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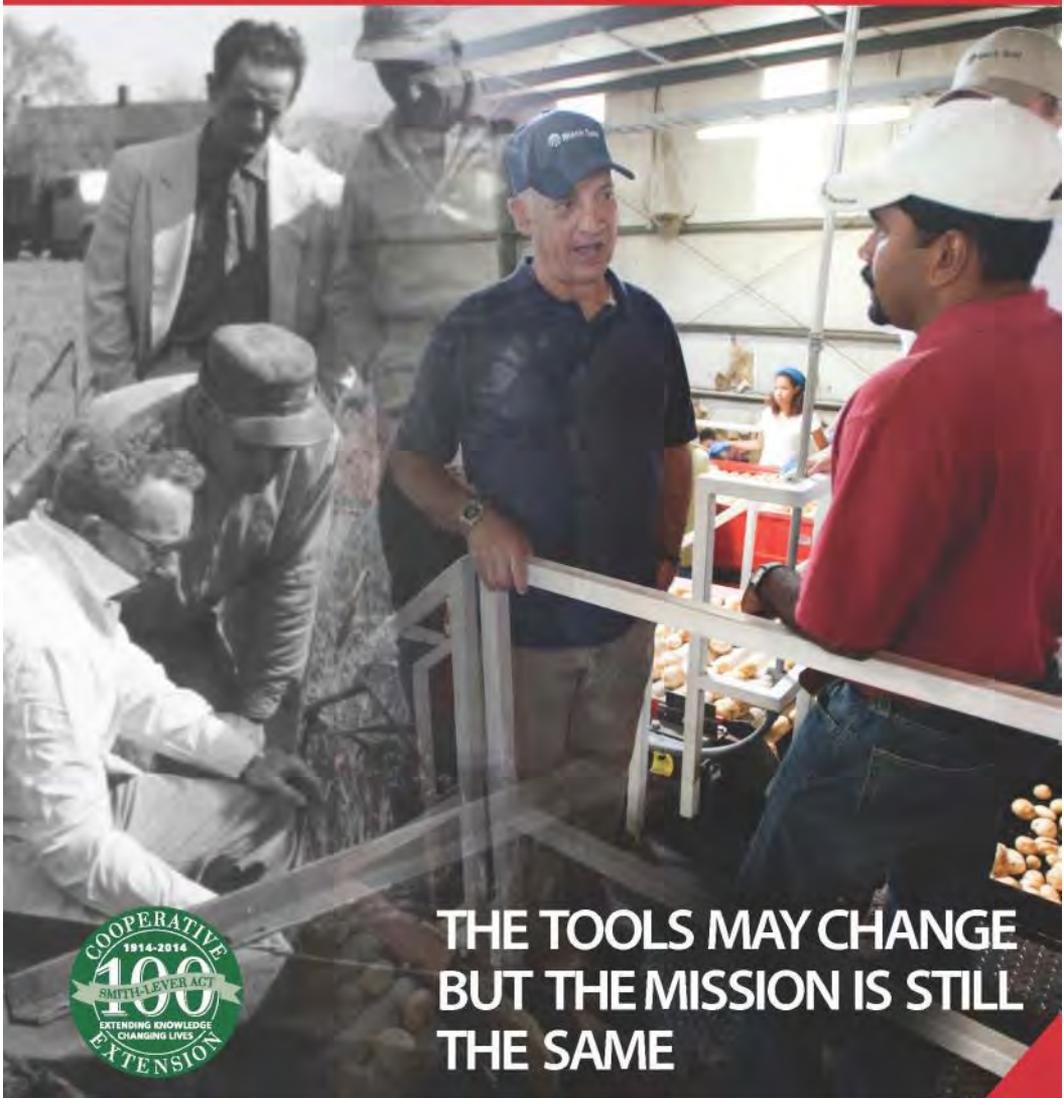
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For additional information contact our Outreach Coordinator, Kaley Schultze, at [kschultze@mdcounties.org](mailto:kschultze@mdcounties.org) or at 410.269.0043.



# **The Academy for Excellence in Local Governance**

MACo, MML, and LGIT, in partnership with the University of Maryland School of Public Policy are sponsors of the Academy for Excellence in Local Governance (Academy).

The Academy is a voluntary training program designed to help local government officials, especially newly elected officials, meet the challenges of governing. County officials may enroll in the “county track” and earn a certificate after completing comprehensive training on local governance.

## ***WHO IS ELIGIBLE?***

All county elected or appointed officials may attend Academy courses and register for the Academy to receive an Academy certificate.

## ***WHAT ARE THE EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS?***

To receive the Academy Certificate, local officials must register and complete 8 required Core classes and an additional 6 elective units of their choosing.

## ***HOW LONG WILL IT TAKE?***

Participants are encouraged to complete the requirements within three years, but may take as long as needed.

## ***WHAT IS THE COST?***

Academy registration is a one-time fee of \$250. For elected officials only: upon request, MACo will pay a \$150 stipend towards the registration fee. Conference or other seminar fees are additional fees paid by the participant.

## ***WHERE ARE “COUNTY TRACK” COURSES OFFERED?***

Classes are offered at MACo, MML, and LGIT conferences and course trainings.

**WHICH COURSES ARE OFFERED AT THIS CONFERENCE?**

Look for the Academy symbol that signifies an Academy credit course.



**QUESTIONS?**

The University of Maryland School of Public Policy is the program administrator, providing registration, transcripts, and general support. Contact the School of Public Policy at 301.314.2641.

Visit the Academy booth on the second floor of the convention center.

**Wednesday, August 13, 2014**

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm: “Consensus and Team Building” (Core)

3:15 pm - 4:45 pm: “Public Information Act” (Core)

**Thursday, August 14, 2014**

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm: “Financial Literacy—Building Successful Futures”

3:30 pm - 4:30 pm: “Creative and Collaborative Transportation Solutions to Meet Citizen Needs”

**Friday, August 15, 2014**

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm: “Human Trafficking: Channeling Human Services to Challenging Populations”

2:15 pm - 3:15 pm: “Alzheimer’s, Autism, and Dementia: Improving Endangered Missing Persons Response”

2:15 pm - 3:15 pm: “Counties Going Green—A Guide to Sustainable Purchasing”

**County Core Classes**

**(all 8 required)**

- County Financial Management
- Ethics
- Conducting Effective Meetings
- Consensus & Team Building
- Open Meetings
- Public Information Act
- Employment Issues
- Basics of Risk Management

**County Elective Classes**

**(choose any 6 topic areas)**

- Land Use Planning
- Communications
- Legal & Liability Issues
- Technology
- HR & Personnel Adm.
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### **What are Early Attendance Prizes??**

At the beginning of each conference session, a ticket is drawn and the winner receives either \$20 (in an affiliate session) or \$50 (in a general session).

### **Where do I get the tickets?**

"Prize tickets" can be found in your conference registration materials. Please fill out the "name" field on the ticket. MACo staff will collect the tickets prior to the beginning of the session.

### **How is it awarded?**

The session moderator draws a name and the cash prize is awarded right there on the spot. The remaining tickets are discarded.

