# Vendor Information and Registration Packet

# 2023 Annual Meeting and Conference

May 14, 2023 to May 19, 2023

Ocean City Fontainebleau Resort 10100 Coastal Hwy (101st Street) Ocean City, Maryland 21842

MAEO, Make it Count

## **Memorandum**

**TO:** Business Partners

**FROM:** Maryland Association of Election Officials

**RE:** 2023 MAEO Annual Conference

The Maryland Association of Election Officials (MAEO) will hold their annual conference from May 14, 2023 to May 19, 2023 in Ocean City, Maryland at the Ocean City Fontainebleau Resort.

We are excited to offer your organization an opportunity to attend and display your products and/or services. Attending our conference is a perfect opportunity to market your products and services to the entire Maryland election community.

There will be approximately 350 attendees at the conference including state and local election office Directors, Deputy Directors, Board Members and key staff who responsible for purchasing supplies and services. Attendees are representatives from all 24 jurisdictions in Maryland and the State Board of Elections. We would be delighted to have your company showcase your products and services to us *every day of the conference*. The Welcome Reception and Vendor Trade Show that provides an opportunity to address all attendees will be held on May 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Please review this packet and register today!** To reserve a vendor space and/or sponsor an event, please complete the registration form located on the last page of this packet. Submit the completed registration with a check payable to MAEO to at the address listed on the registration form.

If you require any exhibit services including delivery, storage or electric, please complete an exhibitor service order form and send directly to the Hotel. **Vendor space will be assigned and prioritized on a level of sponsorship and first come/first serve basis. Space is limited**. Take a moment to register today! We hope to see you in May!

## **Vendor Sponsorship Opportunities**

Each level includes the listed number of registrations and meal packages for that level of sponsorship. For additional person(s), add \$500.00 per person. For example, if you select the Platinum level with 5 attendees, your total cost will be \$5,500.00.

#### **Platinum Level - Best Buy!**

\$5,000 due before COB March 24, 2023

#### Sponsorship includes:

- ➤ 4 conference registrations with 4 meal packages.
- 2 six foot tables and 4 chairs
- VIP booth selection in prime location during Welcome Reception, Trade Show and entire conference
- ➤ Full page advertisement with company logo in the conference book
- Opportunity to promote product or service to conference attendees

#### **Gold Level - Great Buy!**

\$4,000 due before COB March 24, 2023

#### Sponsorship includes:

- ➤ 3 conference registrations with 3 meal packages
- > 1 six foot table and 3 chairs
- Premium booth selection and location during the Welcome Reception, Trade Show and entire conference
- ➤ Half page advertisement with company logo in the conference book
- Opportunity to promote product or service to conference attendees

#### Silver Level

\$3,000 due before COB April 3, 2023

#### Sponsorship includes:

- ➤ 2 conference registrations with 3 meal packages
- > 1 six foot table and 2 chairs
- ➤ Participation in the Welcome Reception, Tradeshow and entire conference. Booth location may be on the lower level.
- Listing with logo in the conference book
- > Opportunity to promote product or service to conference attendees

#### **Bronze Level**

\$2,000 due before COB April 3, 2023

#### Sponsorship includes:

- ➤ 1 conference registration with 1 meal package
- > 1 six foot table and 1 chair
- ➤ Participation in the Welcome Reception, Tradeshow and entire conference. Booth location may be on the lower level.
- Listing in the conference book

Opportunity to promote product or service to conference attendees

## **Additional Sponsorship Opportunities**

A Sponsorship is in addition to vendor level registration. All sponsors will be permitted to place signage during the event. Sponsor name will be listed on attendee agenda for sponsoring the event. Partial sponsorships are also available. Contact the Conference Planner at <a href="mailto:rlavoie@baltimorecountymd.gov">rlavoie@baltimorecountymd.gov</a> if interested in a partial sponsorship or with questions regarding the events.

## **Booth Assignment**

Vendor booths will be assigned and **prioritized by level of sponsorship** and on a **first come/first serve basis.** No assignments will be made until after payment has been received.

Vendors may set up booths and equipment on May 15, 2023 after 10:00 am. Conference attendees are arriving Sunday evening and Monday morning. The Welcome Reception and Trade Show starts at 6:30 pm on Monday, May 15, 2023.

Breakdown of booths, etc. will occur after 5:00 pm on Thursday, May 18, 2023. All equipment must be removed by Friday, May 19, 2023 at 10:00 am.

#### **Advertising**

Can't make it in person this year? You can still have your company name and logo advertised by sponsoring an event or securing an ad in our conference book. There are many advertising opportunities. Contact Abigail at Abigail.goldman@baltimorecity.gov for more information or questions regarding advertisement.

# **Important Dates**

March 24, 2023April 3, 2023

Registration Deadline – Platinum and Gold Registration Deadline – Silver and Bronze

#### **Contact Information**

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**Advertisement -** Abigail Goldman <u>Abigail.goldman@baltimorecity.gov</u>

Office: 410.396.5570

**Registration and Payment -** Danna Archie-Williams, Treasurer

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# **Hotel Information**

Ocean City Fontainebleau Resort 10100 Coastal Hwy (101st Street) Ocean City, Maryland 21842

Room Reservations: 410.524.3535 or 800.638.2100

Access the conference schedule, hotel information and registration form is available at <a href="http://www.maeo.net">http://www.maeo.net</a>.



# **Maryland Association of Election Officials**

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# **VENDOR/SPONSOR REGISTRATION**

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	\$5000 RECEPTION – Networking or Welcome
	\$4000 AWARDS BANQUET
<u> </u>	\$3000 AFTERNOON BREAK
	\$2000 ENTERTAINMENT \$1000 MORNING BREAK
TOTAL ENCLOSED	
Submit registration and payme	Danna Archie-Williams, MAEO Treasurer c/o Baltimore County Board of Elections

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