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Commissioners Frazier and Howard Visit Fort Meade

Westminster, MD, Thursday, June 14, 2018 – Today, Commissioner Dennis Frazier and Commissioner Doug Howard conducted a visit to Fort George G. Meade, a United States Army installation located in Anne Arundel County, Maryland to meet with George Matthews of the Army Transition Office to discuss retiring and relocating military personnel.

Fort Meade is a considerable asset for Maryland as the location includes, but is not limited to, the headquarters of United States Cyber Command, the National Security Agency, the Defense Courier Service, and Defense Information Systems Agency headquarters. Fort Meade currently has more than 50,000 employees, both service members and civilians.

Carroll County appreciates its regional assets and seeks to promote a relationship with Fort Meade that will create positive partnerships for both the installation and the county. The meeting today focused on three areas:

- Identifying ways to connect employees and families transitioning to Fort Meade to Carroll County
- Promoting economic development and business connections to Carroll County
- Discussing necessary infrastructure needs to assist Carroll County residents working at Fort Meade, including commuting and technology.

“Fort Meade represents an excellent opportunity as it is a tremendous resource and constantly growing,” Commissioner Howard said, “Carroll County’s attributes and outstanding quality of life make it well-positioned to provide a great community for employees and their families relocating to Ft. Meade.”

Commissioner Frazier added, “Our meeting today was excellent and I believe these conversations will ultimately promote more win-win partnerships, from possible residency to business development with the Fort Meade community.”

The commissioners delivered county promotional documents during their visit and discussed opportunities to partner in the future.

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