Luckes ~ Johnson Controls Inc.

Tim Lyden ~ Lilly USA, LLC

Jonathan Mantz ~ BGR Group

Jason Martiesian ~ UnitedHealth Group

Keith Mason ~ McKenna Long & Aldridge LLP

Gary Matz ~ Time Warner Cable

Amy Maxwell ~ Dutko Grayling

Chris McGowen ~ Novo Nordisk Inc.

Rachel McGreevy ~ International Council of Shopping Centers

Jim McGreevy ~ American Beverage Association

Jack McNeill ~ Scientific Games International. Inc

Tom Moriarty ~ Medco

Kathy Muenks ~ GTECH

Rhyse Nance ~ AshBritt, Inc.

Michael Neidorff ~ Centene Corporation

Corydon Nicholson ~ Archer Daniels Midland Company

Shaylah Nunn ~ Novo Nordisk Inc.

Ron Orlando ~ Comcast

Chantel Ornstein ~ Scientific Games International. Inc

Chris Ott ~ RYO Machine Rental, General Counsel

Steve Palmer ~ DutkoGrayling

Ashley Perkins ~ AshBritt, Inc.

Brian Perry ~ Golden Living

Gene Rackley ~ Coca-Cola Refreshments

Kevin Riordan ~ Amerigroup

Kim Rogers ~ UFCW

Richard Salzman ~ TracFone Wireless, Inc.

Jared Sawyer ~ Citigroup Management Corp.

Alden Schacher ~ Apollo Group

Don Siegelman ~ Former Governor

Linda Sikkema ~ AstraZeneca
 Chris Sloan ~ International Union of Painters and Allied Trades
 Kenneth Smith ~ Jobs for America's Graduates
 Philip Smith ~ Philip C. Smith & Associates
 Michael Smith ~ Walgreens
 Kipp Snider ~ Amgen
 John Snider ~ Arch Coal, Inc
 Russ Spencer ~ Pfizer Inc
 Mike Stratton ~ Stratton-Carpenter & Associates
 Robert Sweeney ~ Citigroup Management Corp.

Ted Trimpa ~ Trimpa Group, LLC
 Steve Truebner ~ Johnson Controls
 Henry Turner ~ Altria
 Herb Tyson ~ TIGRS
 Brad Viator ~ Edison Electric Institute
 Jeff Viohl ~ Viohl & Associates
 Josh White ~ MacAndrews & Forbes Holdings Inc.
 Lyle Williamson ~ Verizon
 Scott Wise ~ Aflac
 Chris Womack ~ Southern Company
 Al Wong ~ MAXIMUS

Late Night – Friday, February 24th

Phil Accordino ~ CEO, RYO Machine Rental
 Tom Altmeyer ~ Arch Coal, Inc.
 Jeremy Anderson ~ American Health Care Association
 Andy Antrobus ~ Pfizer Inc
 Victor Arranaga ~ Applied Materials
 Sue Arthur ~ HP
 Bob Babbage ~ Babbage Cofounder
 Laura Babbage ~ Babbage Cofounder
 Anne Bailey ~ Service Employees International Union
 Mark Bare ~ Motorola Solutions.com
 Kate Barry ~ Medtronic
 Eric Beane ~ Office of Gov. O'Malley
 Brooke Bell ~ NAHU
 Anne Berry ~ AstraZeneca
 Melissa Bishop-Murphy ~ Pfizer Inc
 Gary Blalack ~ GlaxoSmithKline
 Frazier Blaylock ~ Covanta Energy
 Mike Bocchini ~ United Food and Commercial Workers
 Devin Boerm ~ Teamsters
 Michael Bolen ~ Medtronic
 Bob Bond ~ ResCare
 Kathy Bovid ~ Bristol-Myers Squibb
 John Bowman ~ American Association for Justice
 Stephen Boyle ~ PJM Interconnection
 Charles Breslin ~ Rittenhouse Consulting Group
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 Jim Brewer ~ International Union of Painters and Allied Trades
 Bob Broadus ~ Allergan
 Nikki Budzinski ~ UFCW
 Jan Burrus ~ GlaxoSmithKline
 Elena Butkus ~ Aetna
 Kevin Canan ~ MainStreet Advocates
 Frank Chechile ~ HP
 Donna Checkett ~ Aetna
 David Christman ~ National Beer Wholesalers Association
 Brynna Clark ~ GPhA

Marshall Cohen ~ Nuclear Energy Institute
 Cheyanne Cook ~ Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals
 Bob Corn ~ Landmark Strategies Inc
 Andrew Corsig ~ PhRMA
 Brian Coyne ~ Amerigroup
 Mary Culler ~ Ford Motor Company
 Greg Curtis ~ Avalanche Advisors
 Lynn Cutler ~ holland and knight
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 Darcy DaCosta ~ GTECH
 Diana Daggett ~ Intel Corporation
 Jim Davis ~ S.R. Wojdak & Associates
 Gerard Dehrmann ~ Walmart Stores, Inc.
 Meredith Delk ~ Amerigroup
 Jim DeMay ~ Pfizer Inc
 Daryn Demeritt ~ ResCare
 Dan DeSimone ~ State of Connecticut, Office of the Governor
 Andrew Dill ~ General Electric Company
 Jonathan Dinesman ~ Centene Corporation
 Paul DiNino ~ MAXIMUS
 Bill Dudley ~ Aflac
 Drue Duncan ~ Pfizer Inc
 Fred DuVal ~ AZ Board of Regents
 Eric Ebenstein ~ HP
 Reese Edwards ~ UnitedHealth Group
 Tom Edwards ~ Verizon
 Nate Elias ~ Allergan Inc.
 Kathy Feegel ~ Amgen
 Ricky Feller ~ AFSCME
 Anita Fete ~ Teamsters
 Eileen Filler-Corn ~ Albers&Company
 Joe Fleming ~ Scientific Games International, Inc.
 Courtney Foley ~ UFCW
 Eric Friedman ~ Deloitte
 Neely Frye ~ Novartis Pharmaceuticals
 Gary Fuchs ~ HP
 Jamie Gagnon ~ MorphoTrust USA (formerly L-1 Identity Solutions)
 Geoff Gallo ~ AstraZeneca

