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# MCCMA SPRING CONFERENCE

May 10-12, 2023

College Park City Hall

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7401 Baltimore Avenue  
College Park, MD, 20740**

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## PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 10

6:00-8:00 PM | Welcome Reception at Grillmarx, College Park

### THURSDAY, MAY 11

#### PANEL DISCUSSIONS

##### **Racial Equity Roles in Municipalities**

Moderator: Tanisha Briley, City Manager, City of Gaithersburg

Panelists: Karen Shaban, GARE; Shakira Louimarre, Race and Equity Officer, City of Hyattsville; Tom Carroll, City Manager, City of Cambridge

##### **Affordable Housing & Homelessness**

Moderator: David Cristeal, Housing and Community Development Program Manager, City of Gaithersburg

Panelists: Jake Day, Secretary, DHCD; Danielle Meister, Director, Office of Community Services Programs, DHCD; Asmara Habte, City of Rockville, Director of Housing and Community Development; Maryann Dillon, Housing Initiative Partnership (HIP) Executive Director

##### **Public Safety & Police Reform**

Moderator: Angelica Bailey, MEDA

Panelists: Senator Will Smith (D-20); Chief of Police Jarod Towers, Hyattsville; Ganesha Martin, President & CEO, G.M.M. Consulting

##### **Economic Development Roundtable**

Moderator: Sharon Disque, Economic Development Manager, City of Gaithersburg

Panelists: Jim Chandler, Director of Community and Economic Development, City of Hyattsville; Michael Williams, Economic Development Manager, City of College Park; Heather Gramm, Assistant Secretary, Business & Industry Sector Development at Maryland Department of Commerce

##### **Conference Tour**

Notable developments, investments, arts districts, and other points of interest in College Park, Hyattsville, and surrounding communities.

##### **Dinner at Franklin's Restaurant, Hyattsville**

### FRIDAY, MAY 12

**Legislative Session Update by Justin Fiore, MML**

**First Amendment Audit Training by Matthew Peter, LGIT**

**ICMA Update by Dennis Enslinger, City of Gaithersburg**

**MCCMA Membership Meeting**