



# BEAUFORT, SC

## REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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### **Beaufort Regional Chamber of Commerce's State of the Bases Provides Tri-Command Briefings to Local Community**

**BEAUFORT, SC (Feb. 14, 2019)** - The Beaufort Regional Chamber of Commerce hosted the 2019 State of the Bases Breakfast on Wed., Feb. 13, 2019 at the Beaufort Holiday Inn & Suites. The Beaufort Regional Chamber is proud to bring this opportunity to our membership, the business community, citizens, and military community of the Beaufort region on an annual basis.

"State of the Bases provides the business community with the opportunity to connect with our local military leadership," said Blakely Williams, President & CEO of the Beaufort Regional Chamber. "This event reinforces the community's support of our three installations and reaffirms the Chamber's commitment to protecting their mission here in the Lowcountry."

The event featured updates from Beaufort's Tri-Command leadership: Col. Timothy Miller, MCAS Beaufort; Col. Cesar Rodriguez, MCRD Parris Island; and Capt. Robert Jackson, Naval Hospital Beaufort. Charlie Farrell, Executive Coordinator of the SC Military Base Task Force, also provided a briefing.

State of the Bases was presented by the Beaufort Regional Chamber of Commerce in partnership with Beaufort County Economic Development Corporation, CPM Federal Credit Union, Servpro of Beaufort County, and the University of South Carolina Beaufort. Additional support was provided by Dominion Energy and Mitchell Brothers, Inc.



For additional pictures of the event, please visit [facebook.com/beaufortsc.chamber](https://www.facebook.com/beaufortsc.chamber).

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#### About the Beaufort Regional Chamber of Commerce

The Beaufort Regional Chamber of Commerce exists to manage and build capacity for continual community growth by advocating for a pro-business environment and building quality workforce development in order to enrich the region's quality of life. To support its mission and vision, the Beaufort Regional Chamber of Commerce will continue to focus its efforts in the following pillars of emphasis: tourism, military enhancement, member services and business advocacy, economic development, and education/workforce and leadership development. The Chamber provides business growth and learning opportunities to help businesses be more productive and profitable, as well as advocacy and community development initiatives to build a favorable business climate, creating the preferred community to invest, prosper and enjoy.

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