



## 2021 ASC Leadership Convening

March 2–5, 2021

VIRTUAL via Zoom – agenda subject to change – all times Eastern

### **Convening Objectives**

- Provide forum for state commission leadership to convene and discuss pertinent issues;
- Align on ASC priority areas in relation to: relationship with the AmeriCorps agency, public policy, and future of the association; and,
- Provide networking, learning, and renewal opportunities for state commission leadership.

## AGENDA

### **Monday, March 1**

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2:00–5:00 p.m. ET

**ASC Board Meeting** (optional)

Via Zoom – register via the following link:

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### **Tuesday, March 2**

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2:30–3:00 p.m. ET

**Welcome and Kickoff**

Maureen Eccleston, ASC Chair and Executive Director,  
PennSERVE

Kaira Esgate, ASC CEO

3:00–3:30 p.m. ET

**Virtual Introductions and Networking**

3:30–3:45 p.m. ET

**Break**

3:45–5:00 p.m. ET

**2021-23 ASC Strategic Plan Update and 2021 Priorities**

Kaira Esgate

### **Wednesday, March 3**

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2:30–3:30 p.m. ET

**Federal Appropriations and Public Policy Update**

Scott McFarland, ASC Public Policy Chair and Executive Director,  
Missouri Community Service Commission

Tom Branen, ASC Chief Policy Officer

3:30–3:45 p.m. ET

**Break**

3:45–5:00 p.m. ET

**State Commission and AmeriCorps Agency Leaders Dialogue  
(TBD)**

### **Thursday, March 4**

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2:30–3:30 p.m. ET

**Grantmaking Through a Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI)  
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3:30–3:45 p.m. ET

**Break**

3:45–4:30 p.m. ET

**Discussion: Commission Grantmaking Strategies**

4:30–5:00 p.m. ET

**Grantmaking Next Steps**

### **Friday, March 5**

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2:30–3:30 p.m. ET

**Commission Return on Investment Study**

Steve Patty, Dialogues in Action (*confirmed*)

3:30–3:45 p.m. ET

**Break**

3:45-4:15 p.m. ET

**Update on National Service Hub Concept**

4:15-4:45 p.m. ET

**Discussion: Positioning Your Commission**

4:45-5:00 p.m. ET

**Closing and Next Steps**

Maureen Eccleston

Kaira Esgate