

**DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AND
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

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The Department of Economic and Community Development was created by Chapter 527, Acts of 1970 for the general purpose of advancing the economic and cultural welfare of the people of Maryland. The Department is to investigate and assemble information pertinent to the economic development and industrial opportunities and economic resources of the State; encourage location of new industrial enterprises in the State and expansion of present enterprises; encourage development of recreational areas and encourage tourist business in the State; make the public aware of the State's historical background and progress; and generally advertise the State and disseminate information.

The head of the Department is the Secretary of the Department of Economic and Community Development who is appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate. He serves at the pleasure of the Governor and counsels and advises him on all matters assigned to the Department, and is also responsible for carrying out the Governor's policies with respect to such matters. The Secretary, with the approval of the Governor, appoints a Deputy Secretary who serves at the pleasure of the Secretary.

Among the agencies, commissions, boards, authorities, trusts, and divisions comprising the Department of Economic and Community Development are the following: Board of Review, Maryland membership unit of the Southern Interstate Nuclear Board, Maryland Advisory Commission on Atomic Energy, Division of Economic Development, Maryland membership unit of the Appalachian Regional Commission, Maryland Industrial Development Financing Authority, Maryland Commission for Latin American Affairs, Development Credit Corporation, Community Development Administration, Division of Housing, Division of Research, Division of Historical and Cultural Affairs, Maryland Bicentennial Commission, St. Mary's City Commission, Maryland Arts Council, Maryland Historical Trust, Governor's Consulting Committee for the National Register of Historic Places in Maryland, Seafood Marketing Authority and Division of Market Development, Division of Tourist Development, and the Ocean City Convention Hall Commission (Code 1957, 1971 Repl. Vol., Art. 41, secs. 257-257I; 1972 Supp., Art. 41, secs. 257A-257J).

	1973	1974
Appropriations		
General Funds	\$3,852,412	\$4,191,655
Special Funds	142,364	242,810
Federal Funds	435,150	701,496

Staff: Office of the Secretary, 33; Department, 204.

Board of Review

Chairman: Alfred C. Scuderi, 1976

Rupert G. Curry, 1974; Joseph H. Purdy, 1974; Charles Eckman, 1975; Leonard J. Attman, 1976; Roger J. Johnson, 1976; Nicholas D. Karavedas, 1976.