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Business Appreciation Week 2011

September 12, 2011 – Westminster, MD - On behalf of the Board of County Commissioners, the Carroll County Department of Economic Development (CCDED) and Carroll County Chamber of Commerce (CCCC) will join together to conduct the 5th Annual Business Appreciation Week October 3rd through 7th. Teams of ambassadors will visit companies throughout Carroll County to express appreciation for their choice of Carroll County as a business location and to listen to any business concerns. Participating companies will receive a personalized appreciation certificate, commemorative memento, and packet of information including a business resource list, Chamber of Commerce Quality of Life guide, Carroll County Visitor's Guide and map.

Ambassadors from County government, Carroll County Economic Development Commission, Chamber of Commerce, Carroll Community College, and the Maryland Dept. of Business & Economic Development will conduct the visits. During the visit, informal surveys will be completed to assess the local business climate.

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Economic Development Commission Chair Barbara Biller states, “This is an opportunity to thank our business community for all of their contributions to our local economy. We also get to hear what they like and what they find challenging about doing business in Carroll County. In response, we can better tailor programs and services to address their needs and focus on Carroll businesses in a positive way.”

If your business is interested in participating in Business Appreciation Week, please call the Department of Economic Development at 410-386-2070. Deadline for to participate is September 14th. For more information on other Department of Economic Development programs, follow @CarrollEconDev or visit www.carrollbiz.org.

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