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Business Incentives Survey
The St. Mary’s County Department of Economic Development (SMCDED) is exploring the use of incentives to support business growth and attraction and to gain a better understanding of the role of incentives in a company's decision to stay or leave an area. To gather thoughts and opinions about economic incentives, a brief, 9-question survey will be sent to companies listed in the current Technology Handbook for St. Mary’s County. This survey will take approximately five minutes to complete and will be sent to companies via email. For more information about this initiative, feel free to contact Laura Boonchaisri, Coordinator, Business Development Division, SMCDED at 301-475-4200, ext. 1408 or laura.boonchaisri@stmarysmd.com.

Commissioners Observe Economic Development Week
Understanding the role economic development plays in St. Mary’s County, the Commissioners of St. Mary’s County paused to observe the week of October 26 – November 1 as Economic Development Week. Commissioners issued a proclamation which recognized the Maryland Economic Development Association (MEDA) and St. Mary’s County Department of Economic Development’s efforts to spur economic development in the county. The Department of Economic Development is a member of MEDA.

The proclamation also acknowledged the one year anniversary of the commissioners’ decision to reestablish the Economic Development Commission. The 13 member group, representing various local industry sectors, has been meeting monthly since May and is charged with overseeing the development of a comprehensive economic development strategy to diversify the County’s future economy.

Commissioners encouraged all citizens to recognize and reaffirm the importance of
Economic Development Week both within the county and across the state. Photos from the ceremony are available for download at www.flickr.com/photos/stmaryscountygovernment/sets/

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**TPP Elects New Members to the Board of Directors**

At its Annual Meeting on October 28, The Patuxent Partnership announced its 2014-2015 Board of Directors. TPP Board members are leaders within Industry and Academia, giving their time and energy to further the mission of TPP.

New members include, Mr. Steve Eastburg, Mr. Chris Flood, Ms. Dorothy Hammond, Dr. Tracy Harris, Mr. Bert Johnston, Mr. Michael Johnston, Mr. Kal Leikach, and Mr. Steve Tomaszeski.

They will be joining Ms. Karen Garner (Board President), Ms. Linda Vassallo (Secretary), Ms. Karen Holcomb, Dr. Al Hovland, Mr. Randy Loyer, Mr. Dave Papak, Mr. Ajay Sehgal, Mr. Gene Townsend, Mr. Steve Wall, and Dr. Dale Moore, the Navy / DoD Liaison.

Retiring board members are Dr. Ed Barrett, Mr. Michael Dugan, Mr. Dane Swanson, Mr. Joseph Anderson, Mr. Robert Farinelli, and Mr. Glen Ives.

Board President, Karen Garner, commented on the impressive credentials of the new members and the support they will provide, from STEM initiatives to defense programs. Bios will be available on the TPP website.

The Patuxent Partnership works with government, industry and academia on initiatives in science and technology, hosts programs of interest to NAVAIR and the broader DoD community, and supports workforce development including education initiatives and professional development. Visit www.paxpartnership.org or call 301-866-1739.

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**County Government Office Closures for Veterans Day Holiday**

All St. Mary’s County Government Administrative Offices will be closed Tuesday, November 11, 2014, in observance of Veterans Day. County Government offices will re-open Wednesday, November 12.
The St. Andrews Landfill, Solid Waste/Recycling Program and six (6) convenience centers will be open for normal operating hours and St. Mary’s Transit System (STS) will run its regular schedule on Tuesday, November 11.

All St. Mary’s County Libraries and Department of Aging and Human Services Senior Activity Centers will be closed Tuesday, November 11 and there will also be no Meals on Wheels deliveries.

MTA Announces Changes to its Commuter Express Bus Route
The Maryland Transit Administration (MTA), a division of the Maryland Department of Transportation, which provides express commuter bus services to Washington D.C. on four (4) separate routes from three (3) park and ride lots in St. Mary’s County, has announced changes to its routes. The lots from which passengers in St. Mary’s County may board are located in California near the St. Mary’s County Regional Airport, Charlotte Hall and Golden Beach.

