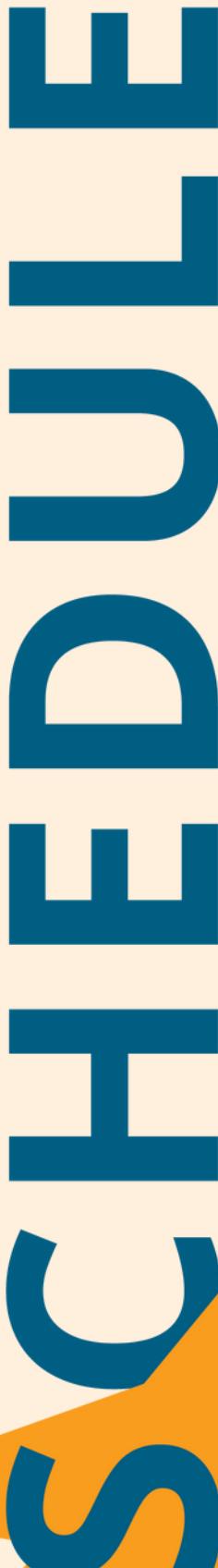


# 2023 Charles County Economic Development Department Fall Meeting

## CHARLES COUNTY: ADVANCING WORKFORCE TOGETHER



**8:00 a.m.** **Registration + Networking**

**8:30 a.m.** **Welcome**  
*Kelly Robertson-Slagle, Director of Economic Development*

**8:35 a.m.** **Charles County Welcome**  
*Reuben B. Collins, II, Commissioner President*

**8:45 a.m.** **Opening Speaker**  
*Portia Wu, Secretary, Maryland Department of Labor*

**9:00 a.m.** **Economic Development Update**  
*Kelly Robertson-Slagle, Director of Economic Development*

**9:20 a.m.** **Keynote Speaker**  
*Brad Turner-Little, President & CEO  
National Association of Workforce Boards*

**9:55 a.m.** **BREAK**

**10:05 a.m.** **CharlesChats**  
*Darlene Breck - Workplace Innovation  
Nicole Turner - Unlocking Success: The Power of Workplace Culture  
Donnell Rogers - Effective Ways to Reduce Conflict in the Workplace  
Dr. Monica Allgauer - Building Company Culture In Clinical Settings*

**11:05 a.m.** **BREAK**

**11:15 a.m.** **Circle of Service Panel**  
*Ellen Flowers-Fields, College of Southern Maryland (Moderator)  
Rebecca Brandt, Charles County Public Schools  
Jen Brown, Patuxent Partnership / SoMD 2030 Workforce Development  
Larysa Kautz, Melwood*

**11:55 a.m.** **Closing Remarks**  
*Kelly Robertson-Slagle, Director of Economic Development*