Joe Ganley ~ McKesson
 Maureen Garde ~ DNC
 Dan Garry ~ 3M Company
 Genna Gent ~ American Beverage Association
 Sam Gibbs ~ eHealth, Inc
 Daniel Gomez ~ MAXIMUS
 Bea Gonzalez ~ RYO Machine Rental
 Francisco Gonzalez ~ RBC Capital Markets
 Richard Gordon ~ Gordon Law Firm, PC
 Paul Goss ~ Golden Living
 Jack Graham ~ GSK
 Angie Grover ~ McKesson
 Kristen Gullott ~ Brown Rudnick
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 Peter Harty ~ Medco
 Alex Heckler ~ LSN Partners
 Paula Henderson ~ SAS Institute
 Greg Henderson ~ SAS Institute
 Terrance Herron ~ Microsoft Corporation
 Ken Hiscoe ~ Pfizer Inc
 Governor Jim Hodges ~ MAXIMUS
 Tom Hogan ~ Louis Berger Group
 Ann Hogan ~ Keefe Group
 Chris Hollis ~ Troutman Sanders Strategies
 Brendan Hostetler ~ UnitedHealth Group
 Doug Howard ~ Policy Studies Inc.
 Jim Howe ~ USEC
 Scott Howell ~ IBM
 Cara Huang ~ State of Maryland
 Fred Humphries ~ Microsoft Corporation
 Kathy Hurley ~ Pearson Foundation
 Carl Hurst ~ Johnson Controls, Inc
 Julie Idelkope ~ Pfizer Inc
 Ed Ingle ~ Microsoft Corporation
 Katrina Iserman ~ Sunovion Pharmaceuticals Inc.
 David Javdan ~ Alvarez & Marsal
 Hilary Jochmans ~
 Mike Johansen ~ Scientific Games International, Inc.
 Deron Johnson ~ Amgen
 Sara Johnson Davis ~ Novartis Pharmaceutical corp
 Ronald Johnston ~ Johnson Controls, Inc.
 Azubike Kalu-Nwiwu ~ Service Employees
 International Union
 Robert Kearley ~ Sunovion Pharmaceuticals Inc.
 Merissa Khachigian ~ Oracle
 Rick Knapp ~ Novartis Pharmaceuticals
 Robert Knight ~ ResCare
 Andrew Ko ~ Microsoft Corporation
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 Christopher Labonte ~ Sellers Dorsey
 Sarah Lacy ~ General Motors Company
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 Margaret Laub ~ Policy Studies Inc.
 Cindy Laubacher ~ Medco Health Solutions, Inc.
 Brent Layton ~ Centene
 Dan Leary ~ T-Mobile USA, Inc.
 Len Levine ~ Datacard Group
 Jessica Lindgren ~ ResCare
 Johann Lopez ~ Launch Beverage Co.
 Mark Luckes ~ Johnson Controls Inc.
 Tim Lyden ~ Lilly USA, LLC
 Jack MacDonald ~ Golden Living
 JP Maheras ~ Walgreens
 Jonathan Mantz ~ BGR Group
 Caroline Martin ~ Oxbow Carbon, LLC
 Keith Mason ~ McKenna Long & Aldridge LLP
 Kate Massey ~ Amerigroup
 Chris Massey ~ MainStreet Advocates
 Amy Maxwell ~ Dutko Grayling
 Clay McClure ~ Blue Cross Blue Shield Association
 Don McCorquodale ~ SAS Institute
 Mike McGarey ~ Nuclear Energy Institute
 Chris McGowen ~ Novo Nordisk Inc.
 Rachel McGreevy ~ International Council of
 Shopping Centers
 Nancy McKee ~ Sunovion
 C Thomas McMillen ~ Homeland Security Capital
 Corporation
 Jack McNeill ~ Scientific Games International, Inc.
 Lenny Mendonca ~ Alvarez & Marsal
 Paul Miller ~ Astellas Pharma US, Inc.
 Steve Mitchell ~ Astellas Pharma US, Inc.
 Mona Mohib ~ McGuireWoods Consulting
 Tom Moriarty ~ Medco
 Barbara Morrow ~ Astellas Pharma US, Inc.
 David Morton ~ Elcom
 Jared Moskowitz ~ AshBritt, Inc.
 Kathy Muenks ~ GTECH
 Rhyse Nance ~ AshBritt, Inc.
 Michael Neidorff ~ Centene Corporation
 Corydon Nicholson ~ Archer Daniels Midland
 Company
 Shaylah Nunn ~ Novo Nordisk Inc.
 Sara O'Neill ~ Shell Oil Company, West Coast Gov.
 Relations Mgr.
 Tim Onoff ~ NSI
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 Richard Salzman ~ TracFone Wireless, Inc.
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 Maggie Sans ~ Walmart Stores, Inc
 Russell Sarazen ~ T-Mobile USA, Inc.
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 Don Siegelman ~ Former Governor
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 Linda Sikkema ~ AstraZeneca
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 Lorin Alusic ~ International Council of Shopping Centers
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 Eric Beane ~ State of Maryland
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Jack Dangermond ~ Esri	Brent Layton ~ Centene
Chris Davis ~ GPhA	Dan Leary ~ T-Mobile USA, Inc.
Jim DeMay ~ Pfizer Inc	Jack MacDonald ~ Golden Living
Amy Dempster ~ Genentech, Inc	Keith Mason ~
Joe DiGiovanni ~ Liberty Mutual Insurance	Kate Massey ~ Amerigroup
Jonathan Dinesman ~ Centene	Amy Maxwell ~ Dutko Grayling
Paul DiNino ~ MAXIMUS	Clay McClure ~ Blue Cross Blue Shield Association
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Ricky Feller ~ AFSCME	Tom Moriarty ~ Medco Health Solutions, Inc.
Anita Fete ~	Jared Moskowitz ~ AshBritt, Inc.
Eileen Filler-Corn ~ Albers&Company	Kathy Muenks ~ GTECH
Bob Finnell ~ Online Litigation Group	Rhyse Nance ~ AshBritt, Inc.
Allison Fleming ~ Entertainment Software Association	Susan Neely ~ American Beverage Association
Joe Fleming ~ Scientific Games International, Inc.	Corydon Nicholson ~ Archer Daniels Midland Company
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Daniel Gomez ~ MAXIMUS	Ashley Perkins ~ AshBritt, Inc.
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Paul Goss ~ Golden Living	Sean Rahn ~ Best Buy Co. Inc.
Jack Graham ~ GlaxoSmithKline	David Reid ~ UnitedHealth Group
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Masumi Kikkawa ~ Governors' Institute on Community Design	Molly Slingerland ~ Altria Client Services Inc.
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David Kolbe ~ Iron Workers	Philip Smith ~
Courtney Lamie ~ GPhA	John Snider ~ Arch Coal, Inc.
Leighton Lang ~ TracFone Wireless, Inc.	
Courtney Larkin ~ Travelers	
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 Elena Butkus ~ Aetna
 Kevin Canan ~ MainStreet Advocates
 Jean Cantrell ~ Philips
 Minor Carter ~ Liberty Mutual Insurance
 Frank Checkile ~ Hewlett Packard
 David Christman ~ National Beer Wholesalers Association
 Brynna Clark ~ GPhA
 Joy Clarke-Holmes ~ Johnson Controls, Inc
 David Cobb ~ HDR
 Cathy Connor ~ Parsons Brinckerhoff
 Cheyanne Cook ~ Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals
 Eric Cooksey ~ Coldwell Banker Realty
 Bob Corn ~
 Andrew Corsig ~ PhRMA

