



## MEETING SCHEDULE

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**FEBRUARY 21 - FEBRUARY 22, 2024**  
**LAS VEGAS, NEVADA**

**New York New York Hotel & Casino**  
**3790 South Las Vegas Blvd., Las Vegas, NV 89109-4338**  
**(866) 815-4365**



*State of Nevada Attorney General*  
*Aaron D. Ford*  
*Thursday A.M. Keynote Speaker*

**HOST CHAPTER: NAMC LAS VEGAS NEVADA**





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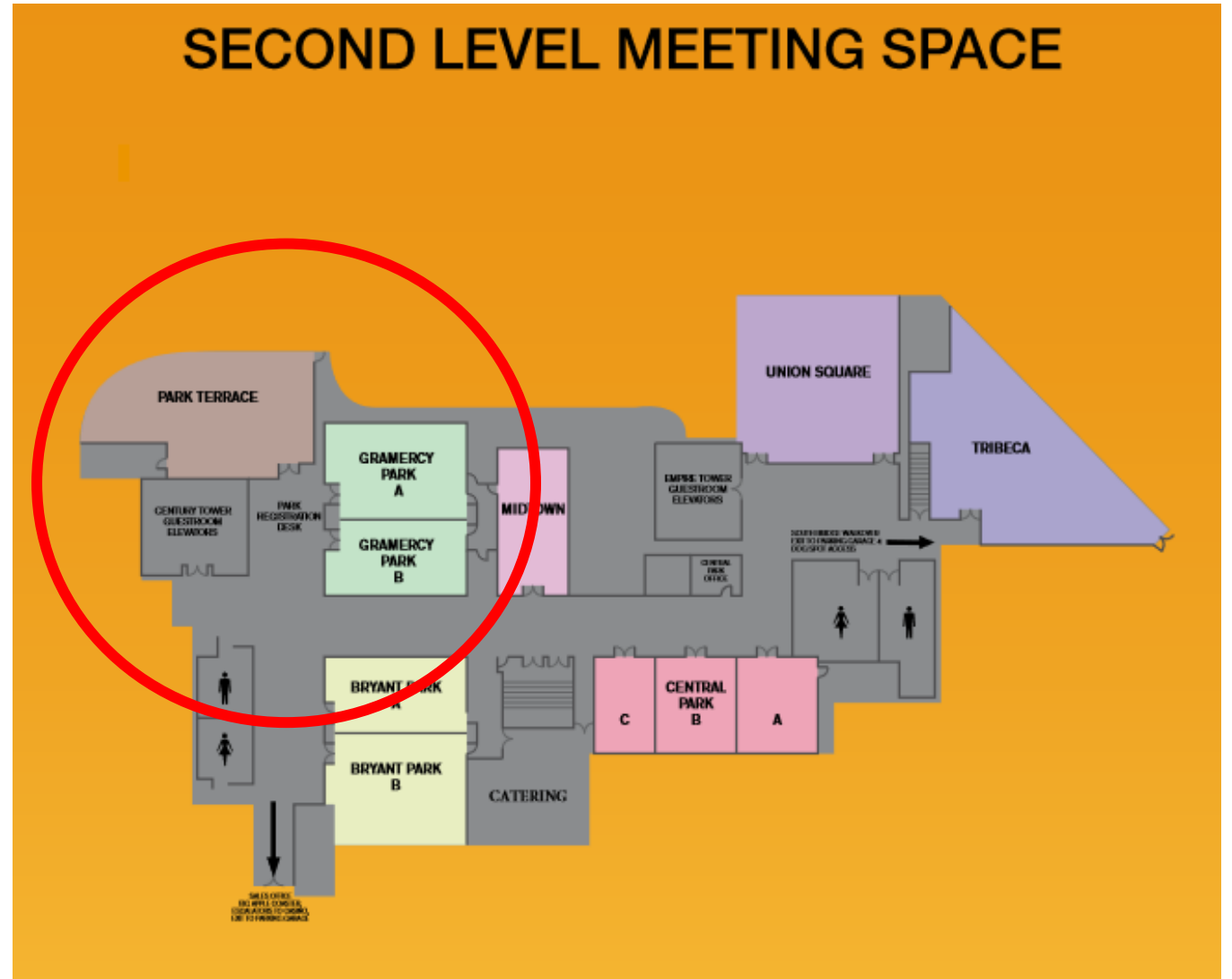