### **Show up early - the drawing does not wait!**

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**Wednesday, August 13, 2014**

10:30 am - 4:30 pm    MACHO - Health Officers Affiliate Meeting    Room 217

**Thursday, August 14, 2014**

8:00 am - 9:00 am    Rural Counties Coalition Meeting & Breakfast  
(private)    Room 209

**Friday, August 15, 2014**

7:30 am - 8:30 am    County Administrators Breakfast Meeting    Room 213

7:30 am - 8:45 am    County Elected Officials Breakfast & Forum\*    Room 217

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm    Budget and Finance Officers Affiliate Lunch \*\*    Room 207

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm    County Attorneys' Affiliate Lunch \*\*    Room 210

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm    Human Resources Affiliate Lunch \*\*    Room 209

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm    Human Services Affiliate Lunch \*\*    Room 213

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm    Maryland County Officials Diversity Caucus Lunch \*\*    Room 215

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm    Upper Shore, Mid Shore, and Lower Shore Regional  
Council Lunch \*\*    Room 208

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm    Women of MACo Luncheon \*\*    Room 217

***\*County Elected Officials Breakfast Ticket Required***

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#### ***Golf Tournament Prizes:***

- Comfort Inn Gold Coast—2 Night Hotel Stay
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- Fresco's Restaurant - Gift Certificates
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- Ocean City Golf Club - 12 Free Rounds of Golf
- Quality Inn—2 Night Hotel Stay



## Wednesday, August 13, 2014

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7:00 am - 3:00 pm      Registration Open      Lower Level  
Foyer

7:00 am - 3:00 pm      Mobile App Display      Lower Level  
Foyer

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7:00 am - 4:30 pm      Attendee Break Room      Room 211  
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9:00 am - 4:00 pm      2014 Golf Tournament (Off-Site)      Ocean City  
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8:30 am - 11:30 am      **Special Session**      Room 209

### ***Planning Board, Planning Commissioner and Board of Appeals Members Education Course***

*This FREE course, required as part of the Smart and Sustainable Growth Act of 2009 passed by the Maryland General Assembly, required Planning Commission, Planning Board, and Board of Appeals members to complete an education course on or before July 1, 2010. For new members, the course is required to be completed within 6 months after appointment to the Commission or Board. The Maryland Department of Planning (MDP) and the Maryland Planning Commissioners Association (MPCA) is offering this course to all those who have not yet completed it.*



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## Wednesday, August 13, 2014

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8:30 am - 11:30 am    **Special Session, continued**    Room 209  
*The Course covers topics such as foundations of planning, the role of the comprehensive plan, standards for special exceptions and variances and implementing ordinances such as zoning and subdivision and adequate public facilities. The course covers planning law and ethics and touches on new regulations and policies including the 2012 Septic Bill and PlanMaryland.*

**Speakers:**

- Richard Josephson, Director, Planning Services, Maryland Department of Planning
- Amanda Conn, Deputy Secretary, Maryland Department of Planning
- John Landbeck, Board of Zoning Appeals, City of Aberdeen
- Sandy Landbeck, Council Member, City of Aberdeen
- Keith Lackie, Eastern Shore Planner

**Moderator:** Robert Elliott, President, Maryland Planning Commissioners Association

10:30 am - 4:30 pm    Maryland Association of County Health    Room 217  
Officers' Affiliate Meeting (private)

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm    **Special Session**    Room 208

**State Revitalization Programs**

*This session will provide an overview of State programs that directly benefit cities, towns and counties throughout Maryland. Community redevelopment programs such as Community Legacy, Smart Growth Impact Fund, Main Street Maryland, Sustainable Communities designations, and the Sustainable Communities Tax Credit provide funding and technical assistance to applicants seeking economic development and community revitalization. Representatives from the Maryland Departments of Planning and of Housing & Community Development will give an overview of how these effective State programs have helped cities and towns across Maryland.*

**Speakers:**

- Carol Gilbert, Assistant Secretary for Neighborhood Revitalization, Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development
- Renee Novak, Preservation Officer, Historic Preservation Incentives Program, Maryland Historical Trust
- Kevin Baynes, Director of Community Programs, Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development



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## Wednesday, August 13, 2014

1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

**Special Session**

Room 204

### ***Clean Up That Mess Using GIS: Emerging Trends for Geographic Information System Technology***

*Geographic Information System (GIS) technology has rapidly become a standard and vital tool for county governments. While GIS technology was originally focused on land use planning, the technology now helps counties address such policy challenges as traffic control, water and sewer, public safety, waste management, and a variety of other services. Panelists will discuss updates and emerging trends in GIS technology and highlight the many diverse areas where GIS can assist county governments.*

#### **Speakers:**

- Marshall Stevenson III, Senior Program Manager, Geospatial Innovations, Whitney, Baily, Cox & Magnani, LLC
- Santino DePaul, Account Executive, Water/Wastewater, Environmental Systems Research Institute, Inc. (Esri)
- Matthew Power, Director, Maryland StateStat
- Benjamin Birge, CountyStat Manager, Prince George's County

**Moderator:** The Honorable Adelaide (Addie) Eckardt, MD House of Delegates

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

**Academy for Excellence in Local  
Governance Core Class**



Room 202/203

### ***Consensus & Team-Building***

*Success in forging good government often comes from reaching compromise and consensus. Sharing ownership of ideas and programs with a broad group of stakeholders can facilitate stronger working relationships that have far-reaching positive effects. This hands-on class features interactive discussion of the essential elements of reaching consensus and team building.*

#### **Speakers:**

- Tom Reynolds, Director, Education Services, Maryland Municipal League
- Lou Geiszl, Deputy Director, Maryland Mediation & Conflict Resolution Office

**Moderator:** The Honorable Rikki Spector, Council Member, Baltimore City

3:00 pm - 3:15 pm

**Coffee Break**

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3:15 pm - 4:45 pm

**Academy for Excellence in Local  
Governance Core Class**



Room 202/203

### **Public Information Act**

*What kind of information should be released to the public upon request? This class helps officials and staff at all levels who must deal with the public by informing them about the requirements of Maryland law on the handling of public records. This class includes real-life scenarios to further illustrate appropriate responses to request from the public or the press.*

**Speaker:** Adam Snyder, Esq., Chief Counsel, Opinions & Advice, Office of the Attorney General

**Moderator:** The Honorable William Valentine, Commissioner, Allegany County

3:15 pm - 4:45 pm

**Special Session**

Room 208

### **LGAC's New Chesapeake Bay Watershed Agreement Briefing**

*A new Chesapeake Bay Watershed Agreement was signed on June 16, 2014. This new Agreement acknowledges that the long-term success of the Bay restoration effort will depend on local leadership. Join members of the Chesapeake Bay Partnership in a conversation about the new Chesapeake Bay Watershed Agreement. The discussion will be facilitated by Dave Dunmyer, Queen Anne's County Commissioner and member of the Local Government Advisory Committee (LGAC) to the Chesapeake Executive Council. Representatives of the Partnership will provide an overview of the Agreement and highlight specific Goals and Outcomes of interest to local governments.*

#### **Speakers:**

- Joe Gill, Secretary, MD Department of Natural Resources
- Rich Hall, Secretary, MD Department of Planning
- Bob Summers, Secretary, MD Department of the Environment
- Nick DiPasquale, Director, Chesapeake Bay Program Office

**Moderator:** The Honorable David Dunmyer, Commissioner, Queen Anne's County and Member, Local Government Advisory Committee to the Chesapeake Executive Council (LGAC)

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4:30 pm- 6:00 pm      Discussion and Reception      Room 201

### ***Taming the Tiger of Workers' Compensation Costs***

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*Ever wondered what drives workers' compensation costs and what counties can do as employers to keep costs down and employees safe? Learn about the factors considered in workers' compensation premiums, ways to help reduce workers' compensation costs, and issues currently affecting workers' compensation claims and costs. The Chesapeake Employers' Insurance Company (formerly the Injured Workers' Insurance Fund – IWIF), invites all county elected officials, administrators, and human resources personnel to join them for a reception and forum to discuss these questions. Meet your Chesapeake Employers' representatives over refreshments and then engage a panel of workers' comp experts. Come away with tools and solutions for your county.*