Brian Coyne ~ Amerigroup
 Mary Culler ~ Ford Motor Company
 Patricia Cummins ~ Esri
 Darcy DaCosta ~ GTECH
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 Amanda Fuchs Miller ~ Seventh Street Strategies
 Kevin Fuller ~ Bayer Corporation
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 Jeff Hart ~ Blackboard Inc.
 Carrie Hartgen ~ AdvaMed
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 Paula Henderson ~ SAS Institute
 Greg Henderson ~
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 Robert Knight ~ ResCare
 Sean Kolaskar ~ Dutko Grayling
 David Kolbe ~ Iron Workers
 Marsha Kwalwasser ~ Northrop Grumman
 Christopher Labonte ~ Sellers Dorsey
 Courtney Lamie ~ GPhA
 Leighton Lang ~ TracFone Wireless, Inc.
 Courtney Larkin ~ Travelers
 John Larkin ~ JC Larkin Company
 Sarah Lashford ~ Edison Electric Institute
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 Margaret Laub ~ Policy Studies Inc.
 Cindy Laubacher ~ Medco Health Solutions, Inc.
 Brent Layton ~ Centene
 Dan Leary ~ T-Mobile USA, Inc.
 Hal Lenox ~ General Motors Company
 Len Levine ~ Datacard Group
 Carole Levine ~
 Jessica Lindgren ~ ResCare
 Johann Lopez ~ Launch Beverage Co.
 Ken Lovan ~ ResCare
 Jack MacDonald ~ Golden Living
 Curt Magleby ~ Ford Motor Company
 Keith Mason ~
 Kate Massey ~ Amerigroup
 Chris Massey ~ MainStreet Advocates
 Kevin Matthews ~ NSI
 Amy Maxwell ~ Dutko Grayling
 Clay McClure ~ Blue Cross Blue Shield Association
 Don McCorquodale ~ SAS Institute
 Leslie McDowell ~ International Council of Shopping Centers
 Chris McGowen ~ Novo Nordisk Inc
 Rachel McGreevy ~ International Council of Shopping Centers
 Nancy McKee ~ Sunovion Pharmaceuticals Inc.
 Colin McLetchie ~ Blackboard Inc.
 Jack McNeill ~ Scientific Games International, Inc.
 Lenny Mendoca ~ McKinsey
 Paul Miller ~ Astellas Pharma US, Inc.
 Adam Miller ~ Astellas Pharma US, Inc.
 Jeremy Miller ~
 Jane Moffat ~ McKenna Long & Aldridge LLP
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 Laurence Pelosi ~ RBC Capital Markets
 Ashley Perkins ~ AshBritt, Inc.
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 Walter Wise ~ Iron Workers
 Lee Wood ~ Prudential Financial
 Josh Young ~ American Chemistry Council
 Kelly Young ~ CBRE

Senior Staff Reception – Sunday, February 26th

Tom Altmeyer ~ Arch Coal, Inc.
 Jeremy Anderson ~ American Health Care Association
 Victor Arranaga ~ Applied Materials
 Sue Arthur ~ HP
 Anne Bailey ~ Service Employees International Union
 Preston Baldwin ~ Centerpoint360, LLC / Coca Cola Co.
 Mark Bare ~ MotorolaSolutions
 Kate Barry ~ Medtronic
 Anne Berry ~ AstraZeneca
 Gary Blalack ~ GlaxoSmithKline
 Mike Bocchini ~ United Food and Commercial Workers
 Michael Bolen ~ Medtronic
 Bob Bond ~ ResCare
 Kathy Bovid ~ Bristol-Myers Squibb
 Paul Brathwaite ~ The Podesta Group
 Charles Breslin ~ Rittenhouse Consulting Group
 Jim Brewer ~ International Union of Painters and Allied Trades
 Bob Broadus ~ Allergan