The routes are operated under a service contract with a private transportation provider. Two routes stop at the Charlotte Hall park and ride, two routes stop at Golden Beach park and ride and one route stops at California park and ride.

Effective November 1, Routes 903, 905 and 909 will be renamed with new route patterns.

Route 705 - This route is a weekday express route which serves the Charlotte Hall park and ride lot in St. Mary’s County and the Mattawoman-Beantown park and ride lot in Charles County to Washington D.C. from 4:15 am to 7:39 pm via MD 5. For routes and schedules go to: http://mta.maryland.gov/advisories/commuter-bus-november-schedule-changes-western-and-southern-maryland

Route 715 - This route is a weekday express route which serves the Golden Beach park and ride lot in St. Mary’s County and the Mattawoman-Beantown park and ride lot in Charles County to Washington D.C. from 4:20 am to 8:12 pm via MD 5. For routes and schedules go to: http://mta.maryland.gov/advisories/commuter-bus-november-schedule-changes-western-and-southern-maryland
Route 725 - This route is a weekday peak service route which serves the California park and ride (St. Mary's County Regional Airport) and the Charlotte Hall park and ride and the Golden Beach park and ride lots in St. Mary's County and the Mattawoman-Beantown park and ride lot in Charles County to Washington D.C. from 4:00 am to 7:26 pm via MD 5. For routes and schedules go to: http://mta.maryland.gov/advisories/commuter-bus-november-schedule-changes-western-and-southern-maryland

Route 735 - This route is a weekday peak service route which serves the Golden Beach park and ride lot in St. Mary’s County, Regency Furniture (Southern Maryland Blue Crabs) Stadium in Charles County, Suitland Federal Center, and the Suitland Metro station to Washington D.C. from 4:20 am to 7:14 pm via MD 5. For more information, routes and schedules go to: http://mta.maryland.gov/advisories/commuter-bus-november-schedule-changes-western-and-southern-maryland.

Commissioners Laud Recycling Efforts
As St. Mary’s County faces an increased recycling rate in 2015 commissioners congratulated citizen efforts during a special ceremony for America Recycles Week at its weekly business meeting.

In 2012 the State of Maryland mandated recycling rate was increased from 15 to 20 percent for counties with populations below 150,000. Commissioner Todd Morgan noted “St. Mary’s County’s volunteer recycling program has already exceeded the new State mandated goals and has obtained an approved Maryland Department of the Environment waste diversion recycling rate of 38.78 percent for calendar year 2012.”

The theme for the 2014 America Recycles Day, to be recognized the week of November 10 – 16, is “I Want to be Recycled” and is designed to help educate citizens about how important recycling is to our economy and environmental well-being as well as motivate occasional recyclers to become everyday recyclers.

The Commissioners of St. Mary’s County also reminded citizens of the County’s Single-Stream recycling program located at the six Convenience Centers. The
service has made it easier for residents and small businesses to recycle larger quantities of materials, improve the county’s recycling rate and reduce the amount of material disposed into landfills.

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For more information, visit [www.importvsdomestic.com/](http://www.importvsdomestic.com/)

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The Arctic ice is melting ahead of predictions and sea levels are rising. How will
that affect us and should we be worried? What does it mean for the US Navy? What will the Arctic look like by 2025? More tourism, new shipping routes, exploitation of natural resources? Before 2025 the Navy hopes to answer these and other questions regarding the future of the Arctic and the implications for the Navy and our country. RADM White will share his insights on this critical issue.

To register, click HERE

**HRASM Annual Conference - November 19**
The Human Resources Association of Southern Maryland (HRASM) will present Southern Maryland’s fourth all-day conference on **Wednesday, November 19** from 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Holiday Inn Solomons - Conference Center & Marina, 155 Holiday Drive, Solomons. The conference will feature a keynote speaker and four breakout sessions with eight topics from which to choose. Thirteen facilitators with varied backgrounds will speak on today’s emerging HR issues including working to be well, HR metrics and organizational success, communication & culture, strategic succession planning, change management, FLSA, strengths based leadership, affirmative action and ethical practice in HR. This program is designed to provide professional development for HR professionals, support staff, business managers or anyone with Human Resources (HR) responsibilities. Conference information has been submitted and is pending recertification credits toward PHR, SPHR, and GPHR recertification through the HR Certification Institute.

