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00:00:01,620 --> 00:00:29,080
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00:00:45,370 --> 00:00:31,720
t-minus one minute

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00:01:18,570 --> 00:01:14,590
we are go for launch

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00:01:33,630 --> 00:01:31,570
welcome back to the NASA social for the

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00:02:07,010 --> 00:01:33,640
crew dragon mission as we prepare to

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00:02:22,160 --> 00:02:18,890
ladies and gentlemen welcome back again

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00:02:24,650 --> 00:02:22,170
to the NASA social the virtual version I

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00:02:26,630 --> 00:02:24,660
again in Yves lamothe I am with the

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00:02:28,910 --> 00:02:26,640

commanding command and control systems

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00:02:31,190 --> 00:02:28,920

project manager in exploration ground

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00:02:32,570 --> 00:02:31,200

systems again enjoying our beautiful

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00:02:39,440 --> 00:02:32,580

background here with the space shuttle

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00:02:41,750 --> 00:02:39,450

Atlantis at the KSC visitors visitors

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complex I am so sorry about that I'm a

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00:02:46,580 --> 00:02:44,190

little star star truck because we have

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00:02:48,350 --> 00:02:46,590

starstruck because we have a special

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00:02:50,420 --> 00:02:48,360

guest with us today but before I do that

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00:02:52,070 --> 00:02:50,430

let me first introduce my partner in

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00:02:52,310 --> 00:02:52,080

crime here Josh Josh how're you doing

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00:02:55,520 --> 00:02:52,320

today

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00:02:58,400 --> 00:02:55,530

Yves on a scale of 1 to 10 my excitement

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00:02:59,840 --> 00:02:58,410

level is a 135 oh wow yeah for all the

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00:03:02,360 --> 00:02:59,850

space books out there they're gonna get

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00:03:04,370 --> 00:03:02,370

that one yeah so anyway I'm doing great

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00:03:06,680 --> 00:03:04,380

I'm so glad that you could join us live

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00:03:08,990 --> 00:03:06,690

for a Q&A session with a very special

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00:03:11,480 --> 00:03:09,000

guest so be sure to ask those questions

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00:03:12,490 --> 00:03:11,490

in the the chat windows there whether

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00:03:14,240 --> 00:03:12,500

you're wherever you're watching online

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00:03:16,640 --> 00:03:14,250

definitely we'll take those in a few

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00:03:18,050 --> 00:03:16,650

minutes and that's really I mean that's

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00:03:19,490 --> 00:03:18,060

today's show is where we're having a

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00:03:22,280 --> 00:03:19,500

really good kind of conversation here

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00:03:24,020 --> 00:03:22,290

with well you saw let you introduce our

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00:03:25,190 --> 00:03:24,030

guest all right so so listen up guys in

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00:03:26,840 --> 00:03:25,200

before I do that I hope you've been

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00:03:29,300 --> 00:03:26,850

enjoying all the shows that we've had

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00:03:30,920 --> 00:03:29,310

for you the means is to educate you guys

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00:03:33,050 --> 00:03:30,930

and show you guys what goes on kind of

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00:03:35,690 --> 00:03:33,060

behind the scenes before we get ready

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00:03:39,020 --> 00:03:35,700

for such a historic moment all right now

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00:03:41,449 --> 00:03:39,030

with me right the reason that I'm so you

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00:03:43,190 --> 00:03:41,459

know you know I'm in fan mode a little

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00:03:45,199 --> 00:03:43,200

tongue-tied a little bit is because we

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00:03:48,410 --> 00:03:45,209

have our very own NASA deputy

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00:03:49,940 --> 00:03:48,420

administrator Jim Moore hard with us Jim

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00:03:52,220 --> 00:03:49,950
how are you doing today I'm doing great

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00:03:53,930 --> 00:03:52,230
ease Josh I really appreciate you having

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00:03:55,820 --> 00:03:53,940
me here yeah absolutely thank you so

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00:03:57,860 --> 00:03:55,830
much for being here now of course we

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00:03:59,570 --> 00:03:57,870
have a live audience that are watching

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00:04:01,729 --> 00:03:59,580
I'm sure they'll have plenty of

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00:04:03,860 --> 00:04:01,739
questions for you but first if you can

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00:04:05,030 --> 00:04:03,870
just start introducing yourself let us

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00:04:06,770 --> 00:04:05,040
know who you are what you're all about

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00:04:08,900 --> 00:04:06,780
and it will get to learn a few things

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00:04:11,900 --> 00:04:08,910
about NASA from yeah you know the deputy

62
00:04:13,370 --> 00:04:11,910
administrator of NASA is really I'm to

63
00:04:15,740 --> 00:04:13,380

help Jim bridenstine who's the

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00:04:17,990 --> 00:04:15,750

administrator and we've laid out a

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00:04:21,259 --> 00:04:18,000

vision for NASA

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00:04:25,490 --> 00:04:21,269

and it's really I would say it's one

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00:04:27,380 --> 00:04:25,500

campaign with three domains and the one

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00:04:29,660 --> 00:04:27,390

that is gonna be addressed tomorrow is

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00:04:32,540 --> 00:04:29,670

low-earth orbit but we're also looking

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00:04:35,630 --> 00:04:32,550

at the moon cislunar space as well as

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Mars and deep space we're focused on all

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three of those different campaigns and

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we're working hard in each one of those

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00:04:43,760 --> 00:04:41,790

areas and hopefully we will get into

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00:04:45,920 --> 00:04:43,770

some of what we're doing today and I

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look forward to the questions absolutely

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thank you so much for that great

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00:04:51,860 --> 00:04:50,490

introduction and before we get going to

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00:04:52,940 --> 00:04:51,870

the questions to the audience how long

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00:04:56,180 --> 00:04:52,950

have you been the NASA deputy

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00:05:01,310 --> 00:04:56,190

administrator now I was confirmed by the

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00:05:03,560 --> 00:05:01,320

US Senate back in October of 2018 so

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00:05:05,360 --> 00:05:03,570

it's been about a year and a half and so

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00:05:07,460 --> 00:05:05,370

that's been probably the most exciting

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time of your career thus far correct it

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00:05:12,159 --> 00:05:09,300

has been the most exciting time of my

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00:05:14,810 --> 00:05:12,169

career and and the most challenging to

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00:05:18,590 --> 00:05:14,820

you know NASA does the impossible and

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that doesn't also means it's very

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difficult but it makes it for a lot of

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00:05:27,550 --> 00:05:24,030

fun and the intellectual stimulation as

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00:05:29,990 --> 00:05:27,560

well as the the wonderful people at NASA

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00:05:31,700 --> 00:05:30,000

really it's been I've been blessed to be

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00:05:33,409 --> 00:05:31,710

there well you know we're concerned you

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00:05:34,969 --> 00:05:33,419

know they say that you know you don't do

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00:05:37,100 --> 00:05:34,979

things because they're easy because then

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00:05:39,140 --> 00:05:37,110

everybody would do them but I'd like to

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00:05:41,930 --> 00:05:39,150

tailor that with it takes great leaders

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00:05:43,750 --> 00:05:41,940

as yourselves right to lead a group of

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00:05:46,909 --> 00:05:43,760

us to get out there and do these amazing

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00:05:49,010 --> 00:05:46,919
amazing things like space travel it's

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00:05:50,330 --> 00:05:49,020
not it's not an easy feat and we

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00:05:51,650 --> 00:05:50,340
appreciate your leadership and

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00:05:53,440 --> 00:05:51,660
everything that you're doing for the

105
00:05:55,490 --> 00:05:53,450
agency to get us to where we're going

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00:05:58,159 --> 00:05:55,500
we're always trying to make it better

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00:05:59,719 --> 00:05:58,169
and you know we're all human and we we

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00:06:01,370 --> 00:05:59,729
make mistakes too but we certainly are

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00:06:04,370 --> 00:06:01,380
doing everything we can

110
00:06:06,860 --> 00:06:04,380
and I'm confident tomorrow's gonna go

111
00:06:08,930 --> 00:06:06,870
well it's amazing we'll talk about you

112
00:06:11,840 --> 00:06:08,940
know just the some of the processes of

113
00:06:14,390 --> 00:06:11,850

what it takes to get humans into space

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00:06:16,040 --> 00:06:14,400

safely and that's what we're gonna do

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00:06:18,230 --> 00:06:16,050

that's our number-one priority tomorrow

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00:06:20,300 --> 00:06:18,240

you got it so now I definitely want to

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00:06:22,370 --> 00:06:20,310

go ahead and get the questions from the

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00:06:23,990 --> 00:06:22,380

audience because you're here they want

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00:06:26,000 --> 00:06:24,000

the most of you as they as they possibly

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00:06:27,290 --> 00:06:26,010

can so Josh I'm gonna head it over to

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00:06:28,970 --> 00:06:27,300

you if you would please let us know what

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00:06:31,520 --> 00:06:28,980

does the community have to ask

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00:06:32,690 --> 00:06:31,530

yeah absolutely let's start with just a

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question I want to make sure we get a

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little background on you yeah I'm just

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because obviously if you've been with us

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read it just a year and a half now yeah

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00:06:42,320 --> 00:06:39,600

so hopefully a lot more days and years

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to come but as you look towards not only

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00:06:45,860 --> 00:06:44,220

obviously what's your past and then kind

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00:06:47,570 --> 00:06:45,870

of the future the first question out of

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00:06:50,570 --> 00:06:47,580

the gate was actually what is your

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00:06:51,890 --> 00:06:50,580

vision of the lunar economy in the next

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00:06:56,060 --> 00:06:51,900

10 to 15 years

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yeah the now again we talk about lunar

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where we are talking about how we make

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00:07:07,010 --> 00:07:04,590

space travel affordable we know the

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financial problems and challenges we've

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got in the world in the United States

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and we're looking to get to the moon

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00:07:20,690 --> 00:07:17,190

we're we've just awarded three contracts

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00:07:24,320 --> 00:07:20,700

to commercial providers that are going

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00:07:27,950 --> 00:07:24,330

to design and develop landing systems

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00:07:30,800 --> 00:07:27,960

and we're going to compete on what those

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landing systems are but we really want

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00:07:36,980 --> 00:07:33,450

to be a customer to those commercial

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providers so that we're gonna provide

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the demand to start off with and they're

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going to be the suppliers and we're

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00:07:46,910 --> 00:07:44,430

gonna be doing things on the moon really

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00:07:49,400 --> 00:07:46,920

starting with precursor missions but

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00:07:52,600 --> 00:07:49,410

it's really looking and seeing we know

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00:07:56,030 --> 00:07:52,610

there's water ice at the South Pole and

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00:07:59,030 --> 00:07:56,040

it's our intent to at first demonstrate

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00:08:02,740 --> 00:07:59,040

whether we can convert that water ice to

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00:08:05,300 --> 00:08:02,750

oxygen and hydrogen for propellant and

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00:08:08,450 --> 00:08:05,310

