



Department of Defense Mid-Atlantic Regional Council

Leadership Update

MARC Workshop | 13 March 2019
Ken Carkhuff, Chairperson



Summary of the 2018 National Defense Strategy



“This increasingly complex security environment is defined by rapid technological change, challenges from adversaries in every operating domain, and the impact on current readiness from the longest continuous stretch of armed conflict in our Nation’s history. In this environment, there can be no complacency—we must make difficult choices and prioritize what is most important to field a lethal, resilient, and rapidly adapting Joint Force. America’s military has no preordained right to victory on the battlefield.”

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Agenda



- Officers and Executive Committee
- FY2019 MARC Plan
- FY2019 MARC Schedule
- How You Can Help

MARC Website

<https://business.defense.gov/Acquisition/DoD-Regional-Councils/MARC/>

Officers and Executive Committee



2018-2019 Officers

- Chairperson: Ken Carkhuff (NAVAIR)
- Vice-Chairperson: Kyle Beagle (MARCORSYSCOM)
- Secretary: Anita Perkins (DHS / ICE)
- Treasurer: **Vacant**

Executive Committee

- All four officers
- State representatives (one from each state and DC)
 - ❖ Dawn Chartier (NAVAIR, NJ)
 - ❖ Tyler Brooks-Craft (Industry, VA)
 - ❖ Lisa King (Industry, MD)
- Standing Committee representatives (one from each committee)

FY2019 MARC Plan



- Increase Government participation (Small Business Professionals, Contract Specialists, Program Managers)
- Identify key theme/topic for each training event
- Provide valuable training for Government and industry
- Create succession plan for CY2020-CY2021

Schedule



Workshops

- 6 November 2018 - **Completed**
- 13 March 2019 - **Today**
- TBD June or July 2019 (6-hour event)

Executive Committee Meetings (at least monthly)

DoD Small Business Training Week (restricted to government employees)

- 29 April - 3 May 2019
- St. Louis, MO



How You Can Help

- Attend MARC workshops
- Join the Planning, Membership or Policy Committee
- Join the Executive Committee
 - ❖ Need reps from DC, DE PA and WV
- Be an ambassador for the MARC
- Provide feedback and/or recommendations for improvement

Sign up today
or
email

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Save the Date



- Event: MARC workshop
- Date: June/July 2019
- Location: National Capital Region
- Theme: TBD

Let's use these workshops as an opportunity to learn, build relationships and share our knowledge.