

# Media Advisory

## Comptroller Franchot to Address NARFE Conference, Visit Three Prince George's County Businesses

*Tuesday afternoon stops in Riverdale Park include local pizzeria and pharmacy, and innovative recording studio owned by renowned musician*

**WHO:** Comptroller Peter Franchot

**WHAT:** Comptroller Franchot on Tuesday morning will be the keynote speaker at the annual Mini-Conference of the National Active and Retired Federal Employees of Maryland. His remarks will address Maryland's economy and issues affecting the organization, which represents approximately 300,000 federal employees and annuitants and more than 800,000 seniors 65 and older.

In the afternoon, the Comptroller will visit three businesses in Riverdale Park -- two community staples and one new entity -- to recognize their success and dedication serving customers. At Pizza Oven, he will present a proclamation to owner Brian Boileau for using quality, locally sourced ingredients and prioritizing customer service.

Next, Mr. Franchot will stop by East Pines Pharmacy, which has served local residents for more than a decade by filling specialty prescriptions and selling hard-to-find medical supplies and equipment. He will recognize owner Dr. Omotayo Awotunde and his staff for serving the needs of the community.

The Comptroller will wrap up his day at The Shed DMV/Capitol Percussion + Backline Rentals, where he will tour the new recording studio and musical instrument and supply rental company owned by

Jauvon Gilliam, the principal timpanist for the National Symphony Orchestra. The Shed DMV, located in the Discovery District at the University of Maryland, offers four studios designed to give artists a state-of-the-art place to create, collaborate, learn, teach, and grow.

**WHEN:** **Tuesday, May 3, 2022**

<b>WHERE:</b>	<b>9 a.m.</b>	<b>3:30 p.m.</b>	<b>4 p.m.</b>
	Comfort Inn	Pizza Oven	East Pines Pharmacy
	4500 Crain Highway	6029 66th Avenue	6003 66th Avenue, Ste.
	Bowie MD 20715	Riverdale Park, MD	201
		20737	Riverdale, Park MD
			20737

**4:45 p.m.:** The Shed DMV, 5650 Rivertech Ct. Ste. Q, Riverdale Park, MD 20737

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