



Small Business Roundtable

Thursday, August 11, 2016 – 10:00 am to 12:00 pm PDT | Portland, Oregon

Gus Solomon Federal Courthouse, 620 SW, Main Street, Portland, OR 97205 in the Conference Room 101

*Concerned about a level regulatory playing field for your small business?
Want to obtain information about Federal, state and local resources for small
businesses?*

Join area small business owners for this unique opportunity to share your questions and concerns directly with Deputy National Ombudsman Yolanda Swift and Oregon Small Business Advocate Ruth Miles.

- Learn how the Office of the National Ombudsman, SBA and the Oregon Secretary of State's Office of Small Business Assistance can help your small business save time and money in resolving your questions about regulatory compliance and enforcement.
- Join other small business owners to voice your thoughts and ideas on federal and state regulatory issues facing your business.

At the Roundtable you'll also be able to:

- Provide real-time input on issues impacting your small business and ways the government can best support small business success.
- Learn more about resources and assistance available through the SBA, the Office of the National Ombudsman, the State of Oregon and other strategic partners.
- Meet local SBA leaders and resource partners.

RSVP: To register, please email ombudsman@sba.gov or call 202-205-2417 by August 9, 2016.

The SBA National Ombudsman promotes a level playing field for small businesses by working directly with government to facilitate practical and timely resolutions of regulatory fairness matters.

To learn more about the National Ombudsman, visit www.sba.gov/ombudsman or call 888-REG-FAIR.

The small business advocate brings together businesses, nonprofits, state and local government to continuously improve Oregon's business climate.

To learn more about the Oregon Secretary of State's Office of Small Business Assistance, visit <http://sos.oregon.gov/BusinessSOS> or call 1-844-469-5512.

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