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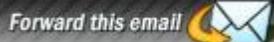
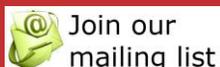
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### Dates to Remember

**Wednesday, April 4 2018  
5:00 pm**

**Cumberland Country Club  
Cumberland, Maryland  
Tri-County Council for  
Western Maryland  
Business Meeting**

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### Maryland Land Preservation and Recreation Plan Survey

The Maryland Department of Natural Resources invites residents and nonresidents to share their thoughts on land acquisition, conservation and recreation in the state.

The survey, which includes questions on outdoor activities, amenities and services like camping, fishing and hunting, helps guide the department's decision-making, investments and programming. Results will be incorporated into the Land Preservation and Recreation Plan, which is required to receive federal funding from the National Park Service's Land and Water Conservation Fund.

Individuals may follow [this link](#) to complete the 3-5 minute [online survey](#) will be entered into a random drawing to win Maryland Park Service day-use passes.



### FY2018 Funding for Key Federal Agencies and Programs Review by NADO

National Association of Development Organizations (NADO) shares a review of FY18 funding for federal agencies and programs as passed in the FY2018 Omnibus Spending Package. The bill, Consolidated Appropriations

**Notice of Funding  
Availability**

**Department of Justice  
Program Offers Second  
Chance for Former  
Prisoners**

The Second Chance Act  
Comprehensive Community-  
Based Adult Reentry Program  
supports efforts to help people  
who are reentering communities  
from incarceration.

**Application deadline is  
May 1, 2018.**

Act of 2018, funds federal programs through the remainder of the fiscal year - until September 30, 2018.

Follow [this link](#) for a review of:

U.S. Economic Development Administration  
U.S. Department of Agriculture - Rural Development  
Federal-State Regional Commissions  
U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development -  
Community Planning and Development  
U.S. Department of Transportation  
U.S. Department of Labor-Employment and Training  
Administration  
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services  
Additional Resources include links to the full package

