

RMC Quarterly Executive Board Meeting September 22, 2023, 12 pm – 2pm Location: Maryland Department of Agriculture Main Conference Room, Lower Level 50 Harry S. Truman Pkwy, Annapolis, MD 21401

Agenda

Participants: RMC Executive Board Members and RMC Staff

A. Welcome and Agenda Overview

Susan O'Neill, Chair

- B. Approval of the March 31, 2023, Executive Board Meeting Minutes (pgs.1-3)
- C. Guest Speaker
- D. Board and Committee Reports

1) Financial Report

Charlotte Davis, Executive Director

- a) FY2024 Budget (pg.4)
- b) FY2025 Budget (pg.5)
- 2) Rural Maryland Prosperity Investment Fund

Scott Warner, Chair

- a) FY2024 MAERDAF/RMPIF Awards (pgs.6-10)
- b) FY 2023 Managing for Results (pg.11)
- 3) Legislative Committee

Lindsay Thompson and Chris Benzing, Co-Chairs

- a) 2023 Legislative Session Review
- b) 2024 Legislative Session
- 4) Agriculture Committee

Matthew Teffeau, Chair

- a) Next meeting date October 16, 2023, 10am to 12pm
- 5) Health Committee

Sara Seitz, Chair

Mike Thielke, Chair

- a) Next meeting date September 25, 2023, 12pm to 1pm
- 6) Joint Planning and Development Committee
 - a) 2023 Rural Issues Survey Planning Update
 - b) Strategic Planning
- 7) Rural Maryland Foundation

Dan Rider, President

- a) Transfer of Wealth Update (pgs.12-14)
- b) Think Tank Rural Research Project (pg.15)
- 8) Nominating Committee

Chris Benzing, Chair

Charlotte Davis, Executive Director

- 9) Rural Housing Working Committee
 - a) CDN/RMC Regional Meetings (pgs.16-18)
- 10) Executive Director's Report
 - a) Staff Activity Reports (pgs.19-31)
 - b) 2023 Rural Summit
- E. New Business
 - 1) 2023 Rural Impact Awards (pgs.32-34)
 - 2) Tawes Crab and Clam Bake, Wednesday, September 27, 2023
- F. Adjourn

RMC Annual Meeting: Tuesday, November 13, 2023, 6 pm - 8 pm Location: Crowne Plaza Hotel, Annapolis, Maryland 21401