#### **Speakers:**

- Tim Michels, COO, Chesapeake Employers' Insurance Company
- Tina Thomas-Lyght, Senior Underwriter, Chesapeake Employers' Insurance Company
- Dr. Stephen Fisher, Medical Advisor, Chesapeake Employers' Insurance Company

**Moderator:** The Honorable Rick Pollitt, County Executive, Wicomico County

## Thursday, August 14, 2014

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7:00 am - 4:00 pm      Registration      Lower Level Foyer

7:00 am - 4:00 pm      Mobile App Display      Lower Level Foyer

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7:00 am - 4:30 pm      Attendee Break Room      Room 211

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7:30 am - 9:30 am      Continental Breakfast      Room 208/209 Foyer

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8:00 am - 9:00 am Rural Counties Coalition Meeting & Breakfast (private) Room 209

9:00 am - 10:00 am **Welcoming Session & Keynote Address** Bayfront  
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### ***Trying Hard is Not Good Enough: Improving Quality of Life and Service Performance Through Results-Based Accountability***

**Keynote Speaker:** Mark Friedman, Founder and Director, Fiscal Policy Studies Institute

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**Moderator:** The Honorable Thomas G. Duncan, Council Member, Talbot County

10:00 am - 10:15 am Coffee Break Upper Level  
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10:00 am - 10:15 am **Exhibit Hall Grand Opening** Lower Level  
Foyer

10:00 am - 4:30 pm **Exhibit Hall A/B Open**

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10:00 am - 6:30 pm      Cyber Café Open      Dockside Hall  
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12:00 pm - 1:00 pm      Dept. of Social Services Directors Lunch      Room 213  
(private)

1:00 pm - 1:45 pm      **Federal Update with**      Room 215  
**United States Senator Ben Cardin**

*Senator Cardin will share how the work of Congress will affect Maryland and speak with county elected officials about their top priorities in a town hall setting. Senator Cardin has been a national leader on health care, retirement security, the environment, and fiscal issues as a member of the U.S. Senate and House of Representatives. Senator Cardin was first elected to the U.S. Senate in 2006 and he was re-elected in 2012. He currently serves on the Environment and Public Works (EPW), Finance, Foreign Relations, and Small Business & Entrepreneurship committees. In the 113th Congress, he chairs the Water and Wildlife Subcommittee of EPW and he chairs the East Asian and Pacific Affairs Subcommittee of the Foreign Relations Committee.*

**Speaker:** The Honorable Ben Cardin, United States Senator from Maryland

**Moderator:** The Honorable Jack Russell, President, St. Mary's County Board of Commissioners

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm      **AFFILIATE SESSIONS**

**Pickleball and Rock Walls and WiFi, Oh My!**      Room 203  
**Changing Expectations for County Recreation Departments**

*Sponsored by MACo's Parks & Recreation Affiliate*

*The public expects high quality services and recreational opportunities from county park and recreation departments. However, as public recreation preferences and expectations change over time, it can be challenging for a county to keep up. From providing wireless internet (WiFi) service and rock walls in recreational facilities to creating field space to accommodate a diverse set of league sports, county departments are being asked to provide an increasingly broad array of services. Panelists will discuss recent and emerging trends in public recreation and highlight how several counties have responded to meet these new needs.*

**Speakers:**

- Paul Magness, Deputy Director, Harford County Department of Parks and Recreation
- Christopher Merdon, Chief Information Officer and Director, Howard County Department of Technology and Communication Services
- Michele Potter, President, Maryland Recreation and Parks Association and Director of Parks, Recreation, and Culture, City of Gaithersburg

**Moderator:** The Honorable Michael Busch, Speaker, MD House of Delegates



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2:00 pm - 3:00 pm     **AFFILIATE SESSIONS, continued**

### **Going the Distance – Building the “Last Mile” of Broadband Infrastructure**     Room 204

*Sponsored by MACo’s Administrators Affiliate*

*As technology improves, businesses and citizens across Maryland need the capability to communicate and locate information at faster speeds. However, the build-out of broadband networks to allow for this type of communication can be costly, especially in areas where populations and potential customers are less dense. This session will focus on the importance of broadband infrastructure and overcoming deployment challenges; panelists will discuss cost-effective solutions for going the last mile.*

**Speakers:**

- Andrew Afflerbach, PhD, Chief Executive Officer and Director of Engineering, CTC Technology and Energy
- Tyler C. Patton, Vice President, Public Affairs, MD Broadband Cooperative
- Beth Thomas, Information Technology Coordinator, Allegany County
- John Lyons, Cable Television Administrator, Anne Arundel County

**Moderator:** The Honorable Sheila E. Hixson, MD House of Delegates

### **The Opioid Epidemic, Part 1: A Public Health Response to the Opioid Problem**     Room 205

*Sponsored by MACo’s Health Officers Affiliate*

*Opioid abuse and overdoses are reaching epidemic proportions across the country and within Maryland, but much debate remains as to how to best address this difficult issue. From medical treatments such as Methadone, Suboxone, and Narcan, to public education campaigns and prescription drug drop-off boxes, there is a wide breadth of strategies to tackle the problem from all fronts. In this session, panelists will address the opioid epidemic from a public health perspective and discuss what is currently being done in jurisdictions across Maryland, how it’s being done, and why.*

**Speakers:**

- Yngvild Olsen, M.D., M.P.H., Medical Director, Institutes for Behavior Resources/REACH Health Services
- Jinlene Chan, M.D., M.P.H., Acting Health Officer, Anne Arundel County Department of Health
- Craig Stofko, M.Ed, LCADC, Health Officer, Somerset County

**Moderator:** The Honorable John Olszewski, Jr., MD House of Delegates

### **Is Your County Under Water? Understanding the National Flood Insurance Program “Community Rating System”**     Room 206

*Sponsored by MACo’s Administrators, Budget & Finance, and Planners Affiliates*

*The passage of Biggert Waters 2012 and Homeowner Flood Insurance Affordability Act of 2014 revised federal flood insurance law, creating opportunities for cost-savings. The National Flood Insurance Program’s Community Rating System (CRS) is one of the actions a community can take, on behalf of their residents and business*



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2:00 pm - 3:00 pm      **AFFILIATE SESSIONS, continued**

*owners, to lower flood insurance costs. Panelists in this session will discuss what activities are creditable under the CRS, the role of county officials, and how counties apply for CRS. Only 5% of all National Flood Insurance Program communities belong to CRS, but even those not currently enrolled in the program can take away great ideas on floodplain management and risk reduction within their communities.*

**Speakers:**

- Kevin Wagner, Natural Resources Planner, MD Dept. of the Environment
- Mari Radford, CFM, Mitigation Planner/CRS Coordinator, FEMA Region 3

**Moderator:** The Honorable Charles Fisher, Vice President, Somerset County Board of Commissioners

## **Financial Literacy - Building Successful Futures**

*Sponsored by MACo's Budget & Finance Affiliate*

**A** Room 209

*Financial literacy focuses on obtaining the skills necessary to make informed and effective decisions when managing financial resources. These skills may vary from paying bills and balancing a check book, to saving for college and retirement. This session will discuss the importance of starting our children off on the right foot, saving for college, and ensuring financial security in retirement.*

