The Delmarva Advisory Council is the organization designated by the three governors to advise and work with the local organizations in carrying out projects of the overall economic development program. The Council consists of fifteen members with five from each of the three States and several advisory members. Council members serve for three-year terms.

## TRI-COUNTY COUNCIL FOR SOUTHERN MARYLAND

Chairman: John T. Parran, Jr.

Southern Maryland Legislative Delegation:

Edward T. Hall; Paul Jacob Bailey; Loretta Nimmerrichter; Calvin L. Compton; Robert W. Benner; John H. Briscoe; Henry J. Fowler.

County Commissioners:

J. Wilmer Gott; Reed W. McDonagh; F. Elliott Burch.

County Economic Development and Planning Commissions:

Malcolm E. Rockhill; Forrest Coakley, Vacancy.

County Planning Commissions:

Col. Lawrence Bowlby, Retd.; William Highby, Joseph M. Gough, Jr.

Members-at-Large:

Bennie C. Dowell; J. Frank Raley, Jr.

Non-Voting Members:

- 1 representative from the Department of Economic Development —William B. Braun.
- 1 representative from the State Planning Department—Richard Gucker.

Executive Director: John H. Mills

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The Tri-County Council for Southern Maryland was formed on December 6, 1964, to initiate and coordinate plans and projects for the development of human and economic resources in Calvert, Charles, and St. Mary's counties. The State Department of Economic Development sponsored the Council and assisted in its formation.

By an Executive Order issued by the Governor on May 14, 1965, the Council was recognized as the cooperative planning and development agency in Southern Maryland. The Council was permanently established by Chapter 586, Acts of 1966.

The Council is composed of nineteen members including all the elected members of the General Assembly from each county, one representative of each of the Board of County Commissioners, the County Economic Development Commission, and the County Planning and Zoning Commission. There are also non-voting members representing the State Planning Department and the Department of Economic Development. The Council will meet from time to time (Chapter 298, Acts of 1965; Chapter 586, Acts of 1966).

Appropriations	1969	1970
General Funds	70,000 25,000	\$102,000 25,000