# Maryland Sustainable Growth Commission

#### **Maryland Sustainable Growth Commission Meeting**

## March 26, 2018 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

## Maryland State Offices in Crownsville (MHT's Office Bldg) 100 Community Place, 1st Floor Conference Room Crownsville, MD 21032

#### **Meeting Summary**

#### Members Present:

Susan Summers, Wendi Peters, Robert McCord, Richard R. Brush, Deborah Carpenter, Diane Chasse, Charles Glass, Frank Hertsch, Nick Mayer representing Ken Holt, Nick Finion representing Gerrit Knaap, James Kruger, Michael O'Connor, Sandi Olek, Roger Venezia representing Steve Pennington, Kevin Small, Eric Soter, Bryce Turner, Jessica Zuniga

## **Elected Officials:**

None

#### Attendees:

Catherine Mateer, Sherry Russell, Siddhartha Sen, Karen Brown, Samantha Watters, Brandon Arnold, Jeremy Weiss, Sarah Turner, Sarah Wallace, Tamara Biegas, Anne Shugars, Megan Greene, Cecile Tchoujan, Paul Voos, David Wilson, Tonya Sanders

## MDP Staff:

Chuck Boyd, Michael Bayer, Joe Griffiths

The following agenda items were discussed:

#### Agenda

- I. Welcome and Opening Remarks Susan Summers, Chair
- II. Administrative Matters and Updates
  - Announcement of upcoming *Smart Growth @ 20* on April 18 in Annapolis
  - State Ethics Commission's Financial Disclosure Statement Filing Deadline April 30
  - Update on locations for 2018 Growth Commission Meetings
- III. Growth Commission Challenge Presentations
  - **Southwest Charter School, Baltimore MD Site Inventory** by the University of Maryland Department of Plant Sciences and Landscape Architecture
  - Edgewood Fit Zone, Free to be Fit by Harford Community College
- IV. Reinvest Maryland 2.0 Update Jessica Zuniga/Michael Bayer, MDP
- V. A Better Maryland Update Joe Griffiths/Chuck Boyd, MDP
- VI. Opportunity for State Legislative Discussion
- VII. Workgroup Updates
  - o Rural Economies Workgroup
  - o Education Workgroup

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#### VIII. Public Comments

## No formal actions or votes were taken at the meeting.

The next Growth Commission meeting is scheduled for May 21, 2018 from 1:00 - 4:00 PM at the Eastern Shore Innovation Center, Dorchester County Economic Development Office, 104 Tech Park Drive, Cambridge, MD 21613