Shawn Brown ~ GPhA
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 Patricia Cummins ~ Esri
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 Darcy DaCosta ~ GTECH
 Diana Daggett ~ Intel Corporation
 Meredith Delk ~ Amerigroup
 Jim DeMay ~ Pfizer Inc
 Daryn Demeritt ~ ResCare
 Dan DeSimone ~ State of Connecticut, Office of the Governor
 Jonathan Dinesman ~ Centene Corporation
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 Bill Dudley ~ Aflac
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 Tom Edwards ~ Verizon
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 Eric Friedman ~ Deloitte
 Neely Frye ~ Novartis Pharmaceuticals
 Gary Fuchs ~ HP
 Kevin Fuller ~ Bayer Corporation
 Anna Gadbois ~ CGI
 Jamie Gagnon ~ MorphoTrust USA (formerly L-1 Identity Solutions)
 Steve Gallagher ~ NAHB
 Joseph Ganley ~ McKesson
 Joan Gardner ~ Blue Cross Blue Shield Association
 Dan Garry ~ 3M Company
 Larry Goldman ~ larry.goldman@valueoptions.com
 Daniel Gomez ~ MAXIMUS
 Bea Gonzalez ~ RYO Machine Rental
 Francisco Gonzalez ~ RBC Capital Markets
 Richard Gordon ~ Gordon Law Firm, PC
 Jack Graham ~ GSK
 Amy Grazer ~ ValueOptions
 Kristen Gullott ~ Brown Rudnick
 Becky Halkias ~ PhRMA
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From: Erin Gorman [gorman@DGA.net]
Sent: Tuesday, February 21, 2012 12:05 PM
To: Erin Gorman
Cc: Ian Walton; Roshan Patel; Kelly Berens
Subject: CALL TODAY re: DGA Events around NGA & UPDATED Briefing
Attachments: DGA Governors' Briefing - NGA 2012 - 2 21 2012.pdf

All –

Please find an updated briefing attached to this email. We are still in talks with the White House nailing down details for the meeting on Friday morning and will send out updates as they are made available. We will also have a supplemental briefing and talking points available for your bosses tomorrow.

Please join us for a staff briefing call TODAY at 4pm EST. The call-in information is below.

4:00 pm EST Tuesday, February 21st

Conference Access:

Toll free: [REDACTED]

Participant Passcode: [REDACTED]

Thank you for your help and patience this week, we're looking forward to a great weekend!

Erin

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Democratic Governors

FROM: Colm O'Comartun, Ian Walton, Erin Gorman

RE: Meeting at the White House on 2/24/12

Eisenhower Executive Office Building (EEOB)

Secretary of War Room

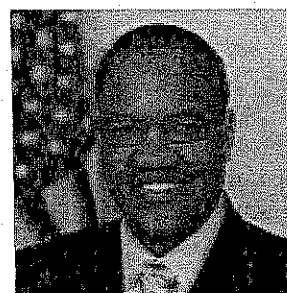
Drop-off: 17th and State Place

Time: 10:00 am to 12:15 pm

Background: Michael Strautmanis, the acting Director of Intergovernmental Affairs at the White House will act as moderator for the meeting. He will introduce each guest to the Governors.

Bio: Michael Strautmanis, Acting Director of Intergovernmental Affairs

Michael Strautmanis is currently the Acting Director of Intergovernmental Affairs for the Obama Administration. Before this, Michael was serving as the Deputy Assistant to the President and Counselor for Strategic Engagement to the Senior Advisor Valerie Jarrett. In this role, Michael is responsible for coordinating communication and engagement strategies. In addition, he will serve as a senior advisor to the President's Council on Jobs and Competitiveness. Formerly, Michael was the Chief of Staff to the Senior Advisor for the offices of Public Engagement and Intergovernmental Affairs.



10:00 – 10:20 am – Democratic Governors Meet with Secretary Bryson

Background on Invest America and Select USA: Invest in America was incorporated into SelectUSA on June 15, 2011. SelectUSA was established by Executive Order of the President and is housed within the U.S. Department of Commerce. SelectUSA is a U.S. government-wide effort to encourage, facilitate, and accelerate business investment in the United States by both domestic and foreign firms—a major engine of economic growth and job creation.

SelectUSA provides enhanced coordination to existing resources and functions within the U.S. Department of Commerce and across all federal departments and agencies with operations relevant to business investment. It works in partnership with state, regional, and local economic development organizations to promote and facilitate overall U.S. business attraction, retention, and reshoring. SelectUSA works on behalf of the United States and exercises strict geographic neutrality.

To find more information about SelectUSA and how it assists business investment in the United States, and to view the list of federal resources available, please click here to access SelectUSA's website: www.selectusa.gov.

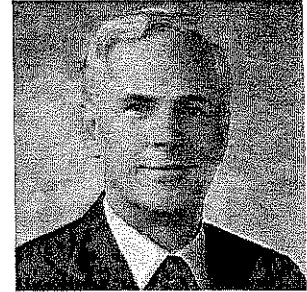
Bio: Secretary John Bryson, Department of Commerce

John Bryson was appointed by President Obama as the 37th Secretary of Commerce and sworn into office on October 21, 2011. Bryson has nearly three decades of business experience, including 18 years as Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Edison International.

Secretary Bryson will be a key member of President Obama's economic team and will work to implement the administration's top economic priority: accelerating job creation. He will work to strengthen the economic

recovery and U.S. competitiveness, and serve as a voice for the business community in the president's Cabinet.

