

**MEDA WINTER CONFERENCE**  
January 15, 2009  
**Governor Calvert House**  
(Annapolis)

**2009 LEGISLATIVE OUTLOOK FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

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Join us as Maryland's legislative and business leaders discuss issues of importance for economic development in the 2009 General Assembly.

- 8:00 – 9:00 am           **REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST**
- 9:00 – 9:10 am           **AN UPDATE ON ANNAPOLIS**  
Ellen O. Moyer, Mayor of Annapolis
- 9:10 – 9:30 am           **MEDA BUSINESS MEETING**  
President's Welcome – J. Thomas Sadowski  
Secretary's Report – David S. Iannucci  
Benchmarking Maryland in 2009:  
Darius S. Irani, Associate VP of DECO/Towson Univ.
- 9:30 – 10:45 am           **MARYLAND BUSINESS LEADERSHIP REPORT**  
Donald C. Fry, President/CEO, Greater Baltimore Committee  
Kathleen T. Snyder, President/CEO, Maryland Chamber of  
Commerce  
James C. Dinegar, President/CEO, Greater Washington Board of  
Trade
- 10:45 – 11:00 am       **BREAK**
- 11:00 am – 12:00 pm   **MARYLAND LEGISLATIVE OUTLOOK**  
Michael E. Busch, Speaker of the House  
Thomas V. (Mike) Miller, Jr., President of the Senate  
Anthony J. O'Donnell, Minority Leader of the House  
Allan H. Kittleman, Minority Leader of the Senate
- 12:00 – 2:00 pm       **LUNCH**  
MEDA Membership Report – Richard W. Story, CEcD, FM  
DBED Secretary David W. Edgerley addresses the session
- KEYNOTE: Jeff Finkle**, CEcD, President/CEO, International Economic Development  
Association (IEDC)  
**What federal legislation is in the pipeline that could affect economic development  
priorities at home?**

**Next Meeting: MEDA SPRING CONFERENCE**  
**April 16, 2009**

**Rod n Reel Restaurant – Calvert County**