

## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AWARENESS STUDY



Economic Development

Transforms lives.

State of Maryland

## 2022 Population 6.2 Million

This is a 7% increase since 2010

For every dollar invested in county Economic Development, there is a \$9.17\* return on average in the state of Maryland

\* based on 2022 and 2023 survey data by participating





MD county economic development offices measuring employment impacts and department operations.



\$156 M in Federal Small Business Grants Awarded as of 2022

## Largest GDP Sectors in

2022:

Government

Finance

Insurance

**Real Estate** 

Professional & Business

Services

Increase in weekly wage from 2020-2021