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Montgomery County Chamber of Commerce Launches Green Business Initiative

ROCKVILLE, MD – The Montgomery County Chamber of Commerce today announces the launch of a Green Business Initiative to bring together member businesses committed to workplace excellence and environmental stewardship.

“Our members are leading the way in integrating high environmental standards into their strategic plans and day-to-day operations.” said Georgette “Gigi” Godwin, President and CEO of the Montgomery County Chamber of Commerce. “They are eager to share their experience with other members, which led to creating the Green Business Initiative.”

The Chamber is establishing a Green Business Resource Center at the Chamber Web site: <http://www.montgomerycountycommerce.com/> and will present more events and speakers.

“Our members sincerely believe that green business can improve their competitive advantage and that the Chamber is an effective way to reach out to other businesses sharing the same philosophy,” Godwin added.

About the Montgomery County Chamber of Commerce

The Montgomery County Chamber of Commerce serves its business membership by providing members with the opportunity to connect with one another and by advocating for an improved local and Maryland-wide business climate through effective legislative and political action.

The Chamber has more than 600 business members, ranging from Fortune 500 multinationals to sole proprietorships. The current Chairman of the Board is Edward Hall Asher, President and COO of the Chevy Chase Land Company. For more information about the Chamber, visit <http://www.montgomerycountycommerce.com>.