

ECONOMIC IMPACTS OF BUYING LOCAL in Harford County



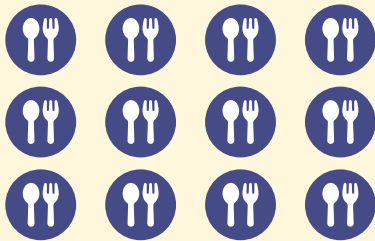
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ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

HARFORD HAS IT: BUY IN

Harford County households can choose to spend money locally rather than outside the area, and create new jobs and opportunities. If every household were to make some simple changes to where they spend their money, it can make a big impact on the community.

RESTAURANT VISITS:

One additional patronage each month
(12 meals per year).



CREATES **1,802 Jobs**

GAS FILL-UPS:

One additional gas fill-up each month
(12 gas fill-ups per year).



CREATES
118 Jobs

MAJOR APPLIANCES:

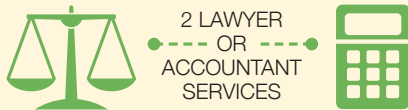
One additional major appliance purchase
once a year (1 appliance per year).



CREATES **654 Jobs**

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES:

One additional professional service
purchase every 6 months (2 lawyer/
accounting services per year)



CREATES **583 Jobs**

SPECIAL OCCASION GIFTS:

One additional special occasion
gift purchase every 6 months
(2 gifts per year)



CREATES **283 Jobs**



Buying Local in
Harford County

For every 100 Households,
3.7 jobs would be created



NEW IN-COUNTY SPENDING

Impacts ripple through
a variety of industries,
not just where new
local spending occurs.

SINGLE HOUSEHOLD'S SPENDING



Restaurant Visits	\$797
Gas Fill-ups	\$573
Major Appliances	\$1,072
Professional Services	\$475
Special Occasion Gifts	\$201
Total Spending	\$3,117

ALL HOUSEHOLDS' TOTAL SPENDING

\$288,862,666

**TOTAL
IMPACT:**
All Households



EMPLOYMENT
3,438



WAGES
\$105,198,645



STATE AND LOCAL TAXES
\$23,541,605