The meeting is open to anyone with an interest in Human Resources issues. The cost is $75 for members and $100 for non-members, which includes both continental breakfast and lunch. Registration opens at 7:00 a.m. and the conference begins at 8:00 a.m. To register, please go to: [http://hrasmonline.shrm.org](http://hrasmonline.shrm.org) by November 14. Once registered, payment is required if a cancellation is made after the deadline date.

HRASM has over 135 members from the tri-county area who have a special interest in the human resources field. Its mission is to provide networking, educational, advisory and training opportunities to HR professionals in Southern Maryland. HRASM is an affiliated chapter of the national Society of Human Resources Professionals (SHRM).
More information about HRASM can be found at [http://hrasmonline.shrm.org](http://hrasmonline.shrm.org).

**Sotterley Christmas Traditions by Candlelight - December 5, 11, 12, 18 - 20**

Celebrate the season at Sotterley Plantation, all within Sotterley’s 300 year-old Plantation House decorated in different historical periods for the holidays. Experience Sotterley’s 2014 interactive living history tour, Common Lives, Shared Sentiments. Visit family members from the past who called Sotterley their home. Share their lives and conversations to discover how each person’s life can transcend generations. Interact with the performers, enjoy light refreshments and live seasonal music at this unique Sotterley event.

The Sotterley Christmas Traditions by Candlelight tours will be held **December 5, 11, 12, 18, 19 and 20**, every 15 minutes from 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Advance reservations are required. No walk-ins. The admission is $15 per person. Purchase tickets online at [www.sotterley.org](http://www.sotterley.org).

