



Agenda Item Summary Report

Meeting Date: October 14, 2024	Submitted by: Michelle Bailey Hedgepeth, Town Administrator
Item Title: RESOLUTION 06-2026 A Resolution of Support for Economic Development Week – October 20 – 24, 2025	
Resolution 06-2026: A RESOLUTION of the Town Council of the Town of Bladensburg declaring and celebrating October 20-24, 2025, Economic Development Week in Maryland	
Work Session Item [] Council Meeting Item [X]	Documentation Attached: Resolution
Recommended Action:	
Support and solidarity with MEDA on the celebration of Economic Development Week – October 20-24, 2025.	
<p>Summary: The Mayor and Town Council are considering a resolution recognizing and celebrating Economic Development Week in Maryland from October 20–24, 2025.</p> <p>The resolution highlights the Town of Bladensburg’s active membership in the Maryland Economic Development Association (MEDA), an organization founded in 1961 dedicated to strengthening Maryland’s business climate, building partnerships, and advancing economic development as a vital investment in communities across the state.</p> <p>The resolution further acknowledges MEDA’s role in promoting collaboration, professional development, and innovative approaches to economic growth, as well as the importance of Economic Development Week as an opportunity for community organizations to share strategies and best practices that benefit residents and businesses.</p> <p>By adopting this resolution, the Mayor and Council join with MEDA and jurisdictions across Maryland in recognizing the significance of economic development to job creation, business growth, and community well-being.</p> <p>The resolution was adopted on October 20, 2025, and takes effect immediately.</p> <p>Staff will be available to answer any questions about this matter.</p>	
Budgeted Item: Yes [] No [X] Budgeted Amount: \$ NA One-Time Cost: NA Ongoing Cost:	Continued Date:
Council Priority: Yes [] No []	Approved Date: