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## Council Connections

Bridging Allegany, Garrett and Washington Counties



Tri County Council  
For Western Maryland

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### Dates to Remember

#### TCCWMD Council Meeting

Wednesday, December 11  
5:00pm  
Nick's Airport Inn  
Hagerstown, Maryland

### Quick Links

[Allegany County  
Government](#)

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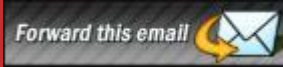
[Maryland Department of  
Commerce](#)

### Upper Potomac Boat Ramp Opens



A grand opening was held earlier this month for Allegany County's new Upper Potomac Boat Ramp. Officials representing Allegany County Government, the Maryland Department of Natural Resources, and the Office of the Governor poured water from buckets over a marine rope to mark the official opening of the Upper Potomac Boat Ramp. All agreed that this project was a wonderful example of a successful collaboration between state and local government.

The drive-down boat ramp accommodates the launching and retrieving of flat bottom boats, canoes, and kayaks. This scenic natural waterway is also ideal for fishing. The



### Notice of Funding Availability

#### Program Supports Local Food Efforts

Local Foods, Local Places helps cities and towns across the country protect the environment and human health by engaging with local partners to reinvest in existing neighborhoods as they develop local food systems. Previously supported efforts include downtown markets, cooperative groceries, community kitchens, and community and school gardens.

**Application Deadline is September 30, 2019.**

new boat ramp site, accessible through the Upper Potomac Industrial Park, has free parking for day users in designated areas. Come and enjoy!

Visit [this news article](#) for more photos and information.

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**TEDCO INVESTMENT READINESS WORKSHOP**

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**90-MINUTE WORKSHOP HIGHLIGHTING:**

- Fund raising process
- How investors evaluate opportunities by industry
- Best practices for raising capital

**SEPT. 17<sup>TH</sup>**  
**2:00 PM - 4:00 PM**  
**ROCKY GAP RESORT**

**REGISTER NOW** <https://tedco-investor-readiness.eventbrite.com>

Is your company considering outside funding now or in the future? If so, it's important to understand what stages and types of investment best fit your start-up as well as who, how, and when to approach investors.

Organized by TEDCO, this 90-minute workshop will highlight the fund raising process, how investors evaluate opportunities by industry, and best practices for raising capital.

Follow [this link](#) for full details and registration information.