I'm not saying we can do that but we're

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00:08:10,370 --> 00:08:08,460

gonna try and if we can do that with a

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00:08:13,130 --> 00:08:10,380

gret you know the gravity well of the

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00:08:14,570 --> 00:08:13,140

moon is one-sixth that of Earth so the

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00:08:18,020 --> 00:08:14,580

cost of a launch is gonna be a lot

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00:08:20,270 --> 00:08:18,030

cheaper going from the moon so we can

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00:08:24,770 --> 00:08:20,280

get those material those those elements

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up into space to Gateway it's possible

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00:08:30,680 --> 00:08:27,360

that we can move forward in slingshot

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00:08:32,960 --> 00:08:30,690

out to the deep space so really looking

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00:08:36,560 --> 00:08:32,970

at the moon as a stepping stone for the

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future awesome and can you give us some

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30,000 foot view of your career you know

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grew up in Virginia has got a MBA and

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law degree from Georgetown have an

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accounting background ended up in the

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United States Senate was working on the

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Senate Appropriations Committee

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00:09:04,670 --> 00:09:02,339

reviewing large agencies such as the

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00:09:06,079 --> 00:09:04,680

Justice Department that parts of the

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Defense Department the Commerce

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Department the State Department ended up

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00:09:12,769 --> 00:09:10,740

as the chief of staff for the whole

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00:09:16,220 --> 00:09:12,779

committee so really responsible for

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passing all the legislation for the

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federal government and then had some

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00:09:27,430 --> 00:09:23,850

personal challenges was in a plane crash

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actually and got through that and

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Senator McConnell asked me to come back

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00:09:34,370 --> 00:09:32,089

as the deputy sergeant at arms and

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00:09:37,189 --> 00:09:34,380

that's really kind of like running a

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00:09:37,759 --> 00:09:37,199

small city and well I didn't think that

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00:09:40,639 --> 00:09:37,769

would help

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as far as NASA goes understanding

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general council training all the

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different things the administrative part

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of running organization has been very

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helpful and I thank goodness I had that

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00:09:56,560 --> 00:09:53,459

experience and thank goodness he gave me

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that opportunity but that got me to NASA

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so so what's that like on the career

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00:10:03,199 --> 00:10:01,320

level because obviously I'm I'm fairly

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00:10:05,420 --> 00:10:03,209

young in my career and it sounds like

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00:10:07,250 --> 00:10:05,430

those amazing jobs you just listed like

201
00:10:08,870 --> 00:10:07,260
it almost feels like you're like there

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can't be anymore look can't be anymore

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00:10:12,650 --> 00:10:10,440
there can't be anymore and there's like

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00:10:14,210 --> 00:10:12,660
another amazing opportunity like and now

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like you're number two for NASA like

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that's amazing you know all our paths we

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all have a story and the path that we're

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00:10:25,610 --> 00:10:22,380
on each of us are on is not a straight

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00:10:28,040 --> 00:10:25,620
path and it's really understanding that

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00:10:31,519 --> 00:10:28,050
and when you're zigging and zagging it's

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00:10:33,740 --> 00:10:31,529
it's trusting that you're gonna that you

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00:10:36,650 --> 00:10:33,750
are there is a plan it's just not your

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00:10:37,939 --> 00:10:36,660

plan and you've got a trust in that and

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00:10:40,430 --> 00:10:37,949

keep moving forward

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and I think if anything kept me going it

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was just having that faith that this

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00:10:48,079 --> 00:10:45,930

would work out and I continue with that

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today you know I guess I kind of look at

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00:10:51,710 --> 00:10:49,860

it as you know in life as you journey

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00:10:52,730 --> 00:10:51,720

through life opportunities presents

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00:10:55,460 --> 00:10:52,740

itself yeah

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and do you capitalize or do you pass on

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00:10:58,550 --> 00:10:57,180

it it really depends on you know where

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00:10:59,960 --> 00:10:58,560

you are with your career what you want

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00:11:03,019 --> 00:10:59,970

to do that your interests are what your

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00:11:04,610 --> 00:11:03,029

passion is so now a quick question for

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00:11:08,660 --> 00:11:04,620

you um do you do you wear your cape

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00:11:12,560 --> 00:11:08,670

inside or outside my friends who tell

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00:11:15,710 --> 00:11:12,570

you there's an okay you know that you

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00:11:18,670 --> 00:11:15,720

make a good point and there are times we

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00:11:21,829 --> 00:11:18,680

all have difficulties in our careers and

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00:11:25,820 --> 00:11:21,839

it's understanding that this is part of

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00:11:27,500 --> 00:11:25,830

the plan and it's keeping calm and you

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00:11:29,630 --> 00:11:27,510

know this is not a crisis and there's a

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00:11:31,730 --> 00:11:29,640

reason why this is happening and I'm

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gonna keep moving forward may not be in

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00:11:36,320 --> 00:11:33,870

a direct line but I'm gonna keep moving

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00:11:39,500 --> 00:11:36,330

forward and that served me well through

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00:11:41,870 --> 00:11:39,510

my life now in in line would that can do

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00:11:44,829 --> 00:11:41,880

you enjoy what you're doing with NASA I

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00:11:47,030 --> 00:11:44,839

do I do I mean look it gets down to

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00:11:49,550 --> 00:11:47,040

people it gets get sound to

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relationships enjoying the present

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moment enjoying being with you too today

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I mean I'm enjoying this and it's you've

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got to stand back breathe and enjoy

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where you are right now not what you

