Forging Solutions and Leading the Recovery



At the State of American Business event, Members of Congress and experts discussed what solutions are needed for economic recovery.

The problem: "The economy is about two-thirds of way back to pre-pandemic levels, and the jobs market is about halfway there," explained Nela Richardson, Senior Vice President and Chief Economist at ADP. But that means "10 million who were employed in February are still not employed today."

Key takeaways:

- "We need to turbocharge the vaccination process. We need to get everyone vaccinated as humanly possible," said Rep. John Katko (R-NY). "That will give people the confidence to go back and support businesses."
- "It's important we make foundational investments in rebuilding. So, I'm a strong supporter in investments in infrastructure projects to put people back to work," said Rep. Abigail Spanberger (D-VA).

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