

CHAMBER NEWS

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CHAMBER NEWS

Board Member Spotlight

Chairman Of the Board

Eric Fletcher

Senior Vice President, Chief Strategy Officer
Mary Washington Healthcare



Why did you join the Board?

I initially engaged with the Chamber as a Fellow in the Leadership Fredericksburg (LF) program in 2011. LF is such an outstanding program that I sought out the opportunity to remain connected by serving on the LF Advisory Committee, where I would ultimately serve as the chair. This was another great experience with the Chamber, as are so many Chamber programs and initiatives. Eventually, when the chance to become a board member presented itself, I was honored to accept the invitation.

[Learn More About Eric Here](#)

Marketing Madness Award Voting Here!

Vote Now!

Marketing Madness awards for excellence in marketing, social media, and communications over the past year. Please vote for the Chamber Member you feel has shown excellence in the following categories: **Best Use of Social Media**, **Best Website**, **Best SWAG**- Giveaways and promotional products, **Best Branding**- Website, Ad Design, Colors, logo, and social media.



31st Annual Chamber of Commerce

Gala Award Finalist

FREDERICKSBURG REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

AWARDS GALA

FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 2022

The Fredericksburg Regional Chamber of Commerce is pleased to announce the finalists for the 31st Annual Awards & Gala: a Roaring Good Time, being held April 8th at the Fredericksburg Expo Center at 6:30pm. “The Gala is a night of tremendous celebration for our area’s business community,” said Susan Spears, President & CEO. “As the engine that makes our region run, it is important to spotlight on businesses and community leaders and thank them for all they do.”

The Chamber recognizes local businesses for excellence in the categories of Small Business of the Year, Large Business of the Year and Entrepreneur of the Year. This year’s finalist are:

Small Business of the Year

Discover Next Step

Stafford Printing

Tulip Salon & Spa

Large Business of the Year

Flatter Inc.

Quarles Petroleum

Truist

Entrepreneur of the Year

Debby Girvan – Flair

David Fraser – Fraser Wood Elements

Camile Sue – The Icing Baking Co.



Google reviews are an important part of your business.

There is an easy way to generate a link to send to customers for reviews.

[**click here to learn how**](#)



GOV'T AFFAIRS



Last Monday members of our Legislative Affairs Committee held its first meeting of 2022 to discuss policy and what's happening in the Spotsylvania County region with Kevin Marshall, Berkeley District Supervisor of Spotsylvania County.



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MEMBER EVENTS



City VINO & fte
AN FTE SIGNATURE SERIES

VOICES & VINES

A MARCH MADNESS
WINE-TASTING AND
MUSICAL CABARET

MARCH 18 & 19 8PM
HUSKINS COMMUNITY THEATRE
810 CAROLINE STREET / TOP FLOOR

\$30 PER PERSON
TICKETS & INFO
WWW.FREDTHEATRE.ORG
21 & OVER ONLY

March 18-19

Voices and Vines, City Vino Blind Tasting and Musical Cabaret

March 22nd

Germanna Community Conversation: Chris Haley and Dr.

GERMANNA
COMMUNITY
CONVERSATIONS

CHRIS HALEY &
DR. CHARLES CHAVIS
KUNTA KINTE'S
'ROOTS' IN
SPOTSYLVANIA
MARCH 22 • 6:30 P.M.



**Charles Chavis – Kunta Kinte's
'Roots' in Spotsylvania**

March 23rd

***Let the Music Speak • History of
Gospel Concert Featuring: Land of
Promise Choir***



April 13th

Stafford Social for Success

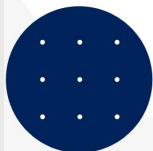


Presented by: Froehling & Robertson

Ian will be providing updates on large transportation projects in the region. He will also be discussing the FAMPO East-West Mobility Study and other FAMPO projects.

April 13, 2022
11:30 - 1:00 p.m.

Register at :
bit.ly/AprilACES



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FREDERICKSBURG
REGIONAL ALLIANCE
AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MARY WASHINGTON



IAN OLLIS
Director of Transportation
Planning with FAMPO

- • • April 13th
- • • ACES Luncheon
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NEWS & PRESS RELEASES

***Cushman & Wakefield | Thalhimier reports the following recent
lease transactions in the Fredericksburg area***

The Fredericksburg Regional Chamber is proud to now offer its members the additional opportunity to categorize their business based on their owner's demographic attributes. Choosing these additional new categories will help prospective customers find your businesses on the Chamber's online business directory. It also will provide a resource for all Fredericksburg Regional Chamber members looking to diversify their source of suppliers and vendors. There is no additional charge for these new categories and Chamber members will retain the industry-specific category listing for their business.

These categories include the following:

African American/Black Owned • Asian American Owned • Disabled Owned
Hispanic/Latino Owned • LGBTQ+ Owned • Native American Owned
Service Disabled Veteran Owned • Veteran Owned • Woman Owned

Please contact stacey@fxbgchamber.org directly if your business would like to be listed under these new categories.

2022 CHAMBER
VISIONARIES



Mary Washington Healthcare



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