Meet the Commissions
Oct. 24, 2022, Noon – 1 p.m. by Zoom
Presented by the PBA Diversity Equity and Inclusion Team

Did you know?
Gov. Tom Wolf has established five statewide commissions dedicated to advising the governor on issues related to various traditionally underrepresented constituencies.

This is a unique opportunity to meet the leaders of these commissions and learn what each commission can do for you.

No cost to attend, but please register in advance.

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Speakers:

Luz B. Colon epitomizes integrity, hard work and passion for service in every detail of community service for the last 15 years for the City of Philadelphia and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in various governmental roles. Established by Executive Order 2015-08, the Governor’s Advisory Commission on Latino Affairs (GACLA) is dedicated to advising the governor on policies and legislation that impact Latino American communities. GACLA and its commissioners have proficiently served Pennsylvania’s growing Latino community since 1971. Its aim is to contribute to the governor’s goal of government that works, schools that teach and jobs that pay.

Moriah Hathaway has been the executive director of the Pennsylvania Commission for Women since July 2020. She works with the commissioners, stakeholders and legislators from across the state to advocate for women and girls at the executive level. She previously served as the special assistant to the Secretary of the Office of Intergovernmental Affairs, as well as the executive assistant to Governor Wolf’s Regional Directors and as a constituent affairs specialist for Gov. Tom Wolf. Hathaway graduated in 2019 from Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania with the bachelor’s degree in political science. She serves on the Shippensburg University Alumni Board of Directors and as a board member for the Alzheimer’s Association Greater Pennsylvania Chapter. The Pennsylvania Commission for Women, which was created by executive order and consists of volunteer members, is responsible for advising the governor on policies and legislation that impact women; supporting economic and civic opportunities for women; identifying programs and opportunities for the benefit and advancement of women; and serving as a resource center for Pennsylvania women. The commission also acts as an advocate for policies and legislation it feels serves the best interest of women and girls in Pennsylvania.

LaDeshia Maxwell is the newly appointed deputy southeast regional director for Gov. Tom Wolf and the executive director for the Governor’s Advisory Commission on African American Affairs. Maxwell is a dedicated public servant – working for po-