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just did and not what you're going to do

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next and that to me is part of the trick

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00:12:10,190 --> 00:12:07,529

to life amazing

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00:12:10,670 --> 00:12:10,200
so at hand for NASA so not today but

252
00:12:16,639 --> 00:12:10,680
tomorrow

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00:12:18,230 --> 00:12:16,649
crews back to space station from America

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00:12:20,060 --> 00:12:18,240
again super exciting

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00:12:22,310 --> 00:12:20,070
so as we do that as we prepare for that

256
00:12:24,590 --> 00:12:22,320
moment I heard you earlier today in the

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00:12:26,960 --> 00:12:24,600
the news of the media briefing mentioned

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00:12:30,440 --> 00:12:26,970
that we are gonna have as a result of

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00:12:31,819 --> 00:12:30,450
and I'll kind of I'll poorly set this up

260
00:12:33,740 --> 00:12:31,829
and let you correct me and finish this

261
00:12:35,600 --> 00:12:33,750
out this thought that with the

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00:12:38,600 --> 00:12:35,610
Commercial Crew program we're gonna be

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00:12:40,400 --> 00:12:38,610

having 300 percent as much research

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happening on space station is did I get

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that right

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yeah a few that you look right now we

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have Chris Cassidy's up there right now

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we have one astronaut on the space

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station and Bob and Doug are gonna get

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there and I know Chris is excited to see

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him but the you know Chris is limited in

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the amount of work he can do as one

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astronaut in fact you know we just had

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00:13:08,550 --> 00:13:05,860

HTV nine

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00:13:12,300 --> 00:13:08,560

which is a Japanese cargo mission just

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00:13:14,220 --> 00:13:12,310

delivered a lot of material up there

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00:13:17,700 --> 00:13:14,230

including batteries that need to be

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00:13:20,850 --> 00:13:17,710

installed and and Chris needs needs Doug

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00:13:25,200 --> 00:13:20,860

and Bob to get those installed but with

280

00:13:28,830 --> 00:13:25,210

that when we you know the intent is that

281

00:13:31,730 --> 00:13:28,840

we certify this end-to-end flight test

282

00:13:34,490 --> 00:13:31,740

and if it's certified then we'll start

283

00:13:37,740 --> 00:13:34,500

launching crew up to the space station

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00:13:41,880 --> 00:13:37,750

to stay for much longer periods of time

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00:13:44,640 --> 00:13:41,890

and if we have a full complement of crew

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00:13:46,830 --> 00:13:44,650

which is what we envision then we're

287

00:13:51,090 --> 00:13:46,840

going to be able to as you've said Josh

288

00:13:52,860 --> 00:13:51,100

increase our research by 300% and when I

289

00:13:56,220 --> 00:13:52,870

say research you think about some of the

290

00:14:00,290 --> 00:13:56,230

things we're doing we're working towards

291

00:14:04,620 --> 00:14:00,300

creating mass producing retinal implants

292

00:14:08,100 --> 00:14:04,630

at the space station we're working on

293

00:14:17,420 --> 00:14:08,110

creating human tissue we're looking at

294

00:14:20,400 --> 00:14:17,430

trying to make fiber optics excuse me

295

00:14:22,740 --> 00:14:20,410

have a purity level much higher than it

296

00:14:25,680 --> 00:14:22,750

is to reduce the amount of relay

297

00:14:27,930 --> 00:14:25,690

stations that are needed it goes on and

298

00:14:30,270 --> 00:14:27,940

on about the different things that that

299

00:14:32,880 --> 00:14:30,280

we're doing there there's and this is

300

00:14:36,420 --> 00:14:32,890

about supply and demand there is an

301
00:14:39,060 --> 00:14:36,430
overwhelming demand for research we

302
00:14:41,340 --> 00:14:39,070
don't have enough of a supply of one

303
00:14:45,240 --> 00:14:41,350
astronauts but what we're really looking

304
00:14:48,360 --> 00:14:45,250
to do is again going to commercialize

305
00:14:51,090 --> 00:14:48,370
low-earth orbit and that includes

306
00:14:53,100 --> 00:14:51,100
creating commercial space stations that

307
00:14:56,310 --> 00:14:53,110
will meet this demand in the future

308
00:14:57,480 --> 00:14:56,320
that's really what our goal is here not

309
00:15:00,150 --> 00:14:57,490
to mention you think of you know

310
00:15:01,560 --> 00:15:00,160
commercialization of low-earth orbit you

311
00:15:03,750 --> 00:15:01,570
know just in a commercial launch

312
00:15:05,820 --> 00:15:03,760
vehicles it wasn't too long ago we had

313
00:15:08,700 --> 00:15:05,830

no market share and commercial launch

314

00:15:11,940 --> 00:15:08,710

vehicles we now have 70% of the market

315

00:15:14,310 --> 00:15:11,950

share in the United States so you know

316

00:15:16,470 --> 00:15:14,320

this is we're gonna keep going with it

317

00:15:18,360 --> 00:15:16,480

though and there's a lot more we can do

318

00:15:22,110 --> 00:15:18,370

in low-earth orbit cool

319

00:15:24,329 --> 00:15:22,120

so I was gonna say so in inline with

320

00:15:27,780 --> 00:15:24,339

that you know we're talking about the

321

00:15:30,600 --> 00:15:27,790

commercial aspect you know at NASA we

322

00:15:33,360 --> 00:15:30,610

are also working on the SLS rocket you

323

00:15:36,630 --> 00:15:33,370

know so to get us back to the Moon and

324

00:15:38,880 --> 00:15:36,640

Mars and beyond and such so how do you

325

00:15:41,340 --> 00:15:38,890

see this

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00:15:44,100 --> 00:15:41,350