As Commerce Secretary, Bryson will oversee an agency charged with helping make American businesses more innovative and successful at home and more competitive abroad. He will focus on achieving the President's National Export Initiative goals of doubling U.S. exports by the end of 2014; implementing historic reform of the U.S. patent system; overseeing the president's SelectUSA initiative to encourage more companies—American and foreign—to establish or expand U.S. operations to create more jobs for the American people; and, strengthening America's manufacturing sector including the small- and medium-sized manufacturers.



Bryson will also lead the effort to foster new economic development clusters that take advantage of regional strengths; expand the country's broadband infrastructure and effectively manage its spectrum as America gears up to build a national, interoperable wireless network for first responders; strengthen U.S. coastal communities and our weather and oceans science, promote sustainable fisheries and our fishing industry and support critical satellite programs; and, continue the effort to reform a Cold War-era export control system.

Bryson served as Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Edison International, the parent company of Southern California Edison and Edison Mission Group, from 1990 to 2008. At Edison, he led the utility through the California energy crisis. As CEO, he created a competitive power subsidiary, the Mission Group, which expanded across the U.S. and was a global leader in the privatization of power plants and electric systems in Australia, New Zealand, Thailand, the Philippines and several European countries. Bryson has served as a director on several public, educational and non-profit boards, including The Boeing Company, The Walt Disney Company and has served as an adviser and a director of entrepreneurial and start-up companies including Coda Automotive, Inc. and BrightSource Energy. He was a senior adviser to the global investment firm Kohlberg Kravis Roberts (KKR).

Prior to joining the private sector, Bryson served as president of the California Public Utilities Commission and chairman of the California State Water Resources Control Board. Before joining Edison, Bryson was a partner in the law firm of Morrison and Foerster. Shortly after earning his J.D. from Yale law school, he and some classmates received a grant from the Ford Foundation to form the Natural Resources Defense Council in 1971. Bryson is a graduate of Stanford University. He and his wife Louise have four daughters.

10:20 – 10:40 am – Democratic Governors Meet with Steve Case

Background on Start Up America Partnership: The Startup America Partnership is based on a simple premise: young companies that grow create jobs. As a core American value, entrepreneurship is critical to the country's long term success and it's time to step up our game.

We have three main goals:

1. Provide valuable resources and connections to help young companies grow
2. Support regional startup ecosystems throughout the country
3. Recognize startups as the drivers of our economy and their founders as American heroes

PARTNER RESOURCES

So far, we've assembled more than \$1 Billion worth of commitments from dozens of partners to support the growth of startups in five key areas:

Expertise: Connect startups with training, mentors, advisors and accelerators

Services: Provide startups with access to critical services at reduced costs

Talent: Assist startups in recruiting, training and retaining the people that can help them grow

Customers: Help startups through acquisition of new customers and expansion into new markets

Capital: Highlight sources of capital available to startups in various regions and sectors

Once startups apply and become a Startup America Firm, they can access and manage these resources through a personalized dashboard.

In addition to the product and service focused offerings, Startup America Firms gain access to Connection Programs which provide unique opportunities to connect with thought leaders, major corporations (as partners or customers), customers, and more.

STARTUP REGIONS

We are working on a regional basis with local serial entrepreneurs to support and grow startup ecosystems across the country. Leaders in cities from Des Moines and New Orleans to Nashville and Burlington are strengthening their local startup networks and engaging young companies to help them grow organically in their hometown. All of the Startup America Regions are grassroots, entrepreneur-led initiatives and serve as a rallying point to bring all the elements together – entrepreneurs and startups, local talent and universities, activities and mentorship, large companies and local government – all to help startups grow.

RECOGNITION & CELEBRATION

We continually highlight the importance of startups and the teams that drive them as innovators and job creators, while celebrating entrepreneurship as a core American value. We aspire to make creating or joining an American startup the most desirable job in the world. We're working at events across the country capturing and sharing startup stories, celebrating newly-minted and seasoned entrepreneurs, and promoting startups as the nation's core economic engine. We're always looking for great stories – tell yours here.

Startups are at the heart of the Startup America Partnership. Our “customers” are the founders and their teams who strive to establish and grow their companies – creating amazing jobs along the way. Join us as a startup, corporate partner, resource provider, regional leader or simply cheer startups on by tracking our progress.

Bio: Steve Case, Chairman, Startup America Partnership

Steve Case is one of America's best-known and most accomplished entrepreneurs and philanthropists, and a pioneer in making the Internet part of everyday life.

Steve co-founded America Online (AOL) in 1985, when the Internet was in its infancy. Under Steve's leadership as Chairman and CEO, AOL became the world's largest and most valuable Internet company. AOL helped drive the worldwide adoption of a medium that has transformed business and society. AOL's early focus on ease of use and social media set the stage for its rapid growth, and at its peak nearly half of Internet users in the United States used AOL. In 1992, AOL became the first

Internet company to go public, and was the best performing stock of the 1990s, with a 11,616% return. At the peak of the Internet boom, Steve negotiated what remains the largest merger in business history, bringing together AOL and Time Warner in a transaction that gave AOL shareholders a majority stake in the combined company. To facilitate the merger, Steve agreed to step down as CEO when the merger closed in 2001. He served as Chairman of the Board of the combined company (then known as AOL Time Warner) until 2003.



Steve then went back to his entrepreneurial roots, and in recent years has partnered with more than a dozen entrepreneurs as an investor and mentor. Steve created a holding company called Revolution in 2005 to oversee his rapidly expanding investments. Revolution now has four divisions: Revolution Growth, which invests in high-growth consumer companies (including Zipcar, LivingSocial, and Exclusive Resorts); Revolution Ventures, which backs early-stage technology companies (including Vinfolio, Snagfilms, and

UberMedia); Revolution Health, which invests in health and wellness businesses (including SparkPeople, Extend Health and Brainscope); and Revolution Places, which develops real estate and hospitality businesses (including Grove Farm and Maui Land & Pineapple in Hawaii, Cacique in Costa Rica, and Miraval in Arizona). The success of AOL, coupled with Steve's post-AOL track record building businesses through Revolution, led CNBC to call Steve "one of the nation's greatest entrepreneurs."

