

## HOWARD COUNTY BRAC TASK FORCE

BRAC BIT: #28

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SUBJECT(S): BRAC Adjudication Building Contract

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### DISCUSSION:

#### 1. BRAC Adjudication Building Contract:

- a. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Baltimore District, awarded a \$31,856,596 contract on 20 February 2009 to Skanska USA Building, Inc., of Rockville, Md., to construct the Adjudication Collocation Activities Facility at Fort George G. Meade, Md.
- b. The facility, to be constructed on a 15.3-acre site on the grounds of the 92-year-old Army installation, will allow the collocation of diverse Department of Defense and military department adjudication operations under one roof. Unlike the Defense Information Systems Agency and Defense Media Agency buildings, this site will not be on the golf course, but located on the route 175 side of the installation.
- c. The design-bid-build contract calls for the construction of a three-story, 151,590 gross-square-foot structure to provide office, administrative and other support space for a work force of approximately 700. The contract was issued in accordance with the Department of Defense Base Realignment and Closure Act of 2005, and calls for completion of the facility in March 2011.

#### 2. No Cost Fort Meade Growth Assistance:

- a. Just a reminder that the Howard County BRAC Office's mission is to support you, the customer. We are available seven days a week, up to 18 hours a day to meet with individuals, businesses or the customers of businesses on BRAC or other Fort Meade growth related matters. Do not hesitate to give us a call or send us an email if you need our help in any way.

#### 3. Confusion on Regional Meetings:

- a. The Fort Meade Regional Growth Management Committee (RGMC) has been meeting regularly for the past two years. We now have an RGMC Transportation Sub-Committee that is also meeting on a monthly basis. We encourage the public to attend all of our meetings, but most of you should find the RGMC monthly meeting more relevant to your general information needs.
- b. **Meeting Schedules:**
  - o **RGMC Monthly Meeting: 26 March 2009, 3:30 PM to 5:00 PM**
  - o **RGMC Transportation Subcommittee Meeting: 24 March 2009, 4:00 PM to 5:30 PM**