this love story if you will right

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00:15:46,620 --> 00:15:44,110

between the commercial aspect the NASA

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00:15:48,870 --> 00:15:46,630

aspect and bringing in two humans into

329

00:15:51,480 --> 00:15:48,880

you know space travel and space tourism

330

00:15:53,670 --> 00:15:51,490

and and how do you see that you know in

331

00:15:54,510 --> 00:15:53,680

enveloping like over the next 5-10 years

332

00:15:58,380 --> 00:15:54,520

yeah

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00:16:08,519 --> 00:15:58,390

you know you've won it it's their

334

00:16:12,240 --> 00:16:08,529

economics involved but really when you

335

00:16:13,950 --> 00:16:12,250

look at going to the moon and you know

336

00:16:18,300 --> 00:16:13,960

you mentioned it it's the Space Launch

337

00:16:20,160 --> 00:16:18,310

System and the Orion space capsule which

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00:16:22,949 --> 00:16:20,170

you know really has done that you know

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00:16:28,230 --> 00:16:22,959

the Orion is here at Kennedy now ready

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00:16:32,070 --> 00:16:28,240

to go for Artemis one and we're got the

341

00:16:35,940 --> 00:16:32,080

SLS rocket is at Stennis Space Center I

342

00:16:37,470 --> 00:16:35,950

watched it go from masu to get barged

343

00:16:41,970 --> 00:16:37,480

over there it was pretty exciting the

344

00:16:44,760 --> 00:16:41,980

thing is very large I might add but we

345

00:16:46,500 --> 00:16:44,770

are getting prepared to continue with

346

00:16:49,829 --> 00:16:46,510

the green run which is really where we

347

00:16:52,710 --> 00:16:49,839

really test all the systems of the Space

348

00:16:56,130 --> 00:16:52,720

Launch System and and we're gonna light

349

00:16:58,410 --> 00:16:56,140

up those four rs.25 engines yeah and

350

00:17:01,380 --> 00:16:58,420

that is gonna be a sight to see I mean

351
00:17:02,970 --> 00:17:01,390
for those that are old guys like me you

352
00:17:05,610 --> 00:17:02,980
know there's the old clip of John F

353
00:17:08,880 --> 00:17:05,620
Kennedy watching as they lit up the

354
00:17:11,549 --> 00:17:08,890
Apollo engines and you know it's it's

355
00:17:13,500 --> 00:17:11,559
gonna be a showstopper yeah but it's

356
00:17:16,470 --> 00:17:13,510
it's putting all that together along

357
00:17:18,059 --> 00:17:16,480
with gateway along with this the human

358
00:17:23,100 --> 00:17:18,069
landing system that I mentioned already

359
00:17:26,490 --> 00:17:23,110
and so this is a system to get us to the

360
00:17:30,700 --> 00:17:26,500
moon and get us to the moon by 2024 and

361
00:17:33,220 --> 00:17:30,710
then allow us to be there in a sustained

362
00:17:35,889 --> 00:17:33,230
away so we can do the development and

363
00:17:39,549 --> 00:17:35,899

research we talked about like in situ

364

00:17:41,769 --> 00:17:39,559

resource utilization so that's my answer

365

00:17:42,760 --> 00:17:41,779

your question yes yes let me jump on

366

00:17:43,870 --> 00:17:42,770

that because there was a question that

367

00:17:46,240 --> 00:17:43,880

came in actually and it was the the

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00:17:48,130 --> 00:17:46,250

question kind of is are you you just

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00:17:51,070 --> 00:17:48,140

mentioned yeah Institue resource

370

00:17:52,870 --> 00:17:51,080

utilization what data do we hope to gain

371

00:17:55,320 --> 00:17:52,880

from the new moon missions the Artemis

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00:17:59,289 --> 00:17:55,330

program that may help when going to Mars

373

00:18:01,149 --> 00:17:59,299

yeah I mean first off you know it could

374

00:18:02,560 --> 00:18:01,159

be and I'll talk about it

375

00:18:03,820 --> 00:18:02,570

is are you but then we'll talk about

376

00:18:07,269 --> 00:18:03,830

some of the other things that we need to

377

00:18:10,240 --> 00:18:07,279

do but with is are you in situ resource

378

00:18:13,389 --> 00:18:10,250

utilization you know we've got to prove

379

00:18:15,100 --> 00:18:13,399

economically that we can do it and there

380

00:18:16,600 --> 00:18:15,110

certainly are entrepreneurs out there

381

00:18:19,029 --> 00:18:16,610

that are very interested in it

382

00:18:21,659 --> 00:18:19,039

especially when you've got asteroids

383

00:18:25,149 --> 00:18:21,669

that are you know have a nickel core and

384

00:18:27,639 --> 00:18:25,159

and we you know be able we may be able

385

00:18:29,680 --> 00:18:27,649

to mine asteroids too but those

386

00:18:31,450 --> 00:18:29,690

economics have to work and that's part

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00:18:33,340 --> 00:18:31,460

of this you know part of this

388

00:18:36,310 --> 00:18:33,350

demonstration that we've got to see how

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00:18:39,519 --> 00:18:36,320

this goes but again if we can do that

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00:18:41,919 --> 00:18:39,529

and start using some of the assets

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00:18:43,810 --> 00:18:41,929

within the moon to go further into space

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00:18:45,430 --> 00:18:43,820

