

Third Annual DC Fly-In

Tuesday, June 11 - Wednesday, June 12, 2019 Washington, DC

Agenda

9:00-10:00 a.m.

U.S. Chamber of Commerce Offices 2nd Floor Conference Room

Trade Policy Discussion

• John Murphy

Senior Vice President, International Affairs International Division

Infrastructure Discussion, General Legislative Update

Neil Bradley

Executive Vice President and Chief Policy Officer Congressional and Public Affairs

Tax Policy Discussion

• Caroline Harris

Vice President, Tax Policy & Economic Development Economic Policy

11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Longworth House Office Building Room 1732

Question and answer sessions with select members of New York's Congressional delegation and presidential administrative officials

• Honorable Anthony Brindisi

22nd District of New York

• Steve Bulger

Regional Administrator for the Small Business Administration

• Honorable Antonio Delgado

19th District of New York

• Honorable Hakeem Jeffries (invited)

8th District of New York

• Honorable Grace Meng

6th District of New York

• Honorable. Joseph Morelle

25th District of New York

Honorable Paul Tonko

20th District of New York

• Devon Westhill

Deputy Director of Public Liaison, Office of the Secretary U.S. Department of Labor



Honorable Anthony Brindisi

(22nd District of New York)

Represents all of Oneida, Madison, Chenango and Cortland counties including the cities of Utica and Binghamton.

Serving his first term in Congress, sworn in 2019.

Member of the House Veterans' Affairs Committee, Economic Opportunity Subcommittee, and the Health Subcommittee, House Agriculture Committee Biotechnology, Horticulture, and Research Subcommittee and the Livestock and Foreign Agriculture Subcommittee.

Member of the following Task Forces and Caucuses: Blue Dog Caucus (Co-Chair), New Democrat Coalition National Security Task Force, Copper Caucus, Hockey Caucus, Problem Solvers Caucus, Caucus on Armenian Issues, Fire Services Caucus, LGBTQ Equality Caucus, Career and Technical Education Caucus, Small Brewers Caucus, Army Caucus, Air Force Caucus, National Guard Caucus, Chesapeake Bay Watershed Task Force, Autism Caucus, Rural Broadband Caucus, Pro-Choice Caucus, Diabetes Caucus, Lupus Caucus, Congressional Task Force on Alzheimer's, TRIO Caucus, Boating Caucus, EMS Caucus



Steve Bulger

Regional Administrator for the Small Business Administration

Steve Bulger, Regional Administrator for the Small Business Administration (SBA), oversees the SBA's financial, international export, disaster relief, government contracting and business development programs all of which assist about three million small businesses who employ over six million workers in his region. Headquartered in New York City, Bulger's staff of 65 serves five district offices and six branch offices throughout New York State, New Jersey, Puerto Rico, and the US Virgin Islands.

Prior to his appointment, Bulger worked as the District Director for Congressman Chris Gibson, managing government affairs with businesses, non-profits, and healthcare providers while also expanding partnerships with federal, state, and local elected officials.



Honorable Antonio Delgado

(19th District of New York)

Representing the City of Poughkeepsie, and the counties of Otsego, Schorarie, Delaware, Greene, Ulster, Dutchess, Columbia, and Sullivan.

Serving his first term in Congress, sworn in 2019.

Member of the Agriculture, Small Business, and Transportation and Infrastructure Committees.

Member of the following Task Forces and Caucuses: Bipartisan Heroin and Opioids Task Force, Dairy Farmers Caucus, Expand Social Security Caucus, Freshmen Working Group on Addiction, LGBT Equality Caucus, Lyme Disease Caucus, PFAS Task Force, Rural Broadband Caucus, Rural Broadband Task Force, Ski and Snowboard Caucus, Task Force on Alzheimer's Disease



Honorable Hakeem Jeffries (8th District of New York)

Hakeem Jeffries represents the diverse Eighth Congressional District of New York, an area that encompasses large parts of Brooklyn and a section of Queens.

Serving his fourth term in the United States Congress, Rep. Jeffries is a member of the House Judiciary Committee and House Budget Committee.

Rep. Jeffries is Chairman of the House Democratic Caucus, having been elected to that position by his colleagues in November 2018. In that capacity, he is the fifth highest-ranking Democrat in the House of Representatives. He is also the former Whip of the Congressional Black Caucus and previously co-chaired the Democratic Policy and Communications Committee where he helped develop the For The People agenda.



Honorable Grace Meng (6th District of New York)

Represents the New York City borough of Queens, including west, central and northeast Queens.

Serving her fourth term in Congress.

Rep. Meng Grace is the first and only Asian American Member of Congress from New York State and the first female Congressmember from Queens since former Vice-Presidential nominee Geraldine Ferraro.

Rep Meng is a member of the House Appropriations Committee and its Subcommittees on State and Foreign Operations, Homeland Security, and Commerce, Justice, Science, House Ethics. Rep. Meng is also a Senior Whip and Regional Whip for New York, and a founder and Co-Chair of the Kids' Safety Caucus, the first bipartisan coalition in the House that promotes child-safety issues.



Honorable Joseph Morelle

(25th District of New York)

Represents all of the City of Rochester and large portions of Wayne County.

Serving his first term in Congress, sworn in 2019.

Rep. Morelle currently serves as a member of the House Committee on Rules, the House Committee on Budget, and the House Committee on Education and Labor.

As a member on the Education and Labor Committee, Rep. Morelle also serves as part of the Early Childhood, Elementary and Secondary Education Subcommittee, and the Health, Employment, Labor and Pensions Subcommittee.



Honorable Paul Tonko

(20th District of New York)

Represents Saratoga Springs and Amsterdam, all of Albany and Schenectady Counties and parts of Montgomery, Rensselaer and Saratoga Counties.

He is serving his sixth term, after first being sworn into Congress in 2009.

Paul serves on the Energy and Commerce Committee, the oldest standing committee in the House, created in December of 1795. He is the first Upstate New York Democratic member to serve on the committee since Leo O'Brien, who resigned the post in October 1966. As a member of the Science, Space and Technology Committee, Paul also serves on the Subcommittee on Research and Technology, which has jurisdiction over non-defense federal scientific research and development.



Devon Westhill

Deputy Director of Public Liaison, Office of the Secretary, U.S. Department of Labor

Devon Westhill is the Deputy Director of Public Liaison at the United States Department of Labor. His work involves creating and coordinating opportunities for dialogue between the administration and the American public. Mr. Westhill's primary focus is on strategic outreach to and collaboration with thought leaders to help shape and implement key policy initiatives concerning worker and job creator prosperity.

Mr. Westhill has served — in various capacities — in all three branches of government and the United States Navy and has worked in both private law practice and the nonprofit sector. Immediately prior to his appointment to DOL, Mr. Westhill was the founding director of the Regulatory Transparency Project at the nonprofit, nonpartisan Federalist Society. In this role, he managed a broad portfolio of matters contributing to the Society's mission to advance limited, constitutional government with an emphasis on promoting American innovation and prosperity.

Mr. Westhill and his NICU nurse wife, Michelle, are proud Florida natives who currently reside in Northern Virginia with their two children, Madeline and Benjamin.