

(7) TO REVIEW AND COMMENT ON ALL PLANS FOR USE AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE ARCHAEOLOGICALLY OR HISTORICALLY SIGNIFICANT LAND AND REAL PROPERTY OF ST. MARY'S COLLEGE OF MARYLAND DURING THE INITIAL PLANNING STAGE, TO CONDUCT SUCH REVIEW AT A SPECIAL OR REGULAR MEETING OF THE COMMISSION AFTER PUBLIC NOTICE OF THE GENERAL NATURE OF THE PLANS TO BE REVIEWED BY THE COMMISSION, AND THEREAFTER TO FORWARD ALL SUCH COMMENTS COINCIDENT WITH ANY SUBMISSION MADE BY THE COLLEGE PURSUANT TO § 3-602 OF THE STATE FINANCE AND PROCUREMENT ARTICLE;

(8) TO PREPARE AN OVERALL STRATEGIC PLAN AT LEAST ONCE EVERY 5 YEARS THAT ESTABLISHES BOTH SHORT-RANGE AND LONG-RANGE GOALS, OBJECTIVES, AND PRIORITIES FOR HISTORIC ST. MARY'S CITY IN SUPPORT OF ITS MISSION; AND

(9) TO REPORT ANNUALLY TO THE GOVERNOR, AND SUBJECT TO § 2-1312 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AS TO THE COMMISSION'S ACTIVITIES DURING THE PRECEDING YEAR, INCLUDING SPECIFICALLY:

(I) THE NUMBER OF STUDENTS SERVED AS WELL AS THE TYPE AND NUMBERS OF ALL OTHER VISITORS;

(II) THE NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS AND TOTAL HOURS CONTRIBUTED TO THE OPERATION OF THE MUSEUM;

(III) THE AMOUNT AND TYPES OF PRIVATE AND NONSTATE FUNDS DONATED, PLEDGED, OR OTHERWISE PROVIDED; AND

(IV) ANY RECOMMENDATIONS OR REQUESTS THE COMMISSION CONSIDERS APPROPRIATE TO FURTHER THE MISSION OF HISTORIC ST. MARY'S CITY.

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(A) THE HISTORIC ST. MARY'S CITY COMMISSION AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF ST. MARY'S COLLEGE OF MARYLAND ARE HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO UNDERTAKE JOINT PROGRAMS AND OTHERWISE TO WORK COLLABORATIVELY UNDER CONTRACT OR OTHER AGREEMENT ACCEPTABLE TO THE GOVERNING BOARDS OF EACH INSTITUTION, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FURTHERING THE MISSIONS OF BOTH INSTITUTIONS.

(B) THE COMMISSION AND THE COLLEGE MAY CONTRACT OR OTHERWISE AGREE TO WORK JOINTLY TO SPONSOR HIGH QUALITY EDUCATION PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES FOR BOTH THE ACADEMIC AND GENERAL COMMUNITIES AND FOR ALL AGE GROUPS, INCLUDING ELEMENTARY, SECONDARY, COLLEGE, AND ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAMS AS WELL AS TEACHER TRAINING PROGRAMS IN CURRICULUM AREAS OF JOINT FOCUS, SUCH AS ARCHAEOLOGY, COLONIAL AMERICAN HISTORY, AND CHESAPEAKE CULTURE AND ECOLOGY.

(C) THE COMMISSION AND COLLEGE MAY DEVELOP JOINTLY BENEFICIAL, PROMOTIONAL, MARKETING, FUNDRAISING, TOURISM, SPECIAL EVENTS, AND OTHER OUTREACH EFFORTS.