



## Council Connections

Bridging Allegany, Garrett and Washington Counties  
March 21, 2024



# Call for Presenters

## September 17-19, 2024

Chesapeake Bay Beach Club, Stevensville, MD



TAM is issuing a call to all of our members to submit proposals for presentations at our upcoming Annual Conference in September.

**WHO:** TAM Member Agencies interested in presenting a short (45-60 minute) informative session on September 17-19 during our Annual Conference.

**HOW:** Visit our conference presenter page at <https://www.taminc.org/call-for-conference-presentations> and click 'the 'click here to submit button'. Alternatively, you can access the submission form directly [here](#).

**WHAT:** We are looking for a wide array of topics that are innovative, engaging, inspiring, and informative for Maryland's transportation professionals. Our goal is to offer relevant, timely education and training to help attendees do their jobs more effectively and make their agencies more successful. Proposals should address contemporary or emerging issues confronting the public transportation industry/profession. Prior accepted sessions have included:

- Transitioning to low-emission vehicles
- Partnering with hospitals and non-profits to provide transportation
  - Working to develop micro-transit with TNCs
  - Charting a career path for middle-management

**WHEN:** Proposals should be submitted for consideration by July 12, 2024. Registration for exhibitors and sponsors is open now at [www.taminc.org/conference](http://www.taminc.org/conference).

Registration for attendees will open May 7, 2024.

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## **Maryland Department of Commerce** **Business Telework Assistance Grant**

The Business Telework Assistance Grant Program assists businesses with retaining and creating jobs across the state. The program provides grants of up to \$25,000 to help businesses expand telework capabilities for their employees. These grants will help applicants purchase the equipment necessary to develop and implement telework policies, including hardware, software, and technical services.

The Telework Assistance Grant Program is a result of the Chapter 696, Acts 2021, which established the Office of Telework Assistance within the Department of Commerce. This office oversees a variety of activities related to assisting companies with implementing telework. Learn more about the [Office of Telework Assistance](#).

Applications opened on March 11, 2024, and are being **accepted through March 27, 2024 at 11:59 p.m.**

For complete details, follow [this link](#).



### **Tax Savvy Moves - Planning Your Tax Strategy**

March 25, 2024

10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

For more details and to Register, follow [this link](#).

### **How to Make Social Media Work Harder for Your Business**

March 27, 2024

10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

For more details and to Register, follow [this link](#).

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