Steve is also Chairman of the Case Foundation, a private family foundation he established in 1997 with his wife Jean. Built on the principles of leadership, collaboration and entrepreneurship, the Case Foundation seeks to tap the power of the Internet, new technologies and entrepreneurial approaches to help strengthen the social sector. The Case Foundation has invested in hundreds of organizations, initiatives and partnerships in the U.S. and around the globe. Steve and Jean joined The Giving Pledge, started by Bill Gates and Warren Buffett in 2010, and publicly reaffirmed their commitment to give away the majority of their wealth to fund worthy charitable causes.

Steve was born and raised in Hawaii and retains active ties to his home state, but has lived in the Washington D.C. area for more than 25 years. He was a leading voice in shaping government policy regarding the Internet, including bridging the digital divide, making the Internet a safe place for children, and nurturing civic engagement. Later, he was a member of the State Department's Advisory Committee on Transformational Diplomacy. Currently, Steve is Chairman of the Startup America Partnership, and co-chair of the National Advisory Council on Innovation and Entrepreneurship. Both efforts are aimed at celebrating and accelerating entrepreneurship. He is also co-chair of The Democracy Project, an initiative of the Bipartisan Policy Center to bring bipartisan and diverse voices together to help enhance the ability of government to grapple with the nation's challenges.

10:40 – 11:00 am – Democratic Governors Meet with HUD Secretary Shaun Donovan

Background on the Mortgage Settlement: After many months of negotiation, 49 state attorneys general and the federal government have reached agreement on a historic joint state-federal settlement with the country's five largest loan servicers: Ally/GMAC, Bank of America, Citi, JPMorgan Chase, and Wells Fargo. The settlement will provide as much as \$25 billion in relief to distressed borrowers and direct payments to states and the federal government. It's the largest multistate settlement since the Tobacco Settlement in 1998.

The agreement settles state and federal investigations finding that the country's five largest loan servicers routinely signed foreclosure related documents outside the presence of a notary public and without really knowing whether the facts they contained were correct. Both of these practices violate the law. The settlement provides benefits to borrowers whose loans are owned by the settling banks as well as to many of the borrowers whose loans they service.

Talking Points: Historic Agreement to Help Homeowners and Strengthen the Housing Market

- Recently, the Federal Government and 49 state attorneys general announced a landmark agreement of at least \$25 billion with the nation's five largest mortgage servicers – Bank of America, JP Morgan, Citigroup, Wells Fargo, and Ally Financial – to address mortgage loan servicing and foreclosure abuses.
- This historic agreement is good news for the housing market and good news for homeowners all across the country. The agreement represents the largest federal-state civil settlement ever agreed to.
- This agreement not only provides substantial financial relief to homeowners, it establishes new homeowner protections for the future.
- Last fall, the Administration unveiled a series of steps to help responsible homeowners refinance their mortgages to take advantage of historically low rates. Last week, the President urged Congress to pass a plan that would help millions more refinance and stay in their homes. We need to keep doing everything we can to help homeowners and our economy. The American people need Congress to act.

- Today, with the help of Democratic and Republican attorneys general from nearly every state in the country, we took a major step on our own.
- While the government cannot fix the housing market on its own, the President believes that homeowners should not have to sit and wait for the market to hit bottom to get relief when there are measures at hand that can make a meaningful difference.

Highlights of the Agreement

\$20 billion dedicated to relief for homeowners:

- At least \$10 billion to reduce principal for borrowers who owe more on their mortgages than their homes are worth, making it easier for them to avoid foreclosure.
- At least \$3 billion refinancing program for underwater homeowners who are current on their mortgages.
- Up to \$7 billion to provide other relief for homeowners, including principal forbearance for unemployed borrowers, support for anti-blight programs, short sales and transitional assistance, and benefits for our brave men and women in uniform who were forced to sell their homes at a loss because they were required to change bases.

\$5 Billion to state and federal governments:

- \$1.5 billion to provide cash payments to borrowers whose homes were sold or taken in foreclosure. Borrowers will be eligible for a uniform payment which will be about \$2,000 per borrower depending on the level of response.
- \$3.5 billion will go to state and federal governments to be used to fund housing counselors, legal aid, and other uses at discretion of state attorneys general.

This announcement creates special protections for America's Servicemembers:

- Servicemembers will be required to make payments to any servicemember who was a victim of a wrongful foreclosure or who was wrongfully charged a higher interest rate. This compensation for servicemembers is in addition to the \$25 billion settlement amount.

Settlement comes on the heels of the President's housing plan:

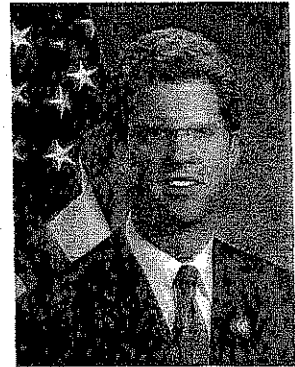
The President will continue to do everything he can to strengthen the housing market and help homeowners. This agreement comes on the heels of President Obama's housing plan he laid out last week. A few steps he announced last week include:

- The President's plan will provide responsible borrowers who are current on their payments with an opportunity to refinance and take advantage of historically low interest rates, cutting through the red tape that prevents these borrowers from saving hundreds of dollars a month and an average of \$3,000 per year.
- The President also put forward a single set of standards, or a Homeowner Bill of Rights, to make sure borrowers and lenders play by the same rules. Servicemembers are now agreeing to extensive new servicing standards that would begin to implement these rules.
- Additionally, during the State of the Union, the President asked the Attorney General to create a special unit of federal prosecutors and leading state attorneys general to expand our investigations into the abusive lending and packaging of risky mortgages that led to the housing crisis. This new unit will hold accountable those who broke the law, speed assistance to homeowners, and help turn the page on an era of recklessness that hurt so many Americans. This effort marshals new resources to investigate misconduct that contributed to the financial crisis under the leadership of federal and state co-chairs.

