



The Greater Ocean City, Maryland
Chamber of Commerce

Things You Need to Know This Week

January 28, 2022

Member Notice

OC Chamber Legislative Update



The Greater Ocean City Chamber of Commerce maintains an Actively Monitored Legislation list that impacts our region and member businesses. Additionally, the Legislative Committee participates in weekly Zoom sessions with our lobbyist, Dennis Rasmussen, to stay abreast of any changes or action that needs to be taken. We also work closely with our elected officials and strengthen relationships with other statewide legislators that have similar priorities in their districts.

[View Greater Ocean City Chamber of Commerce Actively Monitored Legislation as of 1/25/2022](#)

Non-Profit Grants from Worcester County Government Available Online Through Feb. 7

Worcester County Government (WCG) is accepting applications from area non-profit agencies now through Monday, February 7, 2022.

Applications are available to download as a PDF at www.co.worcester.md.us. Once there, the link to the Non-Profit Grant Application can be found under "Important Links" on the right side of the web page.

[WCG Non-Profit Grant Application](#)

Join the OC Chamber & CQI Associates Commercial Energy Purchasing Cooperative



JOIN THE CHAMBER ENERGY PURCHASING COOPERATIVE

Combine your usage with other members to receive lower rates

To learn more and schedule a FREE energy bill analysis, call 443-472-3870 or email joe@cqiassociates.com

By joining the Commercial Energy Purchasing Cooperative, you increase the purchasing power for all members, resulting in more affordable and consistent electric and natural gas rates. As a member, your organization's energy prices will be significantly lower than it is purchasing power as an individual business. There are NO FEES to join. One application covers ALL of your electricity and natural gas accounts for ALL locations. The Spring Campaign runs February 1-25, 2022.

[Learn More About the Commercial Energy Co-Op](#)

OC Chamber News & Events

OC Chamber of Commerce Announces Partnership with Lincoln Financial Group and Salisbury Area Chamber of Commerce (SACC) to Deliver a New Group 401(k) Program, the Lower Shore Multiple Employer Aggregation Program (MEAP)



We're thrilled to announce our partnership with Lincoln Financial Group and Salisbury Area Chamber of Commerce (SACC) to deliver a new group 401(k) program, the **Lower Shore Multiple Employer Aggregation Program (MEAP)**.

Here's what you'll experience with the new Lower Shore MEAP 401(k) program:

- Access to potential pricing and service efficiencies—economies of scale
- Less administrative work, as you hand off many of the responsibilities that come with running a 401(k), including filing Form 5500 and employee loans
- Relief from many fiduciary obligations, while maintaining your current plan design—or changing to a plan design that works for you

[Lower Shore MEAP Information](#)

OC Chamber Jeep Raffle: Enter to Win a Brand New 2022 Jeep Wrangler Unlimited Sport!



The Greater Ocean City Chamber of Commerce is raffling off a brand new 2022 Jeep Wrangler Unlimited Sport! Gorgeous four door, hydro blue pearl paint with a soft top! Purchase at least one entry then share this raffle on your social media to earn 3 FREE entries! Raffle drawing date is August 26, 2022.

[Purchase a Jeep Raffle Ticket](#)

Save the Dates for these Upcoming Chamber Events!



[Alive after 5 on February 3](#)

Please join us for the first Alive after 5 for 2022! We will be celebrating at Ocean Downs Casino Event Room from 5-7pm with hors d'oeuvres and drink specials. We will also be announcing the winners of the Chamber Lights Contest!

February 25 Chamber Awards Celebration



Our Chamber Awards Celebration is back! We invite you to join us on Friday, February 25, 6-10pm at the Clarion Resort Fontainebleau Hotel to honor award recipients in the categories of: Business Person of the Year, Citizen of the Year, Young Professional of the Year, First Responder of the Year, Non-Profit of the Year, and Lifetime Achievement Award. Sponsorships are available, [email Heather](mailto:heather@oceancity.org) for more information.

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