

Congress of the United States  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Committee on Small Business  
2361 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515-6515

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**NOTICE OF HEARING**

**2:00 PM ET, 2360 Rayburn House Office Building**

**TO:** Members, Committee on Small Business

**FROM:** Roger Williams, Chairman

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On **Thursday, January 22, 2026, at 2:00 PM ET** the House Committee on Small Business will hold a hearing titled ***“Local Ownership, National Brands: How Franchising is a Pathway to Entrepreneurship.”*** The hearing will convene in room 2360 of the Rayburn House Office Building.

If you have any questions concerning this hearing, please contact Colin Hall at [Colin.Hall@mail.house.gov](mailto:Colin.Hall@mail.house.gov).

*By Direction of the Chairman.*