



A Catalyst for
**GROWTH
& PROGRESS**

Monthly Meeting June 2025

“D.M. Bowman Family Workforce Training Center”

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Welcome

GHC Monthly Meeting

June 2025

Julie Rohm
GHC Vice-Chair



Please Welcome New GHC Members



David Blenckstone

Hagerstown Flying Boxcars

General Manager

50 W Baltimore St,
Hagerstown, MD 21740



Sean Griffith

Hagerstown Housing Authority

Executive Director

35 W. Baltimore St.
Hagerstown, MD 21740



Please Welcome Prospective Members



Brock Twigg

Twigg Cycles

Owner and President
200 S Edgewood Drive
Hagerstown, MD 21740



Hagerstown Paint & Glass Company



Tim Palkovitz

President

18136 Oak Ridge Drive
Hagerstown, MD 21740



Announcements and Upcoming GHC Events

Announcement:

City Center Plan – Public Engagement Now Open!

The City of Hagerstown has launched the public engagement phase for its updated 10-Year City Center Plan, which will guide future downtown development and investment.

GHC's Downtown Enhancement Committee

- GHC is preparing a set of recommendations for the plan
- A full report will be shared with members in July

How You Can Get Involved

- Take the short City Center Plan Survey
- Use the interactive map to highlight opportunities
- Share with your networks!



 Survey Link: www.surveymonkey.com/r/Hagerstown

 Learn more at: www.MyDowntownHagerstown.com

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Upcoming Events:

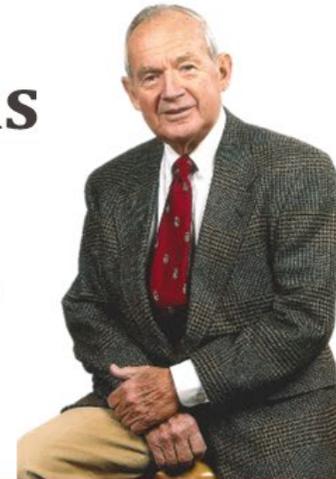
Michael G. Callas Memorial New Educators Reception



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**2025
Michael G. Callas
Memorial
New Educator's
Reception**



**Wednesday, August 13th, at 2:00 p.m.
South Hagerstown High School**

Greater Hagerstown Committee, Inc.