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- If guests are staying at the hotel, elevators will allow you to go to the second floor
- If guests are self parking at the hotel: go to level two and walk across the bridge. The second floor of the parking garage is the access to the hotel/meeting space.
- If coming from MGM: follow directionals in hotel to Las Vegas Blvd, cross the bridge, go down escalators inside the NYNY and go across the casino towards Il Forno restaurant. There is an escalator next to it that you can take to the second floor and follow around until you see the meeting space. You will pass Nathan's Hot Dogs & Arcade-- meeting space is on the left.





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<p><b>9:00 AM – 10:00 AM</b> Continental Breakfast</p> <p><i>The Gramercy Room</i></p>	<p><b>10:45 AM – 11:00 AM (15 mins)</b> High Speed Rail Projects   MWBE Contractor Opportunities</p> <p><i>Lester C. Snyder, Brightline West Senior Vice President, Operations</i></p>	<p><b>11:35 AM – 12:00 PM (25 mins)</b> High Speed Rail Projects   Other MWBE Contractor Opportunities</p> <p><i>Nancy Briseno, Whiting-Turner Senior Vice President</i> <i>Zachary Crane, Whiting-Turner Division Vice President</i></p>	<p><b>1:15 PM – 1:40 PM (25 mins)</b> Laborers International Union of North America Local 872   NAMC Las Vegas Chapter &amp; Union Partnership</p> <p><i>Tommy White, Business Manager – Secretary - Treasurer</i> <i>Tim Brooks, NAMC Las Vegas President</i></p>
<p><b>10:00 AM – 10:15 AM (15 mins)</b> Welcome &amp; Opening Remarks</p> <p><i>The Park Terrace Room</i></p> <p><i>Wendell R. Stemley, NAMC National President</i> <i>Tim Brooks, NAMC Las Vegas President</i></p>	<p><b>11:00 AM – 11:15 AM (15 mins)</b> High Speed Rail, Stadium Projects, and other National MWBE Opportunities</p> <p><i>Paul Dudzinski, McCarthy Building Companies Vice President, Operations</i></p>	<p><b>12:00 PM – 1:00 PM</b> Lunch</p> <p><i>The Gramercy Room</i></p>	<p><b>1:40 PM – 2:00 PM (20 mins)</b> An Update on the Challenges of Diversity</p> <p><i>Wendell R. Stemley, NAMC National President</i></p>
<p><b>10:15 AM – 10:45 AM (30 mins)</b> Greetings from MGM Resorts International</p> <p><i>Kenyatta Z. Lewis, MGM Resorts Intl Executive Director of Supplier Diversity &amp; Sustainable Procurement</i></p>	<p><b>11:20 AM – 11:35 AM (15 mins)</b> High Speed Rail &amp; Other Nevada MWBE Subcontractor Opportunities</p> <p><i>Troy O'Connor, Las Vegas Paving Owner</i></p>	<p><b>1:00 PM – 1:15 PM (15 mins)</b> Home Depot PRO</p> <p><i>The Park Terrace Room</i></p> <p><i>Home Depot PRO National Account Representative</i></p>	<p><b>2:00 PM – 2:15 PM</b> Afternoon Break</p> <p><i>The Gramercy Room</i></p>