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<td>Lexington Park Business and Community Association meets on the second Wednesday of each month from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. at the Bay District Volunteer Fire Department Social Hall.</td>
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<td>All Leonardtown Businesses are invited to attend the monthly Leonardtown Business Association (LBA) meetings. For more information and to join the LBA, please visit <a href="http://www.thelba.org">www.thelba.org</a> or call Dan Norris at 240-538-5221 or email <a href="mailto:dan.norris0707@gmail.com">dan.norris0707@gmail.com</a>.</td>
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<td>Green Building Networking Meeting at the Southern Maryland Higher Education Center. This event is free and open to the public. Look on Facebook at ‘US Green Building Council, Southern MD Branch’</td>
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<td>BNI (Business Networking International) Chapters meet for the sole purpose of getting to know each other and each other’s company better in order to help each other grow business through warm referrals. Free to visit, No fee except your meal if you choose to eat. Please contact Jerry Schwartz for more information at 410-365-8529 or <a href="mailto:jerry@bnimaryland.com">jerry@bnimaryland.com</a>. BNI Leonardtown will meet at Ye Old Towne Cafe (Washington Street, Leonardtown)</td>
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<td>November</td>
<td>10:00 a.m.</td>
<td>Fall is just around the corner and the Maryland Procurement Technical Assistance Program (PTAP) wants to invite you to take time out for personal development. All our webinars are free and specifically structured to provide maximum information with minimal time taken away from your busy schedules. For more information or to register go to <a href="http://www.eventbrite.com/o/maryland-ptap-1037349973">www.eventbrite.com/o/maryland-ptap-1037349973</a> or contact Charina Chatman, Marketing and Training Specialist, Maryland PTAP at <a href="mailto:cchatman@umd.edu">cchatman@umd.edu</a> or call 410-340-7667. Find PTAP on the following social networks to stay up to date with new opportunities in your region, across the state and at the federal procurement level: <a href="http://www.facebook.com/MarylandPtap">www.facebook.com/MarylandPtap</a>, twitter: @MDPTAP, <a href="https://twitter.com/MDPTAP">https://twitter.com/MDPTAP</a>, and LinkedIn Discussion Group <a href="http://www.linkedin.com/groups?ome=&amp;gid=6753083&amp;trk=anet_ug_hm">www.linkedin.com/groups?ome=&amp;gid=6753083&amp;trk=anet_ug_hm</a></td>
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<td>November 1</td>
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<td>Historic Sotterley Plantation will hold a ceremony to place a marker remembering those who perished during the Middle Passage. On this special day, we will also celebrate the 150th anniversary of Emancipation in Maryland. The public is invited to attend this ceremony to remember and honor ancestors. For more information go to <a href="http://www.sotterley.org/">www.sotterley.org/</a>.</td>
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<td>November 1</td>
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<td>The time has once again arrived for citizens to clean out their barns, basements, sheds, garages, storage areas under kitchen sinks, etc. to take advantage of the opportunity to properly discard of potentially toxic/dangerous materials. The St. Andrew’s Landfill will host the second Hazardous Waste Collection day of the fall. For more information please contact the St. Mary’s Department of Public Works and Transportation at 301-863-8400. You can also log on to their website at <a href="http://www.stmarysmd.com/docs/2014HouseholdHazardousWasteCollectionDaysFlyer2-2.pdf">www.stmarysmd.com/docs/2014HouseholdHazardousWasteCollectionDaysFlyer2-2.pdf</a>.</td>
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<td>November 2</td>
<td>12:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.</td>
<td>St. Mary’s Ryken is hosting an Open House. Meet the students, faculty and administration. Learn about the college preparatory curriculum, the 1:1 iPad program, and athletics and extracurricular activities. Tour the beautiful college-like campus. Presentations on application procedure, financial aid and more will be at 12:30 p.m. and at 2:00 p.m. For more information, contact the Admissions Office at 301-373-4183 or by email</td>
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The Tri-County Council for Southern Maryland, in partnership with Calvert County, Caroline County, Charles County, Dorchester County, St. Mary’s County, Northumberland County, Somerset County, Talbot County, Westmoreland County, Wicomico County, and participating communities within these jurisdictions is preparing a Joint Land Use Study (JLUS) to address compatibility planning around Naval Air Station Patuxent River (NAS PAX). The primary objective of the JLUS is to reduce potential conflicts between NAS PAX and surrounding areas while accommodating new growth and economic development, sustaining economic vitality, protecting public health and safety, and sustaining the operational missions of the installation. The public is invited to attend Public Open Houses to review, discuss, and comment on the Public Draft of the JLUS Report with the JLUS development team. Two previous public workshops were conducted for the JLUS that provided the public with an overview of the process and solicited input that was incorporated into the JLUS. The Public Draft documentation will be available on the JLUS website, [www.paxjlus.com](http://www.paxjlus.com) on October 22, 2014, for review.

Public Open Houses will be held in two different locations for your convenience:

**Western Area Public Open House**
- Date: Wednesday, November 5, 2014
- Time: 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
- Location: Southern Maryland Higher Education Center
  44219 Airport Road
  California, MD 20619

**Eastern Area Public Open House**
- Date: Thursday, November 6, 2014
- Time: 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
- Location: Delmarva Community Services
  2450 Cambridge Beltway
  Cambridge, MD 21613

The public is encouraged to attend these open houses. It is critical to obtain input from the community in order to develop a plan that is responsive to local needs. Please join us to hear about the JLUS and provide your input on the Public Draft JLUS Report. For more information, visit the project’s website at: [www.paxjlus.com](http://www.paxjlus.com) or contact: George Clark (Tri-County Council for Southern Maryland) at 301-274-1922 or via email at gclark@tccsmd.org.