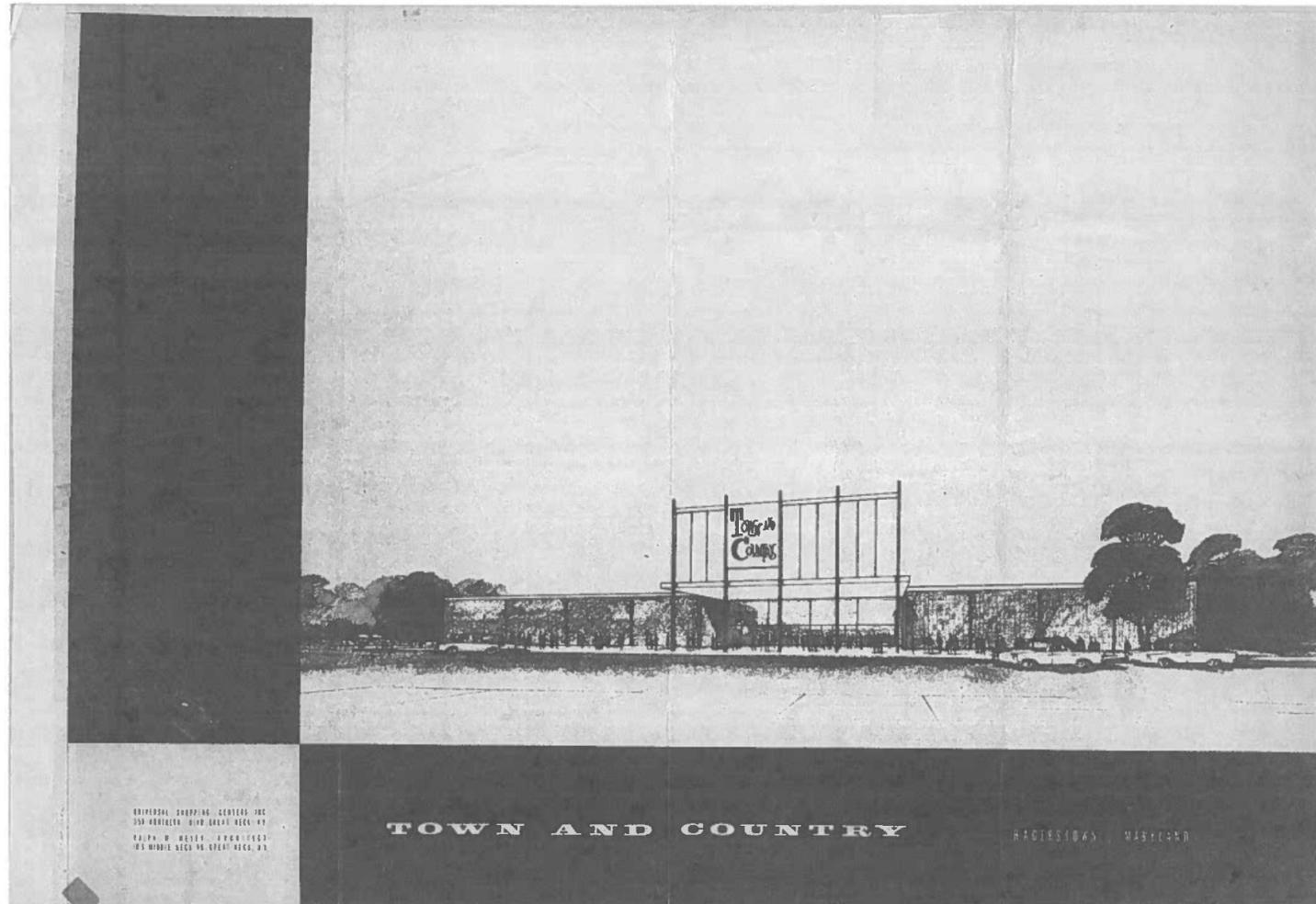
Washington County Chamber of Commerce

Welcome GHC!

D.M. Bowman Family Workforce Center



Anyone Remember This?



UNIVERSAL SHOPPING CENTERS INC.
350 HARTFORD AVENUE, SUITE 400
HARTFORD, CT 06103

TOWN AND COUNTRY

HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

THE NEED

- Board wanted to grow our skilled trade offerings
- We were teaching CVT, Diesel Tech, Forklift, noncredit classes, and more at 5 different locations in Washington County
- Board desired a new location for CVT
- Then there was “the trip”

Construction



Delays on top of Delays



Progress and now it is done!



Barr Construction Institute

- Four Registered Apprenticeship programs
 - Electrical
 - HVAC
 - Plumbing
 - Carpentry
- Barr Construction Institute Membership Rate - \$750 per year
- Pricing structure
 - \$4,500 – Individual Private Pay Rate
 - \$3,500 – Registered Apprentice Non-member Sponsor Rate
 - \$2,500 – Registered Apprentice Member Rate

Future Programs and Bridging to a degree

- Currently Electrical is the only path to bridge credit.
 - Electrical Journeyman's Certification is worth 30 credit hours!
 - Will develop the others over the next year.

- Bachelor Degree in Trades Supervision



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- Looking at Facilities Management, Industrial Maintenance, and possibly Healthcare Facilities Leadership

Let's not forget all the rest!



Upcoming Events:

Thank You and Enjoy the Tour

Enjoy your summer break as there are no Monthly Meetings in July or August
(Forums/Committees will still meet in summer)

Next GHC Monthly Meeting:

Friday, September 26th, 2025

HCC CPB Rooms 211/213

7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.



Adjourned

