



CALVERT COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

175 Main Street
Courthouse
Prince Frederick, Maryland 20678
Phone: (410) 535-4583 • (301) 855-1880
<http://www.ecalvert.com>

Director
Linda S. Vassallo

Board of Commissioners
Gerald W. Clark
Linda L. Kelley
Wilson H. Parran
Susan Shaw
Barbara A. Stinnett

News Release

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Date: | May 12, 2009
Contacts: Danita Boonchaisri, Marketing/Communications Specialist
410.535.4583 E-mail: danitab@co.cal.md.us

Mark Volland, Public Information Specialist
410.535.4583 E-mail: vollanrm@co.cal.md.us

SeaScapes Expands in North Beach

PRINCE FREDERICK, Md. – May 12, 2009 – Nearly three years after opening her home accent and gift store, Lisa Payne has taken SeaScapes to the next level by relocating to a larger space on 7th Street in North Beach. “I went from 950 square feet to 1,450 square feet and now have a better location for my inventory and for my customers to enjoy,” she says.

“Now that I’m located in an actual house, my customers can see the accent items, furniture and decorations that I sell arranged how they might use them in their own homes. I also have a garden, which of course adds a special charm, but which also allows me to sell garden items as well,” she said. The building, located in the heart of North Beach, once housed Second Chance Consignment and The Menagerie and comes with parking in the rear.

Payne says the styles in her shop range from classical to contemporary – all with a nautical style appropriate for the seaside town of North Beach. “Because I’m now in a larger space, I’m able to expand my line to include more furniture, art and home accessories while still focusing on home accents with a coastal flair,” she said.

SeaScapes offers home furnishings for those who are creating a new space as well as those who want to refresh an existing living space. The store also provides gift certificates and custom-made gift baskets and will host after-hours events allowing shoppers to view new items and

~ more ~

SeaScapes Expands in North Beach

May 12, 2009

Page 2

shop in privacy. Beginning in June and going through the summer, they will participate in North Beach's "First Fridays" featuring later hours, discounts, light hors d'oeuvres and special promotions. Art and jewelry shows featuring local artists will be held monthly with details and times provided on the Web site.

Join the staff of SeaScapes Home Accents and Gifts at their open house on Saturday, May 16, at 4105 7th Street, North Beach, Md. For more information, contact Lisa Payne at 410.286.2755 or visit online at www.seascapeshome.com. Hours are Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Sundays, noon to 5 p.m.

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, or visit online at www.ecalvert.com.

###

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 5,000 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.