



Catherine E. Pugh
Mayor

Upcoming Events



READY, SET, GROW! Expanding Opportunities in Baltimore County hosted by Governor's Office of Small, Minority & Women Business Affairs

Thursday, August 24, 2017

9:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

**Community College of Baltimore County Catonsville Campus
Center for the Arts Lounge, 800 South Rolling Road, Baltimore, MD 21228**

Join the Governor's Office of Small, Minority & Women Business Affairs for an overview of how their small, minority, women, and veteran procurement programs work. You will hear what buyers are looking for right now, and what's in their pipelines. You will have the opportunity to connect with state procurement officers as well as resource partners and organizations that can help your small business grow and succeed.

For a campus map, click [here](#)

For directions, click [here](#)

To register, click [here](#)

**Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses Program Baltimore Open House
hosted by Community College of Baltimore County, Johns Hopkins
University, and Morgan State University
Thursday, August 24, 2017
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Morgan State University, Earl G. Graves School of Business
4200 Hillen Road, Baltimore, MD 21218.**

This information session is for entrepreneurs in the Greater Baltimore area looking to accelerate business growth.

To register, click [here](#)

**7th Annual Soiree and Awards Banquet hosted by
Maryland Minority Contractors Associations, Inc.
Friday, September 8, 2017
6:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.
Martin's West, 6817 Dogwood Road, Baltimore, MD 21244**

To view list of honorees, click [here](#)

To view event information, click [here](#)

To register, click [here](#)

For questions, call 410 235-8303 or email: mmca.inc@gmail.com

SAVE THE DATES!!!
Small Business Development Training Program hosted by
Baltimore City Department of Public Works
Tuesday, September 12 - Thursday, November 16, 2017
6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Montebello Pumping Maintenance Building
3501 Hillen Road, Baltimore, MD 21218

The Small Business Development Training Program is a 10-week construction management training program was created to make local M/W/DBEs contract-ready for more than \$3 billion in utility construction work, including Consent Decree sewer rehabilitation and replacement, and capital improvements under drinking water, storm water and wastewater programs. This training program is available primarily for M/W/DBEs specializing in: concrete construction, construction program/project management, excavating, landscaping, pipeline installation, post-construction clean-up, scheduling, sediment and erosion control, sewer construction, site work, traffic control and underground utilities.

To view flier, click [here](#)

To view application, click [here](#)

To view schedule, click [here](#)

For more information, call 410-433-2400 or email info@pyattgroup.com.

Fall 2017 BLocal BUILD College hosted by
BLocal BUILD College Partners
Wednesday, September 13 – Friday, December 8, 2017
5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Johns Hopkins at Keswick, South Building, Conference Room A & B
3910 Keswick Road, Baltimore, MD 21211

The BLocal partner companies have developed the BLocal BUILD College, a program that provides training for small, local, minority-owned, woman-owned and/or disadvantaged Baltimore-based businesses in the design and construction industries. The BLocal BUILD College is a standing offering on a year-to-year basis which helps firms develop key competencies and relationships necessary for sustainability and future growth.

For more information and complete application, click [here](#)

**Breakfast with Mayor Catherine E. Pugh hosted by
Baltimore City Chamber of Commerce
Thursday, September 14, 2017
7:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
Horseshoe Casino Baltimore, 1525 Russell Street, Baltimore, MD 21230**

Mayor Catherine E. Pugh will be delivering the keynote address, where she will discuss the current business climate in the City of Baltimore. She will address the new permitting and procurement processes the City is about release as part of her plan to provide more opportunities to the Baltimore business community. In addition, Mayor Pugh will speak to job creation, workforce development and the successful Youth Works program. To view flier, click here:

As part of the event, the Baltimore City Chamber of Commerce will honor Chamber members for their dedication to the Baltimore business community through our Baltimore City Chamber Advocate Awards. Nominations are being accepted for the following awards:

- Baltimore City Chamber Advocate Award
- Baltimore City Chamber Business Development Advocate Award
- Baltimore City Chamber Community Advocate Award
- Baltimore City Chamber Education Advocate Award
- Baltimore City Chamber Workforce Development Advocate Award

To nominate, click [here](#)

To register, click [here](#)

To view flier, click [here](#)

**26th Annual Civil Rights Breakfast hosted by
Baltimore City Office of Civil Rights and Wage Enforcement
Monday, September 25, 2017
8:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
Hilton Baltimore, 401 W. Pratt Street, Baltimore, MD 21201**

Keynote Speaker: Dr. Karsonya “Kaye” Wise Whitehead, Ph.D.

Presentation of the Walter P. Carter and Dr. Lenwood Ivey Awards.

To view flier, click [here](#)

For additional information, or inquire about tickets and sponsorship opportunities respond to Michele Master at 410-396-3141/3151 by September 15th.

**SAVE THE DATE!!!
Meet the Primes hosted by
Baltimore County and Baltimore Metro Council
Wednesday, October 18, 2017
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon
Maryland State Fairgrounds, Exhibition Hall
2200 York Road, Timonium, MD 21093**

Join regional business leaders for a conversation with Smith, Executive Director and CEO, Maryland Aviation Administration, who will discuss the current status of BWI Thurgood Marshall Airport, scheduled improvements to the airport, the potential for developing more international flights and the importance of a partnership between the airport and the business community.

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To view list of exhibitors and to register, click [here](#)

For more information, contact Bob Ball at 443-809-4334 or rball@bcps.org and Carla Tucker at 410-887-3119 or ctucker@baltimorecountymd.gov

SAVE THE DATE!!!
2017 CEO Summit
Cybersecurity: Preparing Today, To Protect Tomorrow hosted by
The Presidents' RoundTable, Inc. (PRT) and PRT Reach Foundation
Thursday, October 19, 2017
11:15 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
AT&T Forum, 601 New Jersey Avenue, NW
5th Floor, Washington, DC 20001

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Workshops

To view a list of the upcoming workshops and events hosted by the Small Business Resource Center, click [here](#)