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<p><b>2:15 PM – 2:25 PM</b> (10 mins) <b>Empire CAT</b> <b>Nationwide Discount Program</b></p> <p><i>TJ Sibylrud, Empire Southwest</i> <i>Account Manager</i></p>	<p><b>4:00 PM</b></p> <p><b>MEETING ENDS</b></p> <p><i>Thank you for attending. We look forward to meeting with you again tomorrow.</i></p>		
<p><b>2:25 PM – 2:40 PM</b> (15 mins) <b>Greetings from</b> <b>Clark County Commissioner</b> <b>William McCurdy, II</b></p> <p><i>Tim Brooks, NAMC Las Vegas, President</i> <i>Aubrey Branch, NAMC Las Vegas, Treasurer</i></p>	<p><b>5:30 PM</b></p> <p><b>NAMC National Board of Directors Dinner</b> <b>Del Frisco's Double Eagle Steakhouse</b></p> <p><i>By Invitation</i></p> <p><b>Sponsored by the Eastern Atlantic States</b> <b>Council of Carpenters and the</b> <b>Carpenter Contractor Trust (CCT)</b></p>		
<p><b>2:40 PM – 4:00 PM</b> (1 hour, 20 mins) <b>Roundtable Discussion: How can NAMC</b> <b>members better can engage with our</b> <b>Major Corporate Partners?</b></p> <p><i>Wendell R. Stemley, NAMC National President</i> <i>Tim Brooks, NAMC Las Vegas President</i></p>			



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<p><b>9:30 AM – 10:00 AM (30 mins)</b> <b>Welcome &amp; Opening Remarks</b></p> <p><i>The Park Terrace Room</i></p> <p><i>Wendell R. Stemley, NAMC National President</i> <i>Tim Brooks, NAMC Las Vegas President</i></p>	<p><b>10:50 AM – 11:00 AM (10 mins)</b> <b>MWBE Contractor Opportunities in the Healthcare Sector</b></p> <p><i>Amber Gooding, HCA Healthcare</i> <i>Director of Diversity and Inclusion</i></p>	<p><b>12:00 PM – 1:00 PM</b> <b>Lunch</b></p> <p><i>The Gramercy Room</i></p>	<p><b>1:30 PM – 1:55 PM (25 mins)</b> <b>SBA Bonding Programs</b></p> <p><i>Saul Ramos, District Director</i> <i>SBA District Office, Las Vegas</i> <i>U.S. Small Business Administration</i></p>
<p><b>10:00 AM – 10:20 AM (20 mins)</b> <b>Virtual Keynote</b> <b>Aaron D. Ford, Attorney General</b> <b>State of Nevada</b></p> <p><i>Wendell R. Stemley, NAMC National President</i> <i>Tim Brooks, NAMC Las Vegas President</i></p>	<p><b>11:00 AM – 11:30 AM (30 mins)</b> <b>Presentation: How to Make Your Money Work for You</b></p> <p><i>Kenneth O’Connell</i> <i>Morgan Stanley</i> <i>Executive Director, Financial Advisor</i></p>	<p><b>1:00 PM – 1:15 PM (15 mins)</b> <b>National MWBE Contractor, Subcontractor and Supplier Opportunities</b></p> <p><i>The Park Terrace Room</i></p> <p><i>Kayode Alao, Amazon</i></p>	<p><b>1:55 PM – 2:15 PM (20 mins)</b> <b>SBA Bonding Programs</b></p> <p><i>Aubrey Branch, Branch Benefits Consultants</i> <i>President/CEO</i></p>



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<p><b>2:30 PM – 2:50 PM (20 mins)</b> National MWBE Subcontractor Opportunities</p> <p><i>The Park Terrace Room</i></p> <p><i>Cherelle Cortez, Layton Construction Company Vice President Trade Partner, Supplier Diversity</i></p>			
<p><b>3:15 PM – 4:00 PM (45 mins)</b> NAMC National Board of Directors Meeting</p> <p>Closed Meeting</p> <p><i>Wendell R. Stemley, NAMC National President</i></p>			



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