**Speakers:**

- The Honorable Peter Franchot, Comptroller of Maryland
- Joan Marshall, Executive Director, Maryland College Savings Plan
- Carlo L. Cordasco, Jr., CRPC, Income Planning Specialist, Nationwide Financial
- Robin McKinney, Executive Director, Financial Education and Capability Commission

**Moderator:** The Honorable Kathy Klausmeier, Maryland State Senate

3:00 pm - 3:30 pm      Ice Cream & Fruit Break      Exhibit Hall A/B  
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3:30 pm - 4:30 pm      Dockside Hall Closes for Reception Preparation

3:30 pm - 4:30 pm      **AFFILIATE SESSIONS**

## **That's My Right! Responding to Constitutional Challenges**      Room 203

*Sponsored by MACo's Attorneys Affiliate*

*Counties are faced with a myriad of potential legal and litigation challenges on a daily basis. But constitutional disputes can pose unique challenges as they deal with core fundamental rights and often evoke high citizen and media interest. Panelists will discuss several common scenarios and recently publicized issues, including prayer at legislative meetings, use of public facilities by controversial groups, and potential county liability for police brutality and discrimination claims against sheriff's departments. The panelists will provide an overview of each issue and advice on how a county should respond when faced with such a claim.*



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3:30 pm - 4:30 pm      **AFFILIATE SESSIONS, continued**

**Speakers:**

- The Honorable Robin Frazier, Commissioner, Carroll County
- Charles Thompson, Jr., Executive Director/General Counsel, International Municipal Lawyers Association
- John Breads, Jr., Director of Legal Services, Local Government Insurance Trust
- Jason Allison, County Attorney, Cecil County

**Moderator:** The Honorable Brian Feldman, MD State Senate

***In the Wake of Detroit: Public Pension Liabilities***

Room 204

*Sponsored by MACo's Human Resources Affiliate*

*Pensions have made national headlines in recent years, and notably as part of the City of Detroit's bankruptcy proceeding. In that case, pension liabilities were cited as a cause of the City's fiscal demise, and as a financial commitment that could not be entirely avoided, even in bankruptcy. In this session, panelists will discuss the Detroit case, the State of Maryland and county pension systems, and strategies that have been successfully employed for reducing liabilities in those systems.*

**Speakers:**

- Elizabeth K. Kellar, President/CEO, Center for State and Local Government Excellence
- Anne E. Gawthrop, Esq., Director of Legislative Affairs, Maryland State Retirement Agency
- Kristin Barcak, Ten-Year Financial Plan Manager, Baltimore City

**Moderator:** The Honorable Edward J. Kasemeyer, MD State Senate

***The Opioid Epidemic, Part 2:***

Room 205

***A Public Safety Response to the Opioid Problem***

*Sponsored by MACo's Health Officers Affiliate*

*Opioid abuse has become a serious threat to public safety in Maryland. Law enforcement officers on local, state, and regional levels are working to stem the flow of illicit opioids into the state and put an end to drug-related violence. Efforts to curb opiate-related deaths include some jurisdictions training first-responders to carry life-saving drugs to help stop an overdose. In part two of this two-part session, participants will learn more about what is currently being done from a public safety perspective to combat the opioid epidemic across Maryland jurisdictions.*

**Speakers:**

- Major James R. Pyles, Commander, Northern Command, Criminal Enforcement Division, Maryland State Police
- Glen Fueston, Director of the Investigative Support Center (ISC), Washington/Baltimore, High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA)
- Kevin Davis, Chief of Police, Anne Arundel County Police Department

**Moderator:** The Honorable David Rudolph, MD House of Delegates

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3:30 pm - 4:30 pm **AFFILIATE SESSIONS, continued**

## ***Creative and Collaborative Transportation Solutions to Meet Citizen Needs***

**A** Room 206

*Sponsored by MACo's Engineers Affiliate*

*Counties face multiple struggles in meeting citizen transportation needs. Heavily populated areas may struggle to provide sufficient transit routes, while less dense areas may struggle with structuring routes to meet citizen needs. This panel will explore regional and other approaches to achieve efficiency within and across jurisdictional boundaries and ways to help citizenry better understand their transportation options.*

### **Speakers:**

- Beth Kreider, Director, Locally Operated Transit Systems, MD Transit Administration
- George G. Cardwell, Planning Administrator, Office of Planning & Zoning/Transportation Division, Anne Arundel County
- John Powell, Transportation Administrator, Howard County
- Jessica Monahan, Associate Legislative Director, National Association of Counties (NACo)

**Moderator:** The Honorable Frank Turner, MD House of Delegates

## ***Trying Hard is Not Good Enough –***

Room 214

### ***A Book Discussion with Keynote Speaker Mark Friedman***

*Sponsored by MACo's Administrators Affiliate*

*Join Keynote Speaker and author Mark Friedman for a discussion of his book *Trying Hard is Not Good Enough: How to Produce Measurable Improvements for Customers and Communities*. Participants will delve deeper into the idea of a “cleaner, simpler, more practical” approach to leadership and getting results. Discuss this book with Mark and other conference attendees and come away with even more ideas and practical methods to put in place when you return home from the conference.*

**Speaker:** Mark Friedman, Director, Fiscal Policy Studies Institute

**Moderator:** The Honorable Deborah Davis, Commissioner, Charles County

4:30 pm Exhibit Hall A/B Closes

4:30 pm - 6:30 pm **Taste of Maryland Reception** (ticket required) Dockside Hall

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4:30 pm - 6:30 pm **Kids' Party** (registration required) Room 208

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## **Friday, August 15, 2014**

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7:00 am - 2:30 pm	Registration	Lower Level Foyer
7:00 am - 2:30 pm	Mobile App Display	Lower Level Foyer
7:00 am - 3:30 pm	Attendee Break Room <i>Sponsored by Software AG</i>	Room 211

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7:30 am - 8:30 am	County Administrators Affiliate Meeting	Room 213
7:30 am - 8:45 am	County Elected Officials Forum & Breakfast (ticket required)	Room 217
8:30 am - 10:00 am	Continental Breakfast <i>Sponsored by the Law Offices of Norman D. Rivera</i>	Exhibit Halls, Upper Level Foyers
8:30 am - 3:30 pm	Beverage Station <i>Sponsored by Urban Grid Solar</i>	Exhibit Halls, Upper Level Foyers
9:00 am - 2:00 pm	Exhibit Halls Open <i>Over 220 booths await you in our two exhibit halls. Explore Hall A/B to visit with representatives from various State departments, nonprofit organizations, and commercial businesses. You'll find our counties, tourism, and economic development booths in Dockside Hall, where we are showcasing Maryland as a tourism destination!</i>	
9:00 am - 2:00 pm	Cyber Café Open <i>Sponsored by KCI Technologies, Inc.</i>	Dockside Hall

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9:00 am - 10:30 am    **General Session**    Bayfront  
Ballroom

### **Counties on the Cutting Edge**

*As the policy challenges faced by county governments continue to grow in scope and complexity, more than ever counties are being forced to “think outside the box” and implement innovative responses. Panelists will highlight cutting edge solutions created by counties to address a variety of thorny policy issues, both across the nation and within Maryland.*

#### **Speakers:**

- Emilia Istrate, PhD, Director of Research and Outreach, NACO
- Julie Pippel, Director, Washington County Division of Environmental Management
- Daniel Hoffman, Chief Innovation Officer, Montgomery County
- Gregg Todd, County Administrator, Queen Anne’s County
- Julia Day, Deputy Commissioner of Land Resources, Baltimore City Housing Dept.
- Beth Thomas, Coordinator of Information Technology, Allegany County

