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STATE HERITAGE AREA FUNDING COMES TO MONTGOMERY COUNTY

The Heritage Tourism Alliance of Montgomery County (Heritage Montgomery) is pleased to announce the local recipients of FY 2018 Maryland Heritage Areas Authority (MHAA) State grant funding:

Glen Echo Park Partnership for Arts & Culture, Glen Echo
\$59,628 capital grant for