



# Calvert County NEWS

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### Calvert County Department of Economic Development Receives National Recognition for Promotional Items

**PRINCE FREDERICK, Md. – November 3, 2009** – The Calvert County Department of Economic Development is pleased to announce receipt of several awards in literature and promotions from the Northeastern Economic Developers Association (NEDA). The awards were conveyed at the 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual Conference that took place at the Hyatt Regency in Philadelphia, Pa., September 20 – 22, 2009.

The county received the following commendations:

<u>Score</u>	<u>Product</u>
Excellent	Calvert County Visitor Guide and Calendar of Events
Superior	Patuxent Wine Trail Ad Campaign
“Best of Class”	Patuxent Wine Trail Brochure
“Best of Class”	Calvert Prospector Web site
Merit	Internet Home Page ( <a href="http://www.ecalvert.com">www.ecalvert.com</a> )
Merit	Calvert County Collector’s Coin

NEDA is a membership organization that promotes professional economic and industrial development throughout the Northeastern United States, enabling its members to strengthen their local and regional economies and enhance overall quality of life. NEDA champions effective, innovative economic development practice, and is the Northeast’s strongest professional

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resource for economic developers. Through NEDA membership, economic development practitioners, officials and volunteer leaders develop and perfect their development tools, network with others in the field and partner regionally to do the work of economic development.

For more information on the Calvert County, Md., Department of Economic Development and the services available to assist County businesses, call 410.535.4583, 800.331.9771 or 301.855.1880; send an e-mail to [info@ecalvert.com](mailto:info@ecalvert.com), or visit online at [www.ecalvert.com](http://www.ecalvert.com).

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*Calvert County is Maryland's smallest county in land area with 213 square miles. It is home to over 90,000 people and has one of the highest standards of living in Maryland. There are more than 4,000 businesses in the County and a labor force of at least 1.8 million resides within a one-hour drive. Major industries include defense contracting, information technology, tourism, utilities, light manufacturing and administrative services.*