

**HOWARD COUNTY BRAC TASK FORCE  
BRAC BIT #7**

**DATE:** 19 September 2008

**SUBJECT:** General Update

**POINT OF CONTACT:** Kent Menser (410-313-6521)

**DISCUSSION:**

**1. Howard County BRAC Task Force Monthly Updates:**

For the past two years, we have been holding a Howard County BRAC Task Force (TF) monthly update on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month. This is not a TF Meeting, but an update for our constituents. The next update will be on Wednesday, September 24<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM in the Howard County Gateway Building (5<sup>th</sup> Floor EDA Conference Room) in Columbia Maryland. Directions are attached. Call Raj Kudchadkar at 410-313-6376 if you have any questions.

**2. Fort Meade Growth Regional Growth Management Committee:**

The Department of Defense's Office of Economic Adjustment (OEA) approved a Transportation Coordinator Position for the Fort Meade Region. After a thorough hiring process, Mr. Jean Friedberg has been selected for the subject position and he will co-locate with the BRAC and Transportation Planners on Fort Meade. Call Kent Menser at 410-313-6521 if you have any questions.

**3. Fort Meade Regional Growth Management Committee Meets With Fort Meade Commander:**

On 18 September 2008, Bob Leib and Kent Menser, BRAC Regional Coordinators met with Colonel Thomas and selected members of his staff. The subject was the conduct of joint planning with the region where and when appropriate. The meeting was successful and we look forward to continuing our strong working relationship with the Fort Meade Community. Call Kent Menser at 410-313-6521 if you have any questions.