Baltimore County Workforce Development Board

Full Board Retreat Agenda

Thursday, April 18, 2019
8:30am – 2:00pm
Baltimore County Agricultural Center
1114 Shawan Road, Cockeysville, MD 21030

Retreat Goals for the Board
1. Clarify Board responsibilities
2. Layout County Executive’s workforce vision
3. Develop Board strategic approach for 2019

Retreat Outcomes for the Board
1. Declare intention to support CE’s broader workforce vision
2. Identify priority work for 2019
3. Establish Board work plans

Agenda

8:30 AM  Continental Breakfast & Networking

9:00 AM  Welcome from County Executive Olszewski

9:15 AM  Setting the Stage for the Day
What are we doing here in the first place?

- Anna-Maria Palmer, Chair, Baltimore County Workforce Development Board
- Will Anderson, Executive Director, Baltimore County Department of Economic & Workforce Development

9:30 AM  Board Orientation
What is the intent of WIOA? What are the Board’s key roles and responsibilities, and what does that mean to us locally and regionally?

- Ken Lemberg, Deputy Director, Governor’s Workforce Development Board
10:00 AM  Vision, Mission, and Goals
What is the current strategic plan and how can we become ambassadors for this work?
How can we as a Board contribute to the success of the workforce development efforts in Baltimore County?

- **Overview of Benchmarks of Success Framework and alignment with local efforts**
  - LiLi Taylor, Senior Policy Analyst, Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation
  - Mary Manzoni, Manager of Career Solutions, Department of Economic & Workforce Development

- **Review Findings from Career Centers**
  - Mike Lawrence, One Stop Operator, Department of Economic & Workforce Development

- **Update on Baltimore County Local Plan**
  - Jen Horton, Policy & Planning Manager, Department of Economic & Workforce Development

- **Update on County Executive’s Transition Plan for Workforce Development**
  - Elisabeth Sachs, Director of Government Reform and Strategic Initiatives, Office of Baltimore County Executive

11:30 AM  Lunch provided

12:15 PM  Identifying Priorities
Each Board member identifies their top four priorities for the type of work they’d like to pursue in 2019.

12:30 PM  Planning to Take Action
Board members will meet in groups to discuss common priority areas and next steps for action.

1:30 PM  Taking Action and Board Accountability
Board member working groups will share progress, next steps, and actionable goals for 2019.

2:00 PM  Meeting Adjourned