



GREATER CRISFIELD ACTION COALITION

## "Enjoy Quality of Life..."

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## **PRESS RELEASE**

The Greater Crisfield Action Coalition, Inc. (GCAC) is pleased to announce it is co-hosting with Somerset County Economic Development Commission a job fair on April 16th and 17th, 2021. The job fair participation by employers is FREE and will be open to all who are looking for employment opportunities. Job fairs are great because they bring all the available jobs to one place, allowing applicants to learn about the companies, job openings and available benefit packages. This job fair will have full time, part time and seasonal positions. The job fair will be held at the Somers Cove Marina from 9am to 1pm. This venue is being made available at the courtesy of the marina.

"The unemployment rate in Crisfield and the County is significantly higher than the State and the US unemployment rate. The companies participating here are offering opportunities to individuals which will improve those percentages and potentially have a life changing impact on those who are able to secure employment. Some of the job opportunities are truly extraordinary and we encourage all seeking employment to come to the job fair" says Frances Martinez Myers, president of GCAC.

"Somerset County Economic Development has been focused on identifying economic development opportunities and marketing the area to potential employers who can create jobs and commerce in Somerset County. This is a great opportunity to help both local employers as well as employers in the region identify much needed employees for their organizations. It could not come at a better time as the country and the area begins to emerge from this pandemic" says Daniel Thompson, Executive Director of the Somerset County Economic Development Commission. Employers and small businesses who are looking for employees and would like to participate in the job fair please contact GCAC at <u>contact@greatercrisfieldmd.org</u> and the Somerset County Economic Development Office at <u>llinton@somersetmd.us</u>

The Greater Crisfield Action Coalition, Inc. is a 501 (c) (3) Community Development Corporation, located in the City of Crisfield, MD. The organization was formed in 2015 through the efforts of the Crisfield business community and local residents seeking to help promote economic development to help transform the City into a thriving and vibrant community. We are committed to working and collaborating together with the City, County and State government to make it happen. To learn more about GCAC go to www.greatercrisfieldmd.org.

The Somerset County Economic Development Commission (SCEDC) was established by the Somerset County Commissioners by resolution on September 30, 1980 to encourage economic development for positive growth as a County endeavor. The County Commissioners wanted an organization that would assist in addressing the issue of promoting economic development for the betterment of all the citizens of Somerset County. To learn more about SCEDC go to www.somersetcountyedc.org.

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