



## **Military Economic Development Advisory Committee Virginia Beach / Norfolk Joint Meeting Summary 28 June (1500-1630)**



### **Members and Guests Present**

**Virginia Beach** - RADM Fenton Priest (Chair), RDML Greg Nosal (Vice Chair), RADM Dick Dunleavy, RADM Phillip Olson, RDML Craig Quigley, RADM Mark Gemmil, Rick Dwyer, CAPT Loren Heckelman, CDR Kathleen Owens, CAPT Robert Rieve, CAPT Richard Trowbridge, Lt-Gen Fran Wilson, John Uhrin City of VB: Ray White, Letitia Langaster, Vicki Kelly

**Norfolk** - RADM Jack Kavanaugh (Chair), RDML Craig Quigley, Rick Dwyer, CAPT Tom Bosse, CAPT Bill Crow, CAPT Brian Donegan, Will Fediw, CAPT Mike Fierro, CAPT Jay O'Brien, CDR Jerry Johnson, CDR Mike Vecerkauskas

**Guests:** Ron Peterman (Portsmouth), Earnest McDonald (JEB LC-FS), Tom Crabbs (VA ML), Charlotte Hurd, John Lauterbach (NAS Oceana), Brad Williamson (Military Ecosystem), Steven Cade, Leah Baker

#### **I. Welcome and Introductions**

- a. Virginia Beach MEDAC Chair, Fenton Priest welcomed all and asked for introductions.

#### **II. Summary of 26 April 2021 Joint Meeting notes** - provided via email.

#### **III. HRMFFA Update – RDML Quigley**

- a. Formal Training Unit will be located at Joint Base Langley/Eustis.
- b. FY 22 will begin with a continuing resolution item.
- c. Next year will provide more of a vision of what the administration has in mind for a more long-term vision.

#### **IV. NAS Oceana FBD Update – Ray White**

- a. City and Oceana are having weekly conversations
- b. August 5<sup>th</sup> – Change of Command at Oceana and final approval of the Non-Binding agreement between The Navy and the City of Virginia Beach
- c. Chair Priest announced that Lou was putting together a public statement of support for the mission.

#### **V. Guest Presentations**

##### **I) Military Sealift Command – Steven C. Cade, Executive Director, SES, USN**

- a. Provided information on the local headquarters in Norfolk
- b. Shared the Global Mission of the Organization, Partnerships and the skill sets that is offered
- c. One of eleven contracting agencies in the Navy.
- d. Explained the Global Ship Repair Contracts of over \$46M

##### **II) Virginia Port Authority - CAPT (Ret) Kit Chope, Vice President, Sustainability**

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#### **VI. Discussion items (including member/visitor announcement and comments)**

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**Next Joint MEDAC: TBD  
Adjournment at 1629**