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August 6, 2012

The Honorable Anthony G. Brown

State House

100 State Circle

Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Lt. Governor Brown:

Thank you for speaking at the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG) annual leadership retreat held in Cambridge, Maryland, on July 20-22, 2012.

We applaud the O'Malley Administration's leadership in moving Maryland forward through innovation and entrepreneurism. Strategic investment in public infrastructure projects is a key component to the economic competitiveness of this region. We look forward to partnering with the Administration on future efforts to strengthen the state-regional partnership and not only in moving Maryland forward but the entire National Capital Region.

Thanks again for your participation in COG's retreat.

Sincerely.

David J. Robertson Executive Director