



**Economic Development Day
February 22 , 2021
9:00 am – 11:00 am
Virtual Meeting**

2021 LEGISLATIVE OUTLOOK FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Sponsored by:
Maryland Department of Commerce
Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development

Public sector leaders share their thoughts on economic development-related legislation that will be considered by the Maryland General Assembly during the 2021 session.

- 9:00 – 9:05 am **WELCOME**
President’s Welcome – Heather Gramm, CEcD
- 9:05 – 10:15 am **MARYLAND LEGISLATIVE OUTLOOK**
**Moderator: Laurie M. Boyer, CEcD, Economic Development Manager,
Montgomery County Executive Business Advancement Team**
- Honorable Bill Ferguson, Senate President
Honorable Adrienne A. Jones, Speaker of the House
Honorable Bryan W. Simonaire, Senate Minority Leader
Honorable Kathy Szeliga, House Minority Whip (invited)
- 10:15 – 10:25 am **KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Governor Larry Hogan**
- Introduction by: Kelly Schulz, Secretary, Maryland Department of Commerce
- 10:25 – 10:45 Awareness Report, Memo Diriker, Director, BEACON at Salisbury University
- 10:45 – 11:00 Q&A and Adjournment