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Councilman Jon Weinstein Schedules Community Workshops

Ellicott City, MD – In seeking to continue the partnership between the citizens of Howard County's 1_{st} District and their Council representative, Jon Weinstein has announced two citizen workshops where he invites residents of Ellicott City and Elkridge to participate in formulating government policies. Councilman Weinstein explained, "These workshops are part of my plan for the first 100 days of my term and aim to bring the community together in a constructive and interactive forum to brainstorm and discuss ideas, opportunities, and issues for District 1." The workshops are open to people and businesses who reside in the district. People interested in attending a workshop are welcome to participate in either session. Both workshops will give participants an opportunity to share their ideas on a variety of topics including education, environment, public safety, and business and economy.

The first workshop is being held in the Elkridge Landing Middle School cafeteria, 7085 Montgomery Road on January 28th and the second is in the Oella Room at the Roger Carter Center, 3000 Milltowne Drive in Ellicott City on February 5th. Both sessions will start at 6:30pm and end by 8:00pm. Please send an email to Gary Smith (<u>GLSmith@howardcountymd.gov</u>), Special Assistant to Jon Weinstein with any questions or to indicate the workshop you plan to attend.

For more information please contact Councilman Weinstein, or his Special Assistant Gary Smith, at (410)313-2001; or email at <u>JWeinstein@howardcountymd.gov</u> and <u>GLSmith@howardcountymd.gov</u>.

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