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## **Calvert County to Host Meet-Up for Entrepreneurs to Pitch Business/Product Ideas**

**PRINCE FREDERICK, Md. – Oct. 2, 2017** – The Calvert County Department of Economic Development is hosting the October Southern Maryland Innovation and Tech (SMIT) Initiative Meet-up on Oct. 12, 2017 at 6 p.m. at Mully's Brewery located at 141 Schooner Lane in Prince Frederick. The October SMIT Meet-Up is an opportunity for technology businesses, start-ups and anyone interested in innovation to pitch ideas, network and learn about Southern Maryland organizations that support business growth and development.

During the event, entrepreneurs can enter the Startup Maryland bus and pitch their ideas or businesses in a mobile video studio. Those videos are immediately uploaded to YouTube for the public to view and vote on. In addition, attendees are invited to enjoy a facility tour and sample tastings from Mully's Brewery.

Approximately 10-15 Pitch Across Maryland video pitch slots are available for each tour stop, so space is limited. Registration for the Pitch Across Maryland competition is required to participate and to receive the free video after the competition. To register to pitch on the bus click [here](#), or visit [www.startupmd.org](http://www.startupmd.org). This year's SMIT Initiative Meet-up is a collaboration of Southern Maryland's entrepreneurial ecosystem partners, including the economic development departments from Charles, Calvert and St. Mary's counties and Maryland Technology Development Corporation (TEDCO).

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For additional information about the SMIT October Meet-up please contact the Calvert County Department of Economic Development at 410-535-4583. For information on Calvert County Government, visit [www.co.cal.md.us](http://www.co.cal.md.us) or like us on [Facebook](#).

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