



## UPCOUNTY CITIZENS ADVISORY BOARD

### Meeting Summary May 16, 2016

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Mark Firley and introductions were done.

Approval of the meeting summary from April 18, 2016 was deferred until the next meeting.

**Update from the County Council-** none

**Update from Upcounty Regional Director** –Regional Director Catherine Matthews referred attendees to items in the most recent issue of the Upcounty Today! newsletter.

**Discussion:** “The Comprehensive Economic Strategy” - Ms. Lily Qi, of the County Executive’s office, presented an overview of the Strategy and the process. Upcounty Citizens Advisory Board member Pat Seals served on the community advisory group for shaping the initiative. The report is available at <https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/ep/comprehensiveES.html>.

**Chair’s Report** – none.

**Committee / Liaison Reports** – none.

**Community Concerns/Comments** – none.

The meeting was adjourned (motion by Kevin Linck and seconded by Arthur Edmunds).

*Board Attendance:* Dennis Barnes, Arthur Edmunds, Mark Firley, Darlene Kerr, Kevin Linck, Linda Moore, Robert Nelson, Tobi Printz-Planick, William Roberts, David Rosenbaum, Pat Seals, James Wallace, Kraig Wasleben, and Ian Weston.

*Additional Guests:*

*Staff:* Catherine Matthews and Chiffon Smith

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