Tampa Bay Defense Alliance Board Meeting
April 18, 2024, 5:00 PM-6:30 PM
Virtual Only

Updates
- Current efforts
  -- Berkeley National Security Institute/Kathleen
        Capstone exercise and site visits
  -- Tampa Bay Trophy/Kathleen
        Outreach to major commands will be sent in early May
  -- Legislative issues/Kathleen
  -- Grant status and prep for FDSTF meeting in May/Kathleen
        Larry reviewed with Office of Military and Defense, Tim MacGregor
            Florida Commerce looking for major projects, acquisitions
  -- Membership policy updates/Kathleen
  -- Volunteer platform/Raj
  -- ADC feedback/Maxine and Donna
  -- Tampa Bay Military Support Roundtable/Kathleen

- Budget/Don
  -- Status/Outstanding bills
  -- Outlook and fundraising

- Community Events/Issues
-- From the floor

- **Calendar**
  -- 2024 calendar
        --- FDA/FDSTF, Tallahassee May 15-16, 2024
        --- STEM Showcase event 10 May SOFWERX, and a Joint Educational Conf
 -- Fall Influencer Event, when and who?

- **New business**

- **Adjourn**

- Next members meeting, May 23, 2024, virtual or in-person?, site TBD

TBDA Efforts 2021-2024

- Plan, coordinate, staff and execute Berkeley National Security Institute
- Selected recipient, presented Tampa Bay Trophy at 2021-2023 Airlift Tanker Assoc. Symposia
- Hosted 2023 FDA/FDSTF meetings in Tampa, JC Newman event
- Provided KC-46 education to local, state, Congressional and USAF leadership
- Coordination on information during MacDill Clinic closure discussion—helped retain clinic
- Education for state legislators and USAF leadership on Florida education standards
  Helped update USAF community report card methodology
- Provided support MacDill's Tinker K-8 school--fund raising and upgrade discussions
- Influencer series
  Hon. Lisa Hershman, former DoD Chief Management Officer
  DoD Director of Small Business Programs Farooq Mitha
- Worked with City of Tampa planners to update zoning rules near airports
- Continuous work as coordinator for compatible development near MacDill
- Participated in MacDill housing task force
- Coordinated Florida Area Training Range discussions
- Education on Live Local act
- Represented community with MacDill, Chamber of best practices to ADC
- Educate for Purple Star updates/policy changes
- Educate on spouse employment issues