# Entrepreneur, investor and small business owner networking event

# **Description:**

Join Ocean Avenue Association for a networking event and make connections with entrepreneurs, investors and small business owners.

There will be local food and beverages served, live music and opportunities to connect with like-minded individuals.

# Goal:

- Attract entrepreneurs to Ocean Ave
- Attract investors to Ocean
- Bring new people into ocean to raise awareness about corridor
- Connect existing businesses on ocean
- Connect with businesses on OAA
- Expand mailing list by collecting attendee information
- Boost social media following by requesting follows for attendeesDate:
  Unity Plaza Last Thursday of the month, March 30th from 6-8PM

#### Food:

There will be complimentary snacks provided to attendees.

### **Drinks:**

There will be cash bar for drinks purchase.

# Admission:

FREE to attend but must RSVP prior to event via Eventbrite.

# **Budget: \$750**

- Signage (reusable assets)
  - o One large Canvas \$150
  - o 3-4 poster board signs throughout space \$100
  - o OAA Flyers \$0
- Staffing:
  - o OAA staff/Board
  - o OAA/Volunteer to check tickets
- Barriers to secure perimeter \$100
- Food (Local restaurant)? \$250
- Drinks (Ocean Ave Ale House) cash bar
- Marketing/Promotion Costs \$150
  - Meetup

- Nextdoor
- Craigslist
- Newsletters
  - o SF State
  - o City
  - o Local community groups