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New SBA Administrator meets with Nation’s Largest Small Business Coalition; Discusses Coronavirus Response and Aid for Small Businesses

Washington, D.C. - Yesterday, the Small Business Roundtable (SBR), the largest coalition of leading small business and entrepreneurship organizations, met with the Small Business Administration’s (SBA) new Administrator, Jovita Carranza.

The CEOs of SBR’s member organizations, National ACE, the National Association for the Self-Employed (NASE), the National Association of Women Business Owners (NAWBO), the National Small Business Association (NSBA), the U.S. Black Chambers, Inc. (USBC), and the U.S. Hispanic Chamber of Commerce (USHCC) participated in thoughtful dialogue with Administrator Carranza and shared issues of greatest importance to their membership. Administrator Carranza also shared the top priorities of SBA under her leadership.

SBR Co-Executive Directors Rhett Buttle and John Stanford issued the following joint statement:

“We appreciate the open door between SBA Administrator Carranza and this country’s small business and entrepreneurial leaders. In a time of economic uncertainty due to the coronavirus, it is important to hear first-hand about the efforts underway at the SBA on this issue and other key efforts. SBR was formed for the very purpose of convening America’s small business voices with government officials, policymakers, and stakeholders and it was encouraging to see this in action today. As a coalition of advocates for the small business community, SBR is excited to build an enduring dialogue with Administrator Carranza.”

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The Small Business Roundtable (SBR) is a coalition of leading small business and entrepreneurship organizations, dedicated to advancing policy, securing access, and promoting inclusion to benefit the businesses at the heart of the American economy.