**Langley Contractor Steering Council Meeting Minutes**

**October 19, 2023 @ 2PM – 3PM**

Hybrid Meeting – 26 online / 12 in person

Meeting Started: 2:00PM

**Richard White:** Welcome everyone!

**Jon Kelly:**

* Update for VASBA:
  + VASBA Gala
    - Thank you to all that attended. It was a great success!
    - $20,000 raised for scholarships. The most raised to date.
  + We are planning one more social before the end of the year. More to come on this.
  + Next we will be planning for Aviation Day in Richmond – Feb 7, 2024.

**Rob Betts:**

* SB Update:
  + Slides avail via LCSC website

**Guest Speaker:**

**Dave Young - Senior Advisor to the Center Director, NASA Langley Research Center**

* Presentation about LIFE (Langley in the Future)
  + Core Team members – Dave Young, Beth DiGiovanni, Debbie Tomek, and Rosemary Baize
  + NASA’s goal is to spur space economy
  + What should role of NASA be?
  + NASA 2040 effort – how to best utilize the Centers? Bring that value to the nation.
* Langley Today (FY 23)
  + 1800 CS
  + 1700 Contractors
  + 410 Students
* National Academies came to visit LARC 2 months ago.
  + NASA Agency Budget
  + LARC Center Budget
* Needs of a changing nation
  + Adapt to traditional applications
  + Adapt to non-traditional applications
  + Development of SPO – talking to companies how space can help you. Not just traditional partners.
* Searching for transformational roles
  + Where can we be transformational?
  + Transformational ways of doing business
  + Better ways to partner
* Strategy Lenses
  + Research Center contributions. Alter our current business strategy.
    - Vision Workshop – how do we bring more hands-on work?
    - Scenario Planning Workshop – Tim Cotnor (Key facilitator for KSC Strategic Plan)
    - Product Line Workshop – in-depth workshops on each of the current capabilities. More workshops on business scenarios.
* How can you help?
  + Our door is always open. Open to hearing new ideas.
  + How can we modify how we do business?
  + What challenges are faced?
  + Create a Red Team.
* Schedule – market analysis by Spring 2024, strategic directions.

**New Business:**

* None

Meeting Ended: 2:42PM

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