



**PROCLAMATION RECOGNIZING OCTOBER 22nd – 28th, 2017
AS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WEEK
IN THE CITY OF HYATTSVILLE**

WHEREAS, the City of Hyattsville is an active member of the Maryland Economic Development Association (MEDA), a non-profit organization established in 1961 whose mission is to enhance the knowledge and skills of its members, encourages partnerships and networking among people committed to bringing jobs and capital to Maryland, and promotes economic development as an investment in Maryland; and

WHEREAS, MEDA members promote the economic well-being of Maryland by working to improve the state's business climate and the professionalism of those in the field of economic development including other professionals with an interest in the economy of Maryland, and through its regular meetings, special programs and projects, members address diverse issues; and

Whereas, the economic growth and stability of the State affects all regions and jurisdictions of Maryland, and the City of Hyattsville is an important component of the State's economic success, and will highlight those successes by highlighting commercial façade improvement project reinvestments, celebrating locally owned small businesses, Smart Growth redevelopment at the City's metro stations and public placemaking efforts.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Hyattsville City Council hereby declares the week of October 22nd – 28th, 2017, as Economic Development Week in Hyattsville, and asks all to join with us to recognize and reaffirm the importance of economic development locally and statewide.

Candace B. Hollingsworth
Mayor
City of Hyattsville

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