



Maryland Golf and Country Club
1335 East MacPhail Road
Bel Air, MD 21014
May 9, 2018
8:00 – 9:30 a.m.

Summary Notes

- I. **Welcome & Introduction s** Pat Pollard, Chairman, Greater Harford Committee
- II. **Presentation**
Mike Gill , Secretary, Maryland Department of Commerce

Mr. Gill welcomed the members of the board and guests. He shared some insight on the importance of putting the right people together to make a difference. His take on the classic children’s book, ‘The Little Engine That Could’ reinforced the ideas that Maryland is set on: positive attitude and motivation. Before Gill concluded, he offered his reminder that if you make economic development a priority; everything else will fall in place.

Don Fry, President and CEO, Greater Baltimore Committee

Mr. Fry introduced himself and discussed his role with GBC and issues and challenges facing Maryland. He touched on a few key types of people: pusher, prodder, instigator, and partner. He is trying to navigate these types of people and help them all partner to better the business environment in Maryland. The GBC is here to help build relationships and promote economic development in the region.

- III. **Adjournment**

Dates to Know & Go

- 5.15 Bike to Work Day- Havre de Grace
- 5.16 Bike to Work Day - Aberdeen North
- 5.16 RAMP MD’s “Maryland’s 3D Medical Revolution: An Additive Manufacturing Symposium”, 8:00am - 4:00pm, STAR Academy
- 5.17 Military Appreciation Luncheon, 11:00am - 1:30pm, Harford County Chamber of Commerce
- 5.20-23 ICSC Las Vegas
- 5.22 Bike to Work Day - APG South
- 6.1 Bike to Work Day - Bel Air
- 6.17 Gold Star Families Memorial Dedication, 2:00pm, Concord Point Lighthouse
- 6.21 Harford Chamber Annual Meeting, 11:00am - 1:00pm, Vandiver Inn

