

Strategic Planning Retreat

Saturday, July 19, 2025 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Location

Banneker-Douglass-Tubman Museum 84 Franklin Street Annapolis, MD 21401

RSVP to Attend

Members of the public are invited to observe the meeting and asked to RSVP to LGBTOIA@maryland.gov at least 24 hours prior to the meeting

Agenda

10:00 AM - 10:05 AM	Land Acknowledgement - Commissioner Joe Toolan (he/him)
10:05 AM - 10:45 AM	Welcome and Overview of the Maryland Commission on African American History and Culture - Executive Director, Chanel Johnson (she/her)
10:45 AM - 11:30 AM	Soul Check - Chair Lee Blinder (they/them)
11:30 AM - 11:45 AM	Break
11:45 AM - 12:15 PM	State of the Commission, Key Accomplishments, Administrative Updates - Director Jeremy Browning (he/him)
12:15 PM - 1:00 PM	Lunch and Group Photo
1:00 PM - 1:30 PM	2025 Strategic Plan: Where We Are & Where We're Headed - Director Jeremy Browning (he/him)
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	What Comes Next: Cultivating Joy and Dreaming Big - Vice Chair M Pease (they/them)
2:30 PM - 2:45 PM	Break
2:45 PM - 3:30 PM	Bringing Big Dreams Into Focus: Project Spotlights and Collective Input - multiple facilitators
3:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Next Steps & Closing Remarks - Lee Blinder (they/them)

A portion of this meeting may be closed pursuant to General Provisions Art. § 3-305(b)