

## CHIPS EVENT WITH DCCC

DELAWARE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE, DOWNINGTOWN, PA

September 8, 2023

10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

#### **AGENDA**

- Welcome! and Introduction from Dr. Marta Y. Cronin, President of DCCC
- Opening Remarks from Rep. Chrissy Houlahan
- Presentation from Marina Zhavoronkova, Senior Advisor, Workforce Strategy at the CHIPS Program Office at the Department of Commerce
- Audience Q&A (please write your questions on cards provided)/Panel discussion moderated by Chrissy
- Closing remarks from Chrissy

#### CHIPS AND SCIENCE ACT

- The CHIPS Program Office estimates that building and operating domestic semiconductor facilities could require more than 100,000 construction workers to build the facilities and 90,000 workers to operate them.
- The CHIPS Act will build a domestic semiconductor workforce by:
  - Investing in Manufacturing Facilities
  - o Partnering with Industry and Education and Training Providers
  - Supporting Semiconductor Education and Training
  - Fueling Research and Development

#### CHIPS ACT BENEFITS FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGES AND STUDENTS:

## • Funding and Workforce Development:

Includes \$11 billion for semiconductor manufacturing workforce development,
\$200 million for a CHIPS for America Workforce and Education Fund, and \$81 million for National Science Foundation's (NSF) critical infrastructure workforce training.

## • STEM Enhancement and Workforce Preparation:

 Updates the Advanced Technological Education (ATE) program under NSF to establish a network at community colleges. These updates will advance research for STEM education, provide students with hands-on training and research experiences.

## • Producing Quality Jobs:

 Ensures that community colleges are pivotal in fostering collaborations with businesses and assist graduates to find jobs that offer fair compensation, benefits, and supportive working conditions.



# INFORMATION ABOUT REP. HOULAHAN

#### **COMMITTEE AND CAUCUS ROLES**

- House Armed Services Committee, Member
- House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, Member
- Women in STEM Caucus, Co-Founder and Co-Chair
- For Country Caucus, Co-Founder and Member
- Servicewomen and Women Veterans Caucus, Co-Founder and Member
- Problem Solvers Caucus, Member
- Bipartisan Climate Solutions Caucus, Co-Chair

## **DELIVERING CONSTITUENT SERVICES (Since January 2019)**

- More than \$50,705,000 returned to constituents through casework services
- We have resolved 7,744 total cases on behalf of PA-06 constituents
- 329,276 emails sent and 31,542 phone calls returned

Learn about Chrissy's **updated** plan to fight inflation by scanning the QR code:



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