



Media Advisory

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Senior SBA Officials to Recognize Successful SBA- Funded Veteran-Owned Business in Topsham

Event to honor sacrifices our Veterans have made, showcase a successful, veteran-owned small business and provide information on resources available to assist small businesses

What: The U.S. Small Business Administration is pleased to announce that Rhett Jeppson, Associate Administrator for Veterans Business Development, Tameka Montgomery, Associate Administrator for the Office of Entrepreneurial Development and Seth Goodall, SBA New England Regional Administrator, will visit and tour Wicked Joe Coffee, a successful veteran-owned small business and SBA loan client, at their new larger production facility on Wednesday, August 6 at 9:00 a.m. The event will celebrate the veteran-owned company's success and increase awareness of resources available to help small businesses start and grow.

SPEAKERS: Rhett Jeppson, SBA Associate Administrator for Veterans Business Development
Tameka Montgomery, SBA Associate Administrator for Entrepreneurial Development
Seth Goodall, SBA Regional Administrator
Bob and Carmen Garver, Owners of Wicked Joe Coffee

WHEN: Wednesday, August 6 from 9:00 a.m. to 9:45 a.m.

WHERE: Wicked Joe Coffee, 35 Canam Drive, Topsham, Maine (former Commissary Building)

NOTE: This event should provide outstanding visuals of an active small business, including a coffee roaster in action, along with freshly brewed coffee to sample.

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