Bio: Secretary Shaun Donovan, Department of Housing & Urban Development

On January 26, 2009, Shaun Donovan was sworn in as the 15th United States Secretary for Housing and Urban Development. He has devoted his career to ensuring access to safe, decent, and affordable housing, and has continued that effort in the Obama Administration. Secretary Donovan believes that America's homes are the foundation for family, safe neighborhoods, good schools, and job creation.

His tenure as HUD Secretary has reflected his commitment to making quality housing possible for every American. Sworn in at a time when the foreclosure crisis had devastated American families, under Secretary Donovan's leadership HUD has helped stabilize the housing market and worked to keep responsible families in their homes. The agency has instituted reforms that have solidified the Federal Housing Administration's financial position and protected the taxpayer against risk, while still preserving FHA's mission of providing responsible access to homeownership.



Secretary Donovan has reaffirmed HUD's commitment to building strong, sustainable, inclusive neighborhoods that are connected to education and jobs and provide access to opportunity for all Americans. He has launched new initiatives like Choice Neighborhoods, which will enable distressed communities to use proven mixed-use, mixed-finance tools to transform not just federally-assisted housing, but the neighborhoods around that housing. And through the new Sustainable Communities partnership with the Department of Transportation and the Environmental Protection Agency, HUD is helping regions and communities develop comprehensive housing and transportation plans that create jobs and help American businesses out-innovate their global competitors.

Secretary Donovan has a long history of working to provide affordable housing to American families. He previously served as Commissioner of the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development (HPD). He created and implemented HPD's New Housing Marketplace Plan to build and preserve 165,000 affordable homes, the largest municipal affordable housing plan in the nation's history. His work at HPD included the New York City Acquisition Fund, an award-winning collaboration with foundations and banks to finance affordable housing; an innovative inclusionary zoning program; an ambitious supportive housing plan; and the Center for New York City Neighborhoods, one of the earliest responses to the foreclosure crisis. Before his service as HPD Commissioner, Secretary Donovan worked in the private sector on financing affordable housing, and was a visiting scholar at New York University, where he researched and wrote about the preservation of federally-assisted housing.

He was also a consultant to the Millennial Housing Commission on strategies for increasing the production of multifamily housing. The Commission was created by the United States Congress to recommend ways to expand housing opportunities across the nation. Secretary Donovan rejoins HUD after his previous service in the Clinton administration as Deputy Assistant Secretary for Multifamily Housing, where he was the primary federal official responsible for privately-owned multifamily housing. At that time, he ran housing programs that helped 1.7 million families access affordable housing.

He also served as acting FHA Commissioner during the Clinton/Bush presidential transition. Prior to his first service at HUD, he worked at the Community Preservation Corporation (CPC) in New York City, a non-profit lender and developer of affordable housing. He also researched and wrote about housing policy at the Joint Center for Housing Studies at Harvard University and worked as an architect. Secretary Donovan holds a B.A. and Masters degrees in Public Administration and Architecture from Harvard.

11:00 am to 11:05 am – Remarks from Governor O'Malley to Democratic Governors

- He will ask the Governors to stand strong together while meeting with the President and afterwards at the press stakeout.
- Governor O'Malley will remind Governors to stay on the talking points provided to them
- Governor O'Malley will encourage the use of failed Republican efforts to divide and peel Democrats apart to show division against the President.

11:05 am to 11:15 am – Remarks from Senior Advisor Valerie Jarrett

- Senior Advisor Valerie Jarrett will address the group of Governors and introduce President Barack Obama as he enters the room

Bio: Senior Advisor Valerie Jarrett

Valerie B. Jarrett is a Senior Advisor to President Barack Obama. She is also the Chair of the White House Council on Women and Girls.

Prior to joining the Obama Administration, she was the Chief Executive Officer of The Habitat Company. She also served as Co-Chair of the Obama-Biden Presidential Transition Team, and Senior Advisor to Obama's presidential campaign.

Ms. Jarrett has held positions in both the public and private sector, including the Chairman of the Chicago Transit Board, the Commissioner of Planning and Development for the City of Chicago, and Deputy Chief of Staff for Mayor Richard M. Daley. She also practiced law with two private law firms.

Jarrett also served as a director of corporate and not for profit boards, including Chairman of the Board of the Chicago Stock Exchange, Director of the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, and Chairman of the University of Chicago Medical Center Board of Trustees.

Jarrett received her B.A. from Stanford University in 1978 and her J.D. from the University of Michigan Law School in 1981.



11:15 am to 12:15 pm – Meeting with President Obama

NOTE: President Obama will enter the meeting at 11:15 after Valerie Jarrett's introduction.

- President Obama will make brief remarks and recognize Governor O'Malley for remarks
- Governor O'Malley will make remarks and open the floor for discussion with the President

12:00 to 12:30 – Press Stakeout

NOTE: All of the Governors will gather around. Governor O'Malley will lead and then turn to Govs. Gregoire, Malloy and Patrick to say a few words. Then the press will just throw questions to the whole group.

- Today we met with the President today to talk about job creation and how we can partner with the federal government to improve the lives of people in our states.
- As we continue to climb out of this historic recession, we must make job creation the top priority. We've now seen 23 straight months of private sector job growth – we're not out of the woods yet, but we're making much-needed progress.
- The President has laid out a number of commonsense proposals that would help us create jobs and expand opportunity. Some the things that will particularly help us in our states include:

Leveling the playing field for companies that manufacture and create jobs in the United States.

