

From: [Cruz-Carnall, Linda \(Federal\)](#)

Sent: Tuesday, September 1, 2020 9:38:05 AM

To: [Verna, Elizabeth](#)

Cc: [Sloms, Jennifer \(Federal\)](#); [Christian, Christopher \(Federal\)](#); [Cullinan, Eve](#)

Subject: RE: GRANT ANNOUNCEMENT TOMORROW --Burlington County signed agreement for US EDA COVID Loan funds

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All good, Liz. We just wanted to keep you in the loop.

You can publicize the EDA funding after today's announcement.

Linda Cruz-Carnall
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I apologize for our lack of response. We are unable to have a representative at this event due to conflicting schedules and unavailability. I hope all goes well.

Thanks so much.

Best,
Liz

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Good evening Liz and Eve,

FYSA, We are going ahead with the planned announcement tomorrow in Atlantic city as we had discussed via email last week.

Run of SHOW is as follows:

Tuesday, September 1

- 11:00 a.m. Arrive to event site, see attached for directions and meet grantees and officials
- 11:30 a.m. Event begins.

RUN OF SHOW:

11:30 – 11:35 a.m.	Welcoming remarks from James Rutala, President of Rutala Associates, LLC who will also MC the event. (:05 minutes)
11:35 – 11:50 a.m.	Asst Sec’y Dana Gartzke make EDA grant announcements (15 minutes), starting with Opportunity Zone grant to Atlantic City and followed by four CARES Act Recovery Assistance Revolving Loan Funds to New Jersey recipients(:15 minutes)
11:50 – 11:55 a.m.	TBD Member of Congress (:05 minutes)
11:55 – 12:00 p.m.	TBD Member of Congress (:05 minutes)
12:00 – 12:05 p.m.	Atlantic City Mayor Marty Small, Sr. (:05 minutes)
12:05 – 12:10 p.m.	New Jersey Economic Development Authority (:05 minutes) – Lori Matheus,
12:10 – 12:15 p.m.	Cooperative Business Assistance Corp.
12:15 – 12:20 p.m.	James Rutala closing remarks (:02 minutes)
12:20 – 12:30 p.m.	Media availability for EDA
12:30 p.m.	EDA DC leadership Depart for Washington, DC

PARTICIPANTS:

EDA

- Mr. Gartzke, Performing the Delegated Duties of the Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development
- Mr. Joel Frushone, Director, Office of External Affairs and Communications
- Mr. Clayton Tufts, Senior Advisor, EDA
- Ms. Linda Cruz-Carnall, Regional Director, Philadelphia
- Mr. Edward Hummel, Economic Development Representative, New Jersey

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- The Honorable Marty Small, Sr., Mayor of Atlantic City
- Mr. James Rutala, President of Rutala Associates, LLC

- Mr. Louis C. Joyce, Executive Director, South Jersey Economic Development District
- Ms. Lori Matheus, Senior Vice President, Finance & Development, New Jersey Economic Development Authority
- Jennifer Sloms, Economic Development Specialist for EDA RLFs

Congressman Payne is invited and not confirmed.
Same for Van Drew. From

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Thank you, Liz!

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Good Morning, Ms. Cruz-Carnall,

Attached please find our signed agreement form for the US EDA COVID loan funds. Let me know if you need anything else or have any questions.
Thanks so much.

Best,
Liz Verna

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