



**MEDA Winter Conference**  
**January 11, 2018**  
**Governor Calvert House, Annapolis, Maryland**

**2018 LEGISLATIVE OUTLOOK FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

Sponsored by:  
Anne Arundel Economic Development Corporation  
City of Annapolis Economic Development

Public and private sector leaders share their thoughts on economic development-related legislation that will be considered by the Maryland General Assembly during the 2018 session.

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| 8:00 – 9:00 am   | <b>REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST</b>  |
| 9:00 – 9:10 am   | <b>WELCOME TO ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY</b><br>Julie Mussog, President/CEO, Anne Arundel Economic Development Corp.<br>Mayor Gavin Buckley, City of Annapolis  |
| 9:10 – 9:30 am   | <b>MEDA BUSINESS MEETING</b><br>President's Welcome – Kimberly A. (Kim) Clark<br>Secretary's Report – Daniel K. Thompson<br>Membership Report – Renée M. Winsky<br>Public Policy Awareness Committee Report – Rhonda J. Ray  |
| 9:30 – 9:45 am   | <b>BREAK</b>   |
| 9:45 – 10:45 am  | <b>MARYLAND BUSINESS LEADERSHIP REPORT</b><br><b>Moderator: Sean M. Looney, Vice President, State Government Affairs</b><br><b>Comcast NBC Universal</b><br>Donald C. Fry, President/CEO, Greater Baltimore Committee<br>Christine Ross, President/CEO, Maryland Chamber of Commerce<br>Tami Howie, CEO, Maryland Tech Council   |
| 10:45 – 11:00 am | <b>BREAK</b>   |
| 11:00 – 12:00 pm | <b>MARYLAND LEGISLATIVE OUTLOOK</b><br><b>Moderator: Laurie M. Boyer, CECd, Executive Director</b><br><b>Rockville Economic Development, Inc., (REDI)</b><br>Senator Thomas V. (Mike) Miller, Jr., President of the Senate<br>Delegate Michael E. Busch, Speaker of the House<br>Senator J. B. Jennings, Minority Leader of the Senate<br>Delegate Nicholas R. Kipke, Minority Leader of the House |
| 12:00 – 1:00 pm  | <b>LUNCHEON AND KEYNOTE ADDRESS</b><br>R. Michael Gill, Secretary, Maryland Department of Commerce   |