**Moderator:** The Honorable C.A. Dutch Ruppertsberger,  
United States Representative, Second Congressional District

10:30 am - 10:45 am    Coffee Break    Upper Level  
*Sponsored by Urban Grid Solar*    Foyer

10:45 am - 12:00 pm    **General Session**    Bayfront  
Ballroom

### **Doubling Your Dollars and Outcomes -**

#### **Innovative Approaches for Funding and Financing Projects**

*The economy and limited resources have forced counties to think creatively when identifying approaches and funding for projects and programs. While there are many financing approaches and grant programs available, identifying and understanding them can be a complicated and time-consuming process. This session will highlight financing options and methods for identifying available resources to stretch your dollars and achieve greater outcomes.*

#### **Speakers:**

- The Honorable Kevin Kamenetz, County Executive, Baltimore County
- Teno West, Partner, Pannone, Lopes, Devereaux, & West
- Liya Shuster, Associate, Advisory Services, Third Sector Capital Partners
- Karl Kalbacher, Director of Grants, The Ferguson Group

**Moderator:** The Honorable Adrienne Jones, MD House of Delegates

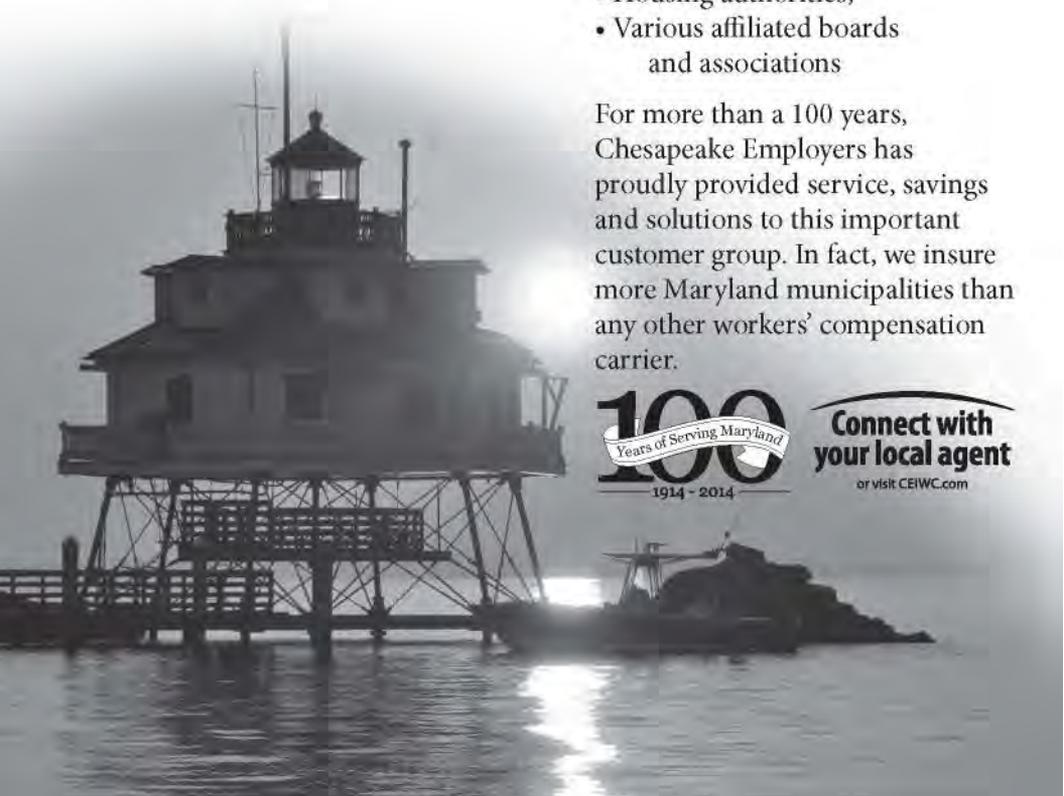
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11:30 am - 1:00 pm	Buffet Lunch (ticket required)	Exhibit Halls
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	<b>Affiliate &amp; Interest Group Lunches</b> (ticket required)	
	Budget & Finance Affiliate Meeting & Lunch	Room 207
	County Attorneys Affiliate Meeting & Lunch	Room 210
	Human Resources Affiliate Meeting & Lunch <i>(sponsored by Business Health Services)</i>	Room 209
	Human Services Affiliate Meeting & Lunch	Room 213
	Upper Shore Regional Council Meeting & Lunch	Room 208
	Maryland County Officials Diversity Caucus Luncheon	Room 215
	Women of MACo Luncheon	Room 217

## 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm **AFFILIATE SESSIONS**

### **Federal Funding for County Causes: Working with Congress** Room 202

*Sponsored by MACo's Budget & Finance Affiliate*

*In this session, Congressional staff to Senator Barbara Mikulski will share how federal policy and funding assist infrastructure repair and development in Maryland. A representative of the National Association of Counties (NACo) will describe the effect of federal legislation and funding on county infrastructure projects nationwide and how to get more involved in NACo on current policy issues. Panelists will describe federally-funded projects currently underway in Maryland counties, legislative efforts in Congress to address aging infrastructure, and how to work with your federal partners to address needs in your community.*

#### **Speakers:**

- Lori Albin, State Director, Office of United States Senator Barbara Mikulski
- Jessica Monahan, Associate Legislative Director, NACo
- Xan Fishman, Senior Legislative Assistant, Office of United States Representative John Delaney

**Moderator:** The Honorable Ike Leggett, County Executive, Montgomery County

### **Human Trafficking: Channeling Human Services to Challenging Populations**

**A** Room 203

*Sponsored by MACo's Human Services Affiliate*

*Human trafficking is one of the fastest growing and profitable criminal enterprises in the world. Victims of this modern-day form of slavery often include children or adults forced, coerced, or deceived into the sex trade, child exploitation, or forced labor and services. According to a report from the Abell Foundation, Maryland sits at the heart of a multi-state trafficking circuit. As this problem grows, so must strategies to rescue and assist the victims. In this session, panelists will discuss human trafficking in Maryland, along with the challenges and different approaches to providing assistance and services to the victims.*

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1:00 pm - 2:00 pm      **AFFILIATE SESSIONS, continued**

**Speakers:**

- Christine Dolan, Broadcasting & Print Investigative Journalist, Former Political Director at CNN
- Milton Orellana, Detective, Easton Maryland Department of Police
- D. Michael Lyles, Executive Director, Prince George's County Department of Human Relations
- Amanda Rodriguez, Human Trafficking Policy Advisor, Governor's Office of Crime Control and Prevention

**Moderator:** The Honorable Kriselda Valderrama, MD House of Delegates

## ***Is IRR Maryland's Next Big Land Use Policy?***

Room 204

*Sponsored by MACo's Planners Affiliate*

*During the 2014 interim, the Maryland Sustainable Growth Commission has been working on a proposed policy for Infill, Redevelopment, and Revitalization (IRR) that could guide future State funding decisions for infrastructure and services. The IRR policy will consider a broad variety of planning and regulatory reforms at both the State and local level. If properly implemented, such a policy could further advance reasonable Smart Growth goals while acknowledging regional differences and local planning decisions. However, a poorly crafted IRR policy could ignore regional differences, create "winners and losers," and erode local land use autonomy. Panelists will discuss the status and key components of the IRR policy, including potential effects on county governments.*