and it may be that we'll be able to do

393

00:18:47,649 --> 00:18:45,440

it at Mars and then go to the next

394

00:18:51,250 --> 00:18:47,659

planet or next or the next moon that we

395

00:18:53,950 --> 00:18:51,260

want to go to so it I think that's the

396

00:18:57,570 --> 00:18:53,960

the hope is that we may be able to Scott

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00:18:59,830 --> 00:18:57,580

hopscotch eventually across the universe

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00:19:01,600 --> 00:18:59,840

we obviously can't bring all the

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00:19:03,399 --> 00:19:01,610

materials with us so we're going to have

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00:19:06,070 --> 00:19:03,409

to create it and we're gonna have to

401
00:19:07,720 --> 00:19:06,080
afford it so and it really gets down to

402
00:19:10,320 --> 00:19:07,730
that and that's where the

403
00:19:13,360 --> 00:19:10,330
commercialization is so important so

404
00:19:14,919 --> 00:19:13,370
that's so as far as going back to the

405
00:19:18,100 --> 00:19:14,929
other part of the question of the other

406
00:19:20,440 --> 00:19:18,110
things we need to do you think about Bob

407
00:19:22,960 --> 00:19:20,450
and Doug you think about what is the

408
00:19:26,399 --> 00:19:22,970
most complex system on that rocket

409
00:19:28,690 --> 00:19:26,409
tomorrow that's the human system and

410
00:19:30,880 --> 00:19:28,700
that's what we're most concerned about

411
00:19:34,000 --> 00:19:30,890
well it's gonna be the same way on the

412
00:19:37,269 --> 00:19:34,010
moon you've got radiation exposure that

413
00:19:40,810 --> 00:19:37,279

we have got to address before we send

414

00:19:43,720 --> 00:19:40,820

people out to Mars for instance these

415

00:19:44,259 --> 00:19:43,730

things you know these are serious issues

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00:19:46,449 --> 00:19:44,269

we

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00:19:48,339 --> 00:19:46,459

you you know for those who follow it

418

00:19:50,289 --> 00:19:48,349

there are plenty of things we've seen as

419

00:19:53,079 --> 00:19:50,299

far as bone loss

420

00:19:55,810 --> 00:19:53,089

you know reverse blood flows there are a

421

00:19:57,699 --> 00:19:55,820

lot of different challenges where we've

422

00:20:00,159 --> 00:19:57,709

got to address each one of those for a

423

00:20:02,589 --> 00:20:00,169

long-term space travel and we're gonna

424

00:20:05,409 --> 00:20:02,599

be doing that on the moon as well as

425

00:20:08,799 --> 00:20:05,419

making sure that we can sustainably live

426
00:20:11,829 --> 00:20:08,809
off Earth and and we're gonna be doing

427
00:20:12,940 --> 00:20:11,839
that also on the moon

428
00:20:15,039 --> 00:20:12,950
probably just one or two more questions

429
00:20:16,899 --> 00:20:15,049
this one kind of switching back towards

430
00:20:18,789 --> 00:20:16,909
the Commercial Crew program tomorrow's

431
00:20:20,560 --> 00:20:18,799
flight being the first with crew on

432
00:20:21,549 --> 00:20:20,570
board the question I'll kind of

433
00:20:23,469 --> 00:20:21,559
summarize a little bit here

434
00:20:25,449 --> 00:20:23,479
basically it was thinking about both an

435
00:20:28,539 --> 00:20:25,459
American and international set of

436
00:20:30,699 --> 00:20:28,549
activities who do we expect to be the

437
00:20:33,219 --> 00:20:30,709
the astronauts aboard crew dragon and

438
00:20:35,409 --> 00:20:33,229

Starliner Starliner being Boeing's space

439

00:20:37,509 --> 00:20:35,419

capsule so ours is just Americans are

440

00:20:42,129 --> 00:20:37,519

the International what's the plan you

441

00:20:44,979 --> 00:20:42,139

know we haven't named you know folks we

442

00:20:47,799 --> 00:20:44,989

haven't gone out too far yet I know that

443

00:20:51,909 --> 00:20:47,809

we're going to have an astronaut from

444

00:20:55,989 --> 00:20:51,919

Japan on one of the first first launches

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00:20:58,449 --> 00:20:55,999

of I think it's crew Dragon I'm pretty

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00:21:00,549 --> 00:20:58,459

sure as I recall but we certainly want

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00:21:04,149 --> 00:21:00,559

to bring our international partners with

448

00:21:07,479 --> 00:21:04,159

us they're critical to our efforts and

449

00:21:10,569 --> 00:21:07,489

we've seen it things like the robotic

450

00:21:12,009 --> 00:21:10,579

arm that Canada built you know and

451
00:21:16,509 --> 00:21:12,019
there's a lot more coming

452
00:21:19,119 --> 00:21:16,519
and whether it's ISA or Japan but you

453
00:21:22,569 --> 00:21:19,129
know we also have many new space

454
00:21:24,729 --> 00:21:22,579
agencies and so we're really want to

455
00:21:27,489 --> 00:21:24,739
bring we want to be inclusive

456
00:21:30,190 --> 00:21:27,499
you know Apollo it was exclusive we

457
00:21:34,359 --> 00:21:30,200
didn't mean to be but but it was and and

458
00:21:37,419 --> 00:21:34,369
it was really white test pilots military

459
00:21:41,769 --> 00:21:37,429
test pilots we want diversity we want

460
00:21:43,810 --> 00:21:41,779
diversity at NASA and it's been proven I

461
00:21:46,989 --> 00:21:43,820
mean we get much better intellect

462
00:21:49,959 --> 00:21:46,999
intellect and and results if we do

463
00:21:53,109 --> 00:21:49,969

diversify so we want our international

464

00:21:55,180 --> 00:21:53,119

partners and we want to continue to have

465

00:21:58,250 --> 00:21:55,190

diversity in NASA too at my net

466

00:21:59,930 --> 00:21:58,260

do I answer the question yeah I think so

467

00:22:02,840 --> 00:21:59,940

again it's just that the nature of with

468

00:22:04,190 --> 00:22:02,850

the crew dragon and Starliner how does

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00:22:05,299 --> 00:22:04,200

