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Comptroller Franchot to Present Schaefer Award to Project Waves in Baltimore City

Tour of Lexington Market also slated for Friday

WHO: Comptroller Peter Franchot

WHAT: Comptroller Franchot will spend Friday afternoon in Baltimore City, beginning with the presentation of the 2021 [William Donald Schaefer Helping People Award](#) to Project Waves. Founded in 2019, [Project Waves](#) leverages 35 local partnerships to provide free high-speed internet access to low-income residents in the city. To date, more than 1,500 residents now have internet access thanks to Project Waves..

The Comptroller next heads to [Cheese Galore and More](#), a renowned Federal Hill gourmet cheese and specialty shop. For more than a decade, owner Sharon Johnson has deftly guided foodies in cheese and wine pairings, while proudly carrying local products from coffee to craft beverages.

Finally, Mr. Franchot will tour [Lexington Market](#) with representatives from the Public Markets Corporation and CSM Ventures. He begins at [Faidley's Seafood](#) and will end with a preview of the newest addition to the currently under-construction market.

WHEN: Friday, April 22, 2022

WHERE:	3:30 p.m.	4:15 p.m.	5 p.m.
	Digital Harbor Foundation 1045 Light Street Baltimore, MD 21230	Cheese Galore and More 1125 S Charles Street Baltimore, MD 21230	Lexington Market 400 W Lexington Street Baltimore, MD 21201

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