

# **21st Century Partnership Quarterly Meeting**

## **Thursday, June 21, 2018**

**10:00 a.m. Museum of Aviation, Eagle Conference Room**

Present: Andrew Ross, Randy Toms, Glen Starlnecker, Wayne Lowe, Bill Stenbridge, April Bragg, Greg Ziesenhene, Jack Steed, Pat Topping, John Harley, Sonya Jenkins, Darlene McLendon, Steve Williams, Kate Hogan, John Rhea, Jim Taylor, Mike Dyer, Marissa Jackson, Kaleigh Sullivan, Scott Whittington, Nicole Ward, Deryl Israel, Miguel Garcia, Ron Shipman, Connie Hampton, Rusty Lloyd, Kristin Moriarty, Heath Taylor, Debbie Ziesenhene, Sue Dryden, Mark Scott, Karen Lincoln, Keith Griffin, Chrissy Miner, Rob Brooks, Dan Rhoades, Pat Bridges

### **Welcome**

Rob Brooks

The meeting officially opened at 10:05 a.m.

### **Prayer/Pledge**

Jack Steed

### **Financial Report**

Wayne Lowe/Kayleigh Sullivan

Partnership report given by Wayne Lowe; County/City report given by Kayleigh Sullivan  
Mr. Lowe addressed the decreasing number of pledges over the past year and into 2019

### **Chairman's Update**

Rob Brooks

Mr. Brooks thanked everyone for attending and thanked the Museum of Aviation for hosting the meeting at their location. He was happy to announce that this was the fourth quarterly meeting with no staffing changes to report.

### **Director of Strategy Update**

Daniel Rhoades

Mr. Rhoades provided a synopsis of the current situations regarding:

- President's Budget
- P-4 (increased need for software engineers, Joint Land Use Study (JLUS))
- Georgia Tech Smart Installation Challenge

### **Senior Advisor's Update**

Chrissy Miner

Ms. Miner provided update on:

- ABMS Announcement
- 2018 Defense Communities National Summit (21<sup>st</sup> CP attended – major theme of summit is Efficiencies, Competition, Community Support)
- Depot planning meeting
- FY17 Audits
- Fundraising

Ms. Miner explained to the attendees that the last big fundraising effort for the 21stCP was back in 2013 with pledges to expand over five years. Those pledges end this year. It is hard to raise money when not in a crisis mode – funding is needed.

#### CLOSING COMMENTS

Mr. Brooks opened the floor to the Chambers of Commerce and Mayors to let everyone know of the various opportunities coming up. Independence celebrations being held in Perry, Warner Robins, Centerville, and Macon. Mayor Toms assigned to the Workforce Development Board!!!!

Mr. Brooks thanked all for coming.

#### **No new/old business**

- The next 21<sup>st</sup> CP meeting is 13 September, 2018 at the Museum of Aviation, Eagle Conf Rm
- Meeting adjourned at 10:55 a.m.