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<td>The Southern Maryland Higher Education Center (SMHEC) will hold an open house at SMHEC. Come to learn about the many different degrees from bachelors to doctorates available through the SMHEC. For more information, go to <a href="http://www.smhec.org">www.smhec.org</a>.</td>
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<td>November 11</td>
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<td>The National Contract Management Association (NCMA) Chesapeake Bay Conference will be held. For more information, visit <a href="http://www.ncma-cb.org">NCMA Chesapeake Bay</a>.</td>
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<td>Chapter will hold a 2014 FAR &amp; DFARS Updates Webinar will be at ManTech International Corporation, 46610 Expedition Drive, Suite 101, Lexington Park. For more information, visit <a href="http://www.ncmachesa.org">www.ncmachesa.org</a>.</td>
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<td>At the Community Foundation of Southern Maryland’s 9th Annual Philanthropy Day Luncheon, the following individuals and organizations will be inducted into the Philanthropy Hall of Fame for demonstrating the qualities that define excellence in philanthropy: Southern Maryland Women’s League, Margaret Dunkle, Louise Webb and the Mattinglys. The event will be held at the Greater Waldorf Jaycees Community Center. The public is welcomed. Tickets are $40 person and you must RSVP by Monday, November 3. Your ticket reserves your space. To purchase a ticket or sponsorship online go to <a href="http://www.somdgiving.org">www.somdgiving.org</a>. To pay by check, send to: CFOSOMD, P.O. Box 716, Charlotte Hall, MD 20622. For more information about the keynote speaker, sponsorship levels and a complete list of annual award recipients, please go <a href="http://www.somdgiving.org">www.somdgiving.org</a>.</td>
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<td>Three years after the publication of his first book entitled, Sotterley: Her People and Their Worlds, Sotterley Trustee Dave Brown will soon unveil his second book, George Plater of Sotterley with the companion book The Letters of George Plater. The public is invited to attend a Meet the Author and Book Signing event in the Sotterley Warehouse. Once again, Brown is generously contributing all proceeds to benefit Sotterley. This biography will only be available for purchase at Sotterley’s Museum Shop and through the Sotterley website <a href="http://www.sotterley.org">www.sotterley.org</a>.</td>
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<td>The 2013 Entrepreneur Expo, hosted by The Maryland Technology Development Corporation (TEDCO) brings together all of Maryland’s entrepreneurial resources from across the state into one place, at one time. This 3rd Annual Event is expected to draw 400+ of the region’s top</td>
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<td>Entrepreneurs, small business executives, angel and venture capital investors, federal and state economic development officials, university leaders and legislators. The Expo will be held at the BWI Airport Marriott, 1743 W Nursery Road, Linthicum Heights, MD 21090. Registration is open, go to <a href="http://www.eventbrite.com/e/entrepreneur-expo-tickets-11628319617">www.eventbrite.com/e/entrepreneur-expo-tickets-11628319617</a>. For more information, go to <a href="http://www.innovatemd.com/2013/agenda.html">www.innovatemd.com/2013/agenda.html</a>.</td>
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<td>Naval Air Systems Command (NAVAIR) and Naval Air Warfare Center Aircraft Division (NAWCAD) will conduct an informational Industry Day in Solomons, Maryland. The objective of this event is to enhance Government-industry communication, conduct market research, and increase competition in support of Naval Aviation by presenting the Long Range Acquisition Forecast (LRAF) and providing the opportunity for meetings between industry and NAVAIR/NAWCAD technical personnel. For more information, go to <a href="http://www.fbo.gov/spg/DON/NAVAIR/N00019/11132014/listing.html">www.fbo.gov/spg/DON/NAVAIR/N00019/11132014/listing.html</a>.</td>
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Online Resources

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Visitor’s Guide and Information – www.visitstmarysmd.com

Facts & Figures – Gain access to St. Mary’s County demographic and economic data
www.stmarysmd.com/ded/datacenter.asp


Technology Handbook Online – Search our directory of over 200 local technology firms
www.stmarysmd.com/ded/handbook/index.asp

Commercial Buildings &Sites – Review our list of available sites and office space
www.stmarysmd.com/ded and click on Commercial Buildings & Sites

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