that work with international partners

470

00:22:08,210 --> 00:22:05,309

and I think that I think you nailed that

471

00:22:10,880 --> 00:22:08,220

one okay okay so I kind of want to touch

472

00:22:13,370 --> 00:22:10,890

a little bit on you know what's going on

473

00:22:15,649 --> 00:22:13,380

on in Jim's head right so what tell me

474

00:22:19,580 --> 00:22:15,659

what what is the most exciting part for

475

00:22:24,590 --> 00:22:19,590

you leading up to tomorrow's launch you

476
00:22:28,639 --> 00:22:24,600
know keep in mind you know as all that I

477
00:22:33,560 --> 00:22:28,649
do the the visuals are very exciting to

478
00:22:37,490 --> 00:22:33,570
to have humans strapped in on top of a

479
00:22:40,879 --> 00:22:37,500
rocket is exciting but there are many

480
00:22:46,100 --> 00:22:40,889
processes that go into this many

481
00:22:48,409 --> 00:22:46,110
complicated processes and the really

482
00:22:50,720 --> 00:22:48,419
watching the Flight Readiness review the

483
00:22:53,360 --> 00:22:50,730
launch readiness review all the

484
00:22:56,600 --> 00:22:53,370
different processes that we have that

485
00:22:59,120 --> 00:22:56,610
we've worked closely with SpaceX we

486
00:23:03,289 --> 00:22:59,130
really collaborated with SpaceX to do

487
00:23:05,810 --> 00:23:03,299
this and that's what I enjoy I come from

488
00:23:08,330 --> 00:23:05,820

a background of looking at large

489

00:23:10,509 --> 00:23:08,340

organizations and how do you make a an

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00:23:13,340 --> 00:23:10,519

organization better than it's ever been

491

00:23:16,190 --> 00:23:13,350

that's what you know that's what I enjoy

492

00:23:17,810 --> 00:23:16,200

doing and that's what I'm trying to do

493

00:23:21,169 --> 00:23:17,820

I'm not saying I've accomplished it but

494

00:23:25,490 --> 00:23:21,179

that's my goal at NASA is to try you

495

00:23:27,919 --> 00:23:25,500

know Leave No Trace and hopefully left

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00:23:30,590 --> 00:23:27,929

NASA a better place than it was when I

497

00:23:33,019 --> 00:23:30,600

got here now what would you take a trip

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00:23:36,620 --> 00:23:33,029

up to up the space if you could if I had

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00:23:39,440 --> 00:23:36,630

the opportunity I certainly would you

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00:23:41,810 --> 00:23:39,450

know it's it's I don't think you're

501
00:23:46,549 --> 00:23:41,820
gonna get a 63 year old guy there I was

502
00:23:52,519 --> 00:23:46,559
friends with John Glenn actually 63 yeah

503
00:23:54,320 --> 00:23:52,529
he was he was actually my my dad worked

504
00:23:56,210 --> 00:23:54,330
at what they call the Naval Air Systems

505
00:23:59,330 --> 00:23:56,220
come in he was friends with Alan Shepard

506
00:24:01,460 --> 00:23:59,340
Wow one day I was six years old and I

507
00:24:05,480 --> 00:24:01,470
was in my parents Ford station wagon

508
00:24:06,340 --> 00:24:05,490
thing was so old it had a hinged window

509
00:24:08,919 --> 00:24:06,350
on the back of it

510
00:24:10,480 --> 00:24:08,929
and I remember my brother taking me out

511
00:24:11,919 --> 00:24:10,490
of the car and walking up to some house

512
00:24:14,620 --> 00:24:11,929
in Arlington Virginia

513
00:24:16,330 --> 00:24:14,630

and this man opened the door led us in I

514

00:24:18,400 --> 00:24:16,340

pet the cat it gave me a glass of water

515

00:24:22,240 --> 00:24:18,410

got his autograph and that was the first

516

00:24:24,159 --> 00:24:22,250

time I met John Glenn Wow and ended up

517

00:24:25,750 --> 00:24:24,169

in the Senate and I get to meet him

518

00:24:27,190 --> 00:24:25,760

again we're working together I was on

519

00:24:29,110 --> 00:24:27,200

the what they call the military

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00:24:31,630 --> 00:24:29,120

construction subcommittee he had the

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00:24:33,370 --> 00:24:31,640

same subcommittee on the Armed Services

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00:24:36,520 --> 00:24:33,380

