

5th Annual U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs Business Conference

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WORKING AGENDA

- 8:00am - *Registration, Networking, and Refreshments*
- 8:30am - ***Welcome and Introductions*** - Daniel Zimmerman, Secretary, Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs; Andrew Bergholz, Vice President of Sales, TAPCO
- 9:00am ***PROGRAM***
- ***Update from the 2016 National Veterans Small Business Engagement Conference***
 - ***A Legal Update*** - Emily Constantine, Associate, Husch Blackwell
 - ***SBA Updates and Changes*** – Eric Ness, Acting Region V Administrator, US Small Business Administration
 - ***Doing Business with the VA National Acquisition Center (NAC)*** – Micole Stephens, VA Federal Supply Schedule Service, VA National Acquisition Center
 - ***Government Panel Discussion***
- 12:00pm ***LUNCH with Guest Speaker – Capture Strategy*** – Suzanne Ferris, Senior Associate, HGA Architects and Engineers
LESSONS from INDUSTRY – Nagel Architects + Engineers, Walsh Construction, Woodward, Inc, and Plunkett Raysich Architects
- 1:45pm ***Roundtable Meetings with VA Staff, Agencies, Large Businesses, and Resource Representatives*** – Pre-Registration is required
- 4:30pm ***END OF PROGRAM***

*Pre-registration for **ROUNDTABLE MEETINGS** will be required Times for registration will be announced at the event*