**Speakers:**

- Jon Laria, Chair, Maryland Sustainable Growth Commission
- Sandy Coyman, Inspections Officer, Talbot County Dept. of Permits and Inspection
- Frank Hertsch, President, Morris and Ritchie Associates

**Moderator:** The Honorable J.B. Jennings, MD State Senate

## ***Fixing Bail Without Breaking Jail***

Room 205

*Sponsored by MACo's Corrections Affiliate*

*In the wake of the Maryland Court of Appeals' Richmond v DeWolfe decision establishing the right to indigent representation at preliminary bail hearings, the State is still working toward revamping the system to comply with the rulings. The one-year \$10 million stopgap funding in place for FY 15 to fund court-appointed attorneys includes an unprecedented requirement for counties to pick up the tab after the money runs out. With no long-term policy solution to Maryland's court-ordered changes to its bail system, many questions and kinks remain. Panelists in this session will discuss potential solutions for FY 16 and beyond.*

**Speakers:**

- Chief Judge John P. Morrissey, District Court of Maryland
- Scott Shellenberger, State's Attorney, Baltimore County
- Capt. Michael R. Merican, President, Maryland Correctional Administrators Association (MCAA); Commander, Corrections Division, St. Mary's County Detention Center

**Moderator:** The Honorable Kathleen M. Dumais, MD House of Delegates



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1:00 pm - 2:00 pm     **AFFILIATE SESSIONS, continued**

**Combating Invasive Threats –**

Room 206

**Protecting Data Against Spamware and Malware**

*Sponsored by MACo's Budget & Finance Affiliate*

*Every day we hear of another security breach that has compromised personal identity and financial information. In the days of spamware and malware, counties need to be extremely cautious that systems are in place to protect data from these attacks. This session will provide an overview of the data threats and discuss technology solutions to ensure county and financial data are secure and that controls are in place.*

**Speakers:**

- Alan Hale, Senior Vice President; Sr. Fraud Policy Strategist, Bank of America
- Lee Waskevich, Security Practices Director, ePlus Technology

**Moderator:** The Honorable Susan Lee, MD House of Delegates

2:00 pm - 2:15 pm     Coffee Break

Upper Level

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Foyer

2:15 pm - 3:15 pm     **AFFILIATE SESSIONS**

**What You Need to Know About the Fair Housing Act**

Room 205

*Sponsored by MACo's Planners Affiliate*

*As recipients of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), Maryland's counties certify every year that they are "affirmatively furthering fair housing." Over the past five years, HUD and advocates have stepped up enforcement efforts on this obligation, and local governments have come under greater scrutiny, even forfeiting CDBG funds on occasion. During this session, a national fair housing expert will give a presentation on this Fair Housing Act duty and on HUD's new Disparate Impact Rule and local experts and officials will discuss what these developments mean for Maryland's counties.*

**Speakers:**

- Timothy M. Smyth, Relman, Dane & Colfax, PLLC
- Kathleen Koch, Executive Director, Arundel Community Development Services
- Elizabeth Glenn, Deputy Planning Director, Baltimore County

**Moderator:** The Honorable Stephen W. Lafferty, MD House of Delegates

**Changing Tides: New Opportunities Through the Bay Restoration Fund**

Room 204

*Sponsored by MACo's Environmental Health Affiliate*

*The Bay Restoration Fund (BRF) has been an important source of county government funding for upgrading both waste water treatment plants and failing septic systems. Legislation passed during the 2014 General Assembly Session expands the ability of county governments to access BRF monies when hooking up failing septic systems to treatment plants or enforcing septic system requirements for best available nutrient*

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2:15 pm - 3:15 pm **AFFILIATE SESSIONS, continued**

removal technology. Further changes are anticipated to the BRF funding stream in 2017 as the majority of major wastewater treatment plant upgrades are completed and Maryland's progress in meeting its Chesapeake Bay water pollution goals are reevaluated. Panelists will discuss the new funding opportunities available under the BRF and the likely future changes to the Fund.

### Speakers

- Jag Khuman, Director, Water Quality Financing Administration, MDE
- Kerry Topovski, Director, Anne Arundel County Division of Environmental Health
- Erik Fisher, Maryland Land Use Planner, Chesapeake Bay Foundation

**Moderator:** The Honorable Maggie McIntosh, MD of Delegates

### **Alzheimer's, Autism, and Dementia: Improving Endangered Missing Persons Response**

**A** Room 203

Sponsored by MACo's Aging Affiliate

Current research indicates a dramatic increase in the diagnoses of autism and cognitive disabilities affecting the aging population. This trend will affect our communities and our local resources in particular ways. Representatives of AARP and the Pathfinders for Autism will discuss the increase of persons with these cognitive disabilities in our communities. Montgomery County and the Maryland Police Training Commission will describe their comprehensive approaches to the growing number of cases of Missing Persons with Alzheimer's, Autism, and Dementia.

### Speakers:

- Sarah Lenz Lock, Senior Vice President for Policy, AARP Policy, Strategy, and International Affairs (PSI)
- Laurie Reyes, Police Officer, Montgomery County Department of Police
- Shelly McLaughlin, Director of Communications, Pathfinders for Autism

**Moderator:** The Honorable Benjamin Kramer, MD State Delegate (invited)

### **A Conversation with Governor Parris Glendening**

Room 201

Sponsored by MACo's Environmental Health Officers Affiliate

As Governor of Maryland from 1995-2003, Glendening promoted tax reform, economic development, and environmental protection. Prior to becoming Governor, he was a local elected official in many capacities: a city Councilman in Hyattsville; a Council Member in Prince George's County; the County Executive in Prince George's County for three consecutive terms; and President of MACo from 1986-1987. Join Governor Parris N. Glendening for his reflections on his years of service and his insight into today's policy areas of interest for county governments. This discussion will be moderated by Phil Tilghman, former Wicomico County Council Member and current public access TV host, whose "One on One" program regularly explores topics with Eastern Shore public figures.

**Speaker:** The Honorable Parris N. Glendening, Governor of Maryland (1995-2003);  
President, Smart Growth America's Leadership Institute

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2:15 pm - 3:15 pm **AFFILIATE SESSIONS, continued**

**Counties Going Green –  
A Guide to Sustainable Purchasing**

**A** Room 206

*Sponsored MACo's Budget & Finance Affiliate*

*As companies continue to make more environmentally friendly products, purchasing officials must have the proper skills to evaluate these products in terms of cost and effectiveness. This training session will offer best practices for sustainability and help you select products that offer the best value, not only in terms of cost and performance, but for the health of fellow employees and our environment.*

**Speaker:** Anne Jackson, Sustainability Officer, MD Dept. of General Services

**Moderator:** The Honorable Steven J. Arentz, MD House of Delegates

3:15 pm - 4:15 pm **Governor's Cabinet Reception** Room 209

*Sponsored by BGE and Corvias Communications*

5:00 pm - 8:00 pm **Crab Feast** (ticket required) South Parking Lot

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## Saturday, August 16, 2014

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7:00 am - 10:30 am Registration Lower Level Foyer

7:00 am - 10:30 am Mobile App Display Lower Level Foyer

7:00 am - 12:15 pm Attendee Break Room Room 211  
*Sponsored by Software AG*

7:30 am - 9:30 am Continental Breakfast Upper Level Foyer  
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9:00 am - 9:30 am MACo Business Meeting Room 201/202

9:30 am - 11:00 am **Education General Session** Room 201/202

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9:30 am - 11:00 am      **Education General Session, continued**

