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## <u>Department of Community and Economic Development Secretary Davin to speak at</u> <u>The African American Chamber of Commerce of Western Pennsylvania</u> <u>Monthly PowerBreakfast Meeting</u>

(Pittsburgh, PA – February 15, 2016) The Honorable Dennis Davin, Secretary of the Pennsylvania Department of Community and Economic Development will be the guest speaker at the African American Chamber of Commerce PowerBreakfast Meeting on Friday, February 19, 2016 at the Rivers Club in One Oxford Center, Downtown Pittsburgh. The presentation will begin at 7:30 AM.

Secretary Davin will discuss the state of Pennsylvania's economic condition and what is happening on the state level.

Secretary Dennis Davin was appointed to serve as Secretary of the Department of Community and Economic Development in January 2015 by Governor Tom Wolf. Prior to his appointment, Secretary Davin served for more than a decade as Director of the Allegheny County Department of Economic Development (ACED) where he was responsible for establishing and executing the economic development strategy for Allegheny County. He also served as Director of the Allegheny County Redevelopment Authority and Executive Director of the Industrial Development Authority, Hospital Development Authority, Higher Education Building Authority, and Residential Finance Authority.

The mission of the African American Chamber of Commerce of Western Pennsylvania is to continuously improve business and professional opportunities for African American business owners and professionals.