



**Breakfast Meeting
With Cabinet Officials
Saturday, February 22, 2025
8:00 – 9:30 a.m. EST**

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Event

WGA Governors breakfast meeting with Cabinet officials

Location (REVISED)

Secretary's Suite
Department of the Interior
1849 C Street NW
Washington, DC 20240

Please enter at the C Street entrance, between 18th and 19th Streets NW.

For security screening purposes, attendees' names, including security detail, must be submitted to DOI by 5:00 pm EST on Wednesday, February 19. Please RSVP to [Toni Vigil](mailto:tvigil@westgov.org) (tvigil@westgov.org) at WGA, who will compile attendee information and submit it to DOI.

The breakfast will be held in the Secretary's office, which has limited space. Each WGA state and territory is permitted one staff to attend the breakfast. Each attending Governor and Cabinet member is permitted one staff member. If any state or territory would like additional staff to attend, it is likely they will be denied entry to the Secretary's office. DOI is planning to have an overflow room available for staff, but that space will not be physically connected to the Secretary's office, nor will audio or visuals of the meeting be available in the overflow room.

Time

8:00 – 9:30 a.m. EST, Saturday, February 22, 2025

Purpose

The meeting provides an opportunity for assembled Governors and Cabinet members to have an off-the-record, informal conversation on issues of mutual interest and seek opportunities for state-federal collaboration on shared priorities.

Notes

There will be no audio or video recording of the event, nor will any media be present. Attendees may reference the meeting on their social media platforms, but reference to any items discussed at the meeting should be agreed to beforehand by all parties.

There will be a group photograph taken at the conclusion of the event. Digital copies will be made available to all attendees.

Each Governor and Cabinet official is permitted one staff member to attend the meeting. Governors and Cabinet officials will be seated at a hollow round table. Table tents will identify the seating arrangement. Non-attending Governors will be permitted one staff to attend on the Governor's behalf. All staff will occupy perimeter seating.

Attendees

Confirmed attendees (as of 2/13/25, prior to location change)

Administration participants:

- Secretary of the Interior Doug Burgum
- Secretary of Energy Chris Wright
- Secretary of Agriculture Brooke Rollins

Governors attending:

- Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham of New Mexico, WGA Chair
- Governor Spencer Cox of Utah, WGA Vice Chair
- Governor Mike Dunleavy of Alaska
- Governor Lourdes Leon Guerrero of Guam
- Governor Josh Green of Hawai'i
- Governor Brad Little of Idaho
- Governor Greg Gianforte of Montana
- Governor Arnold Palacios, Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands
- Governor Tina Kotek of Oregon
- Governor Larry Rhoden of South Dakota
- Governor Mark Gordon of Wyoming

Run of Show (times approximate)

8:00 a.m.

Buffet breakfast is available.

8:15 a.m.

New Mexico Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham, WGA Chair, will call the meeting to order.

Governor Lujan Grisham will offer greetings and short opening comments.

8:20 a.m.

Governor Lujan Grisham will recognize WGA Vice Chair and Utah Governor Spencer Cox for short opening comments.

8:25 a.m.

Governor Lujan Grisham will recognize each attending Governor for short comments (2-3 minutes). Governor Lujan Grisham will simply go around the table, recognizing Governors in turn.

As Governors raise different issues, Cabinet officials (and Governors) should feel free to engage in conversation as needed.

9:00 a.m.

Governor Lujan Grisham will recognize each attending Cabinet official for short comments (3-4 minutes). Governor Lujan Grisham will recognize Cabinet officials in order of precedence.

As Cabinet officials raise different issues, Governors (and Cabinet officials) should feel free to engage in conversation as needed.

9:15 a.m.

Additional open discussion. Governor Lujan Grisham will manage and moderate as needed.

9:25 a.m.

Governor Lujan Grisham will conclude the meeting. Governors and Cabinet officials will assemble for a group photo.

9:30 a.m.

Event complete.

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