*discuss the effects of this change on Maryland's K-12 school community, from the perspectives of teachers, parents, and administrators.*

**Speakers:**

- Lillian M. Lowery, Ed.D., Maryland State Superintendent of Schools, Maryland State Department of Education
- Betty Weller, President, Maryland State Education Association
- Raymond Leone, President, Maryland PTA (invited)

**Moderator:** The Honorable John Bohanan, MD House of Delegates

9:30 am - 11:00 am      **Public Safety General Session**      Room 203/204

***Mutual Aid: County-State-Nation Partnerships in Public Safety Technology***

*Advances in communications, dispatch, and records management technologies can enhance state, local, and national public safety response. This past legislative session, MACo championed the creation of a governance body for the Maryland FiRST Interoperable Public Safety Radio System. In this session, representatives of the MD FiRST, CAD/RMS, and FirstNet programs will describe the opportunities for county governments to partner with the State to improve their own communications and enhance the State's public safety coordination. A representative of L3 National Security Solutions will provide perspective interoperable solutions and policies based on several decades developing systems for public and private sector clients in the US and abroad.*

**Speakers:**

- Kenneth R. Coppage, Director, Statewide Radio System, MD Department of Information Technology
- Lori Romer Stone, Maryland Broadband Coordinator, Statewide Interoperability Program Management Office
- John K. Hasenei, Asst. Bureau Chief/Commander Technology & Information Mgmt. Command, Maryland State Police
- Michael Kiron, Senior Solutions Architect, L-3 National Security Solutions

**Moderator:** The Honorable Nicholas R. Kipke, MD House of Delegates

11:00 am - 11:15 am      Coffee Break      Upper Level Foyer  
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11:15 am - 12:15 pm      **Gubernatorial Forum**      Bayfront Ballroom

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**Speakers:**

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**Moderator:** Jeff Salkin, Host of *State Circle*, Maryland Public Television

12:15 pm      Adjournment

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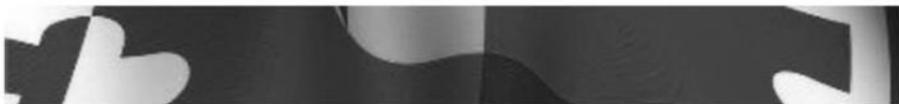


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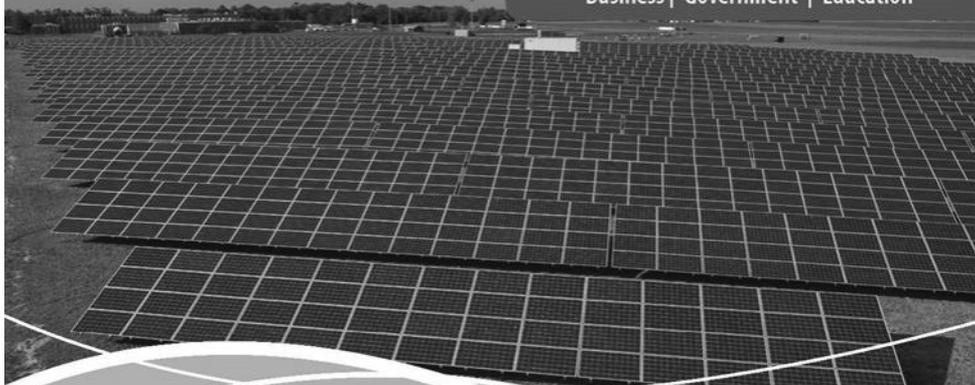
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**Maryland Classified Employees Association** - Booth # 325 - Union representing Maryland state, county, and municipal employees. 933 Mt. Hermon Rd., Salisbury, MD, 21804, 410.749.9135 - **Web Address:** <http://www.mcea.org>

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**Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation** - Booth # 226 and 227 - Government State Agency. 1100 North Eutaw St., Room 612, Baltimore, MD, 21201, 410.767.2199 - **Web Address:** <http://www.dllr.state.md.us>

**Maryland Department of Legislative Services** - Booth # 312 - Staff support agency for the Maryland General Assembly. 90 State Circle, Annapolis, MD, 21401, 410.946.5573 - **Web Address:** <http://mlis.state.md.us>

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**Maryland Energy Administration** - Booth # 123 - The Maryland Energy Administration's mission is to assist Maryland citizens and businesses to save money through smart investments in energy efficiency, renewable energy and conservation. 60 West Street, Suite 300, Annapolis, MD, 21401, 410.260.7657 - **Web Address:** [www.energy.maryland.gov](http://www.energy.maryland.gov)

**Maryland Environmental Service** - Booth # 127 - Maryland Environmental Service is an innovative and leading edge solver of environmental problems, a responsible and successful manager of environmental operations and a great place to work. Our mission is to provide operational and technical services to protect and enhance the environment for the people of Maryland. 259 Najoles Road, Millersville, MD, 21108, 410.729.8207 - **Web Address:** <http://www.menv.com>

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**Maryland Heritage Areas** - Booth # 809 - Maryland's Heritage Areas are locally designated regions where public and private partners make commitments to preserving historical, cultural and natural resources for sustainable economic development through heritage tourism. 4948 Conowingo Rd., Darlington, MD, 21034, 410.457.2482 - **Web Address:** [www.mht.maryland.gov](http://www.mht.maryland.gov)

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**Maryland Lottery and Gaming Control Agency** - Booth # 106 and 107 - Gaming agency. 1800 Washington Blvd., Ste. 330, Baltimore, MD, 21117, 410.230.8807 - **Web Address:** <http://www.mdlottery.com>

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**Maryland Office of the Comptroller** - Booth # 212 - Tax information and assistance. 80 Calvert Street, Room 215, Annapolis, MD, 21401, 410.260.6346 - **Web Address:** <http://www.marylandtaxes.com>

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**Maryland Small Business & Technology Dev. Center** - Booth # 132 - Small business and technology management and training services. 7100 Baltimore Ave., Suite 401, College Park, MD, 20740, 301.403.8300 - **Web Address:** <http://www.mdsbdc.umd.edu>

