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If there was ever a time when the small business community should band together with a common voice in the state capitol, it is NOW! We are the backbone of the PA economy and lawmakers must continually be reminded of the facts. They need to know how many employees you have, how you get customers, how you meet payroll, and what can be improved.

- There are 1 million small businesses in PA.
- 99.6% of all PA employers are small businesses with less than 500 employees.
- Small businesses employed 46.7% of PA's private workforce in 2015, 2.5 million employees.

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# **AGENDA**

7:00 am	Western PA members meet at SMC headquarters, Cranberry Twp. (2 additional pick-up locations)
11:00 am	Arrive in Harrisburg
11:00 am - 12:45 pm	Join Central PA members for lunch at the Pennsylvania Manufacturers Association and enjoy a lively panel discussion:
	Eugene DePasquale, PA Auditor General
	David Taylor, President & CEO     Pennsylvania Manufacturers' Association (PMA)
	<ul> <li>Carl A. Marrara, Vice President Government Affairs, PMA</li> </ul>
1:00-4:30 pm	Team visits to the Capitol
4:45 pm	Dinner and depart for Pittsburgh (2 additional drop-off locations)
8:45 pm	Arrive at SMC Headquarters, Cranberry Twp.

# **Program Information**

Date: Tuesday, May 14, 2019

**Time:** 7:00 am to 8:45 pm

### Location:

Depart from & return to: SMC Business Councils 600 Cranberry Woods Drive Cranberry Twp., PA 16066

Registration Fee: \$99 SMC|MBA Members & Guests

### Partner Members Fee: \$99

Pgh. North Regional Chamber

### **Registration Deadline:**

Friday, April 19, 2019

To register, click below:

# **REGISTER NOW!**

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