

12:00 - 12:45 p.m. Registration, Networking and Lunch

12:45 - 1:00 p.m. Welcome Remarks

Kathryn Downes

Associate Director, Ecosystem & Programs

1:00 - 1:45 p.m. Massachusetts Digital Ecosystem Award Ceremony, presented by:

Quentin Palfrey

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Director, Federal Funds & Infrastructure

Gina Benjamin-Cooper

Deputy Director National Digital Inclusion Alliance Deputy Director

1:45 - 2:00 p.m. Break

2:00 - 2:15 p.m. Municipal Highlights & Recognition of Local Plans, speakers include

representatives from:

Central Massachusetts Regional Planning Commission (CMRPC)

City of Worcester

Cape Cod Commission (CCC)

2:15 - 2:45 p.m. Lightning Round Presentations & On-the-Ground Work to Strengthen Digital

Access, speakers include:

Sulagna (Dia) Ghosh

Joint Family Founder

Jeff Mastroianni

Easthampton Media Executive Director

Arnaldo Velazquez

Somerville Housing Authority Director of Finance and Administration

## 2:45 - 3:05 p.m. Recognition of Housing Operators in the Residential Retrofit Program, copresented by:

Secretary Edward Augustus

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Housing & Livable

Communities

Joshua Eichen

MBI Director of Program Development

## 3:05 - 3:45 p.m. Fireside Chat -- *Unlocking Digital Access: Building Opportunity & Economic Competitiveness*, speakers include:

Jay Ash

Massachusetts Competitive Partnership President and CEO

**Brooke Thomson** 

Associated Industries of Massachusetts President and CEO

Santi Garces

City of Boston CIO

## 3:45 - 4:00 p.m. Closing Remarks

Michael Baldino

MBI Director & General Counsel

Kathryn Downes

Associate Director, Ecosystem & Programs