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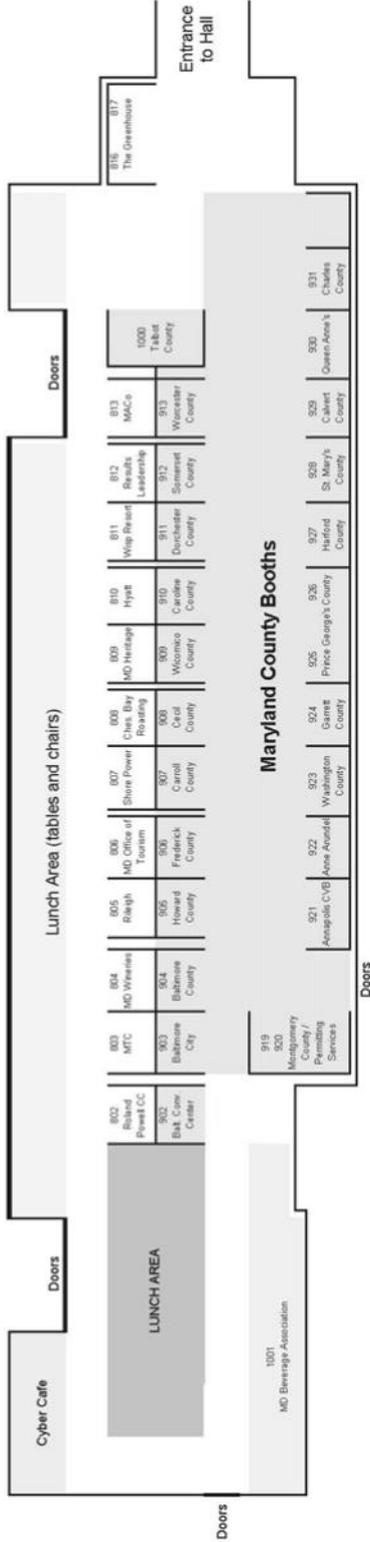
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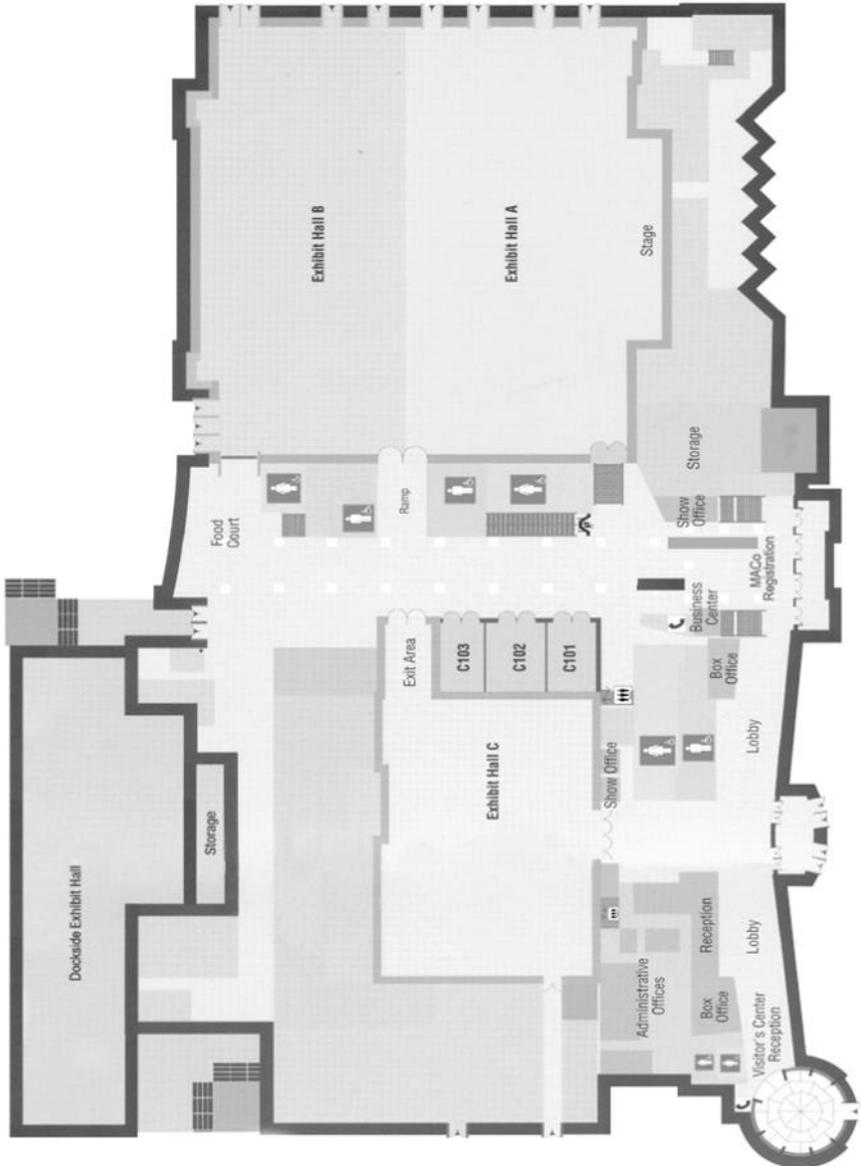
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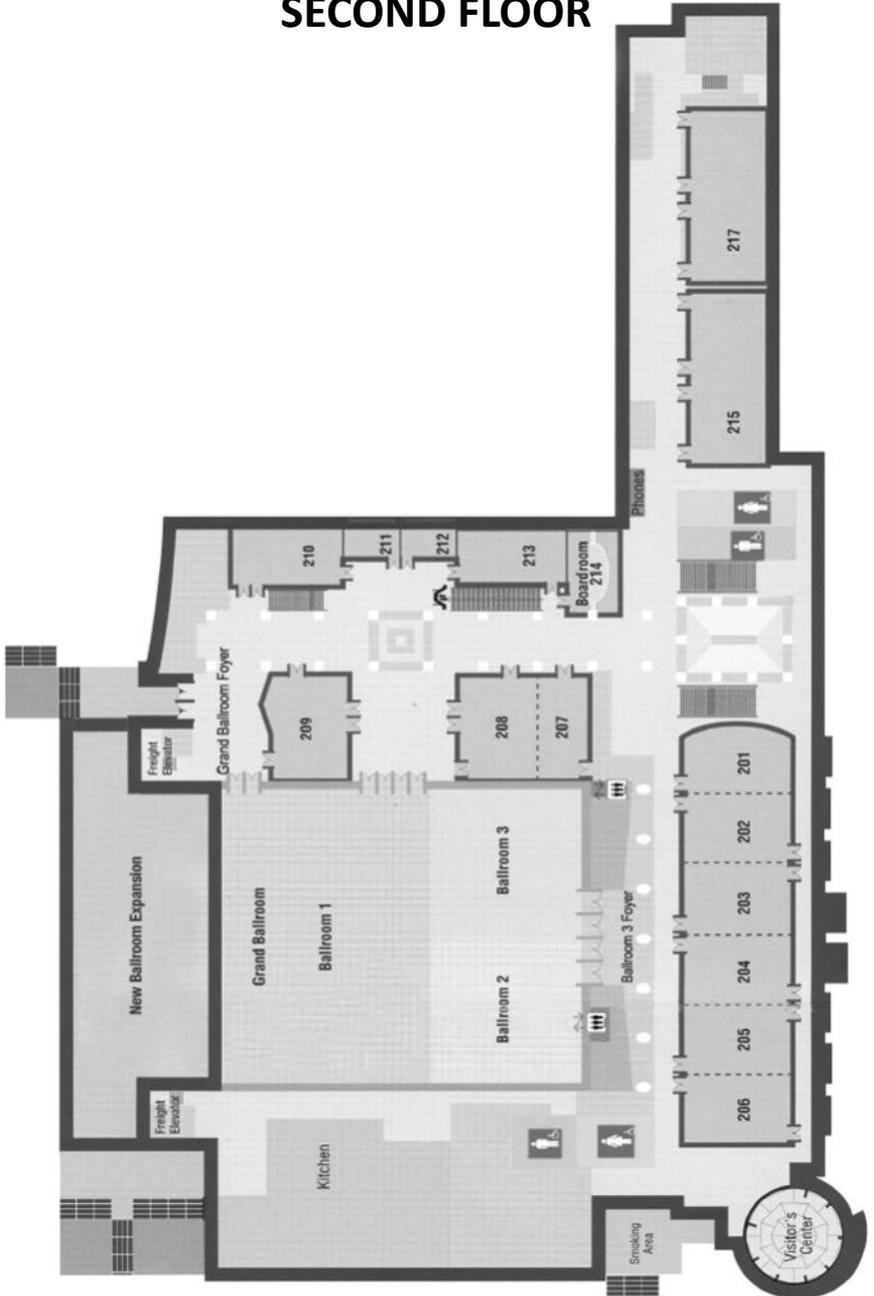
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