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How Maryland Courts Can Work Best for Everyone: A Conversation with Seniors



Plan For Today, Protect Tomorrow: Safeguarding the Golden Years

The Maryland Judiciary's Equal Justice Committee (EJC), through its Community Outreach Subcommittee, hosts community forums across the state to increase the community's understanding of the courts while the courts learn the community's perspective and needs.

On Thursday, October 29, 2026, the Community Outreach Subcommittee will host a forum for Howard County residents on justice matters affecting seniors ages 50 and up. The program will offer information on a variety of topics, including guardianship, estate planning, housing, fraud, asset recovery, and artificial intelligence (AI) technology.

WHAT: Howard County Community Forum Featuring
A Conversation with Seniors

Information and resources from community
organizations serving seniors

WHEN: Thursday, October 29, 2026, 6 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

WHERE: East Columbia 50+ Center
6610 Cradlerock Way, Columbia, MD 21045

Light refreshments will be provided.



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MODERATOR

Deborah Weiner
WBAL-TV News Anchor



COMMUNITY PARTNERS

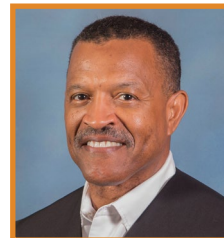
- Howard County Office of Consumer Protection
- Howard County Office of Aging and Independence
- Coalition of Geriatric Services (COGS)
- People Acting Together in Howard (PATH)

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AGENDA:

1. Greetings and Review of the Program – Harford County District Court Administrative Judge Kerwin Miller
2. Introduction of the Panelists, Community Partners, and Community Resources – Harford County District Court Administrative Judge Kerwin Miller
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Howard County Office of Consumer Protection • Howard County Office of Aging and Independence • Coalition of Geriatric Services (COGS) • People Acting Together in Howard (PATH)
3. Discussion Topic: Plan for Today, Protect Tomorrow: Safeguarding the Golden Years – WBAL-TV Anchor Deborah Weiner
4. Questions and Comments from Community Members – WBAL-TV Anchor Deborah Weiner
5. Closing Remarks and Meeting Adjournment – WBAL-TV Anchor Deborah Weiner