Committee he was a chairman I was just a

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00:24:39,250 --> 00:24:36,530

staff guy but he was the same kind

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00:24:42,100 --> 00:24:39,260

gentle man and I shared that story with

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00:24:44,860 --> 00:24:42,110

him and we both had a great laugh but he

526

00:24:49,899 --> 00:24:44,870

was an amazing individual cool Wow

527

00:24:52,419 --> 00:24:49,909

that is simply amazing do we miss busy

528

00:24:54,940 --> 00:24:52,429

guy so he's got to go okay so Jim if you

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00:24:57,580 --> 00:24:54,950

can just wrap it up for us I'm just just

530

00:24:59,500 --> 00:24:57,590

kind of tell us you know where you're

531

00:25:00,580 --> 00:24:59,510

gonna be you know tomorrow for the

532

00:25:02,919 --> 00:25:00,590

launch what are the things that you're

533

00:25:05,230 --> 00:25:02,929

going to be thinking of and and what do

534

00:25:06,430 --> 00:25:05,240

you hope for or the message that you

535

00:25:08,950 --> 00:25:06,440

want to lay out to all the people that

536

00:25:10,060 --> 00:25:08,960

are watching you right now what message

537

00:25:12,480 --> 00:25:10,070

do you want to give out to the folks

538

00:25:15,090 --> 00:25:12,490

there yeah you know tomorrow I've got

539

00:25:18,090 --> 00:25:15,100

doing a lot of media in the morning

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00:25:21,580 --> 00:25:18,100

President and Vice President are coming

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00:25:25,180 --> 00:25:21,590

along with parts of the cabinet parts of

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00:25:27,520 --> 00:25:25,190

the congressional delegations and

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00:25:30,789 --> 00:25:27,530

certainly want to make sure that all

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00:25:34,720 --> 00:25:30,799

that's going well you know I'm not

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00:25:36,669 --> 00:25:34,730

involved in the inner workings of this

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00:25:39,820 --> 00:25:36,679

launch it's I'm going to be an observer

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00:25:44,649 --> 00:25:39,830

and making sure everything's going as

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00:25:47,610 --> 00:25:44,659

well as I can but it is I'm gonna leave

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00:25:51,549 --> 00:25:47,620

that to the professionals to do it right

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00:25:52,720 --> 00:25:51,559

the message you know I know that there

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00:25:55,990 --> 00:25:52,730
are a lot of people that are suffering

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00:26:00,909 --> 00:25:56,000
in this country and in this world and

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00:26:04,200 --> 00:26:00,919
tomorrow we hope to inspire the United

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00:26:08,289 --> 00:26:04,210
States and inspire the world this is a

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00:26:11,950 --> 00:26:08,299
generational achievement and we look

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00:26:15,010 --> 00:26:11,960
forward to having more of them but this

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00:26:16,370 --> 00:26:15,020
is what we do at NASA and yeah it's been

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00:26:19,279 --> 00:26:16,380
challenging with kovat

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00:26:22,310 --> 00:26:19,289
but we're not out and we're coming back

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00:26:24,890 --> 00:26:22,320
and we're gonna keep going so tomorrow

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00:26:27,710 --> 00:26:24,900
we're gonna light that candle and it's

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00:26:29,299 --> 00:26:27,720
go diem - and I hope you'll all be with

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00:26:32,810 --> 00:26:29,309

us watching awesome

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00:26:35,270 --> 00:26:32,820

well Jim thank you so much not just for

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00:26:37,549 --> 00:26:35,280

your presence here but also for your

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00:26:39,169 --> 00:26:37,559

leadership your passion of what you do

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00:26:40,760 --> 00:26:39,179

and all the things that you aim to do

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00:26:42,950 --> 00:26:40,770

for NASA

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00:26:45,110 --> 00:26:42,960

you know us as employees you know we

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00:26:46,940 --> 00:26:45,120

we get to reap the benefits of that it's

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00:26:48,740 --> 00:26:46,950

having great leaders like yourselves at

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00:26:50,720 --> 00:26:48,750

the top doing these great things that

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00:26:52,669 --> 00:26:50,730

that allow us to do what what we can

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00:26:57,080 --> 00:26:52,679

down here so I'm honored to be with you

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00:26:59,060 --> 00:26:57,090

guys absolutely it's a win-win with that

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00:27:01,460 --> 00:26:59,070

folks I definitely hope you did enjoy

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00:27:03,860 --> 00:27:01,470

this segment here with our NASA deputy

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00:27:06,500 --> 00:27:03,870

administrator it's not every day we get

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00:27:08,270 --> 00:27:06,510

to sit down and talk and get to hear

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00:27:10,310 --> 00:27:08,280

your words you know from you and

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00:27:13,520 --> 00:27:10,320

hopefully you guys I'm got some of your

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00:27:15,289 --> 00:27:13,530

questions answered with that we're gonna

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00:27:16,970 --> 00:27:15,299

close it out and I'd like to invite you

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00:27:18,200 --> 00:27:16,980

all to come back around four o'clock for

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00:27:20,330 --> 00:27:18,210

our pop and speakers we're gonna have

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00:27:23,090 --> 00:27:20,340

Steve Payne and Dana Hutchinson who will

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00:27:24,590 --> 00:27:23,100

be talking to us Josh thank you for

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00:27:26,029 --> 00:27:24,600

riding along we've got a three o'clock -

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00:27:27,740 --> 00:27:26,039

don't miss the three o'clock 3 o'clock

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00:27:30,500 --> 00:27:27,750

are you I'm sorry by the way yes 3

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00:27:33,560 --> 00:27:30,510

o'clock as well yeah so many good shows

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00:27:35,450 --> 00:27:33,570

guys stay tuned come on back keep your

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00:27:37,789 --> 00:27:35,460

questions coming and thank you for

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00:27:39,320 --> 00:27:37,799

joining us and letting us educate you a

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00:27:41,419 --> 00:27:39,330

little bit about what we do here at NASA