The current system puts American businesses – especially those in areas like manufacturing which are critical to a strong economy and subject to more intense international competition – at a disadvantage. President Obama would cut business tax rates, encourage investment in the U.S. rather than overseas, and strengthen manufacturing and small businesses without adding a dime to the deficit.

Helping start-ups and small businesses succeed and create jobs by reforming regulations and expanding tax relief. Start-ups and small businesses create most of the new jobs in this country. The President is proposing to build on measures he has already taken to enact 17 small business tax cuts and expand access to capital for small businesses by reforming regulations that prevent entrepreneurs from getting financing and by expanding tax relief to start-ups and small businesses that are creating jobs and increasing wages.

Forging new partnerships between community colleges and businesses to train skilled workers. The President proposed a new initiative to train and place 2 million Americans in good jobs through partnerships between businesses and community colleges that give workers the skills employers explicitly need.

Reforming job training and unemployment insurance to help put Americans back to work. The President believes we need to reform outdated and inefficient unemployment insurance and job training systems and restore the basic bargain that if you're willing to do the work, you deserve the chance to gain the skills you need to find a job or land a better one.

Keeping students in high school by preventing them from dropping out. The President is challenging state governments to require students to stay in school until they graduate or turn 18. Studies show that stronger dropout laws keep students in school longer and increase their lifetime earnings as a result.

Helping to spur innovation by investing in research and development. The President made clear that we need to maintain our commitment to funding research and development that can support our economy and improve our quality of life.

- House Republicans would slash the very things we need to expand opportunity: priorities like Pell Grants that put the dream of a college education within reach of more middle-class families. We urge Republicans to work with the President to enact these commonsense job creation measures.

Richards, Alyson

From: MacLean, Alex
Sent: Thursday, February 23, 2012 11:56 AM
To: GPS; Richards, Alyson; Lofy, Bill
Subject: Fwd: Health care release; OKed by Robin and Anya; OK by you? Sue

You could bring this up at DGA meeting - begin by thanking the President.

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Allen, Susan" <Susan.Allen@state.vt.us>
Date: February 23, 2012 11:42:14 AM EST
To: "MacLean, Alex" <Alex.MacLean@state.vt.us>, "Lofy, Bill" <Bill.Lofy@state.vt.us>
Subject: Health care release; OKed by Robin and Anya; OK by you? Sue

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Contact: Susan Allen
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**Gov. Shumlin applauds federal rules granting health care reform flexibility
to certain states**

*Change eases Vermont's efforts to control skyrocketing health care costs;
implement single payer system*

MONTPELIER – Gov. Peter Shumlin today applauded the Obama Administration for finalizing a federal rule granting states, including Vermont, more flexibility in efforts to control health care costs for families and businesses, and guarantee that affordable coverage is available to more Vermonters. The rule would allow states to obtain a waiver from certain requirements of the federal Affordable Care Act and implement reforms that deviate from the federal model.

"Vermont is moving aggressively to control health care costs for individuals and small businesses, and to get the cost of health care off the backs of employers," Gov. Shumlin said. "I appreciate the President's recognition that states like Vermont have good ideas for going beyond the requirements of

the ACA to cover everyone and control costs. States should be able to move further, faster in tackling this problem.”

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services announced the final rule recently, which in part “provides states with additional flexibility to improve healthcare for their citizens in a way that works for them while retaining the basic protections” of the federal health care law. Gov. Shumlin has spoken with the President and administration officials about Vermont’s plans.

In announcing the final rule, the Obama administration reiterated its support for making the state flexibility waivers available sooner than currently allowed under federal law.

“The President understands the urgency of this problem,” Gov. Shumlin said, “and he understands that states have good ideas for solving it.”

Richards, Alyson

From: Erin Gorman [gorman@DGA.net]
Sent: Tuesday, February 14, 2012 6:27 PM
To: Trombley, Shana; Richards, Alyson; billlofy@gmail.com
Cc: Ian Walton
Subject: DGA Events at NGA: Draft Briefing
Attachments: DRAFT DGA Governors' Briefing - NGA 2012.pdf; Shumlin_SEIU.docx

Bill, Shana & Aly -

We're so glad Governor Shumlin is able to join us for the DGA Events around the Winter NGA Meeting in Washington, DC next week. A current DRAFT of our briefing is attached. It has logistical information and a staff contact for each event. I will provide an updated briefing next Tuesday, February 21 and submit any additional changes thereafter. **Very important information about the White House meeting and our briefing call are below.**

White House Meeting

We are delighted to announce that the President will be able to meet with the Governors from 11:15am-12:15pm in the State Dining Room in The Residence on Friday morning. We will have a bus leaving from the Capital Hilton at 9:30am to guarantee arrival for the Governors' 10am meeting with Senior White House Officials and 11:15am meeting with President Obama. This is outlined on the attached briefing, and as more information becomes available we will construct an additional briefing for this meeting.

Due to security constraints, the White House has advised that no staff will be allowed to accompany the Governors for the meetings at the EEOB and in the Residence. The Governors will be allowed to bring their security detail on the bus and onto the White House grounds.

At this point, staff will be able to meet the Governors at the press stake out at the NW Gate at 12:15pm. **Any staff or security traveling to the White House (using DGA transportation or not) needs to send full name, DOB, and SS# to Erin Gorman at gorman@dga.net or [REDACTED] by Wednesday, February 22nd at 3 pm ET.**

Meeting Hours

We have received one request for a one-on-one meeting with the Governor. I attached the request form to this email, and am happy to discuss facilitation of the meeting.

Briefing Call

Lastly, please join us for a staff briefing call to run through the agenda next Tuesday, February 21st at 4:00 pm EST. Final briefing material will be sent out prior to the call. The call-in information is below.

4:00 pm EST Tuesday, February 21st

Conference Access:

Toll free: [REDACTED]

Participant Passcode: [REDACTED]

Please let me know if you have any questions – we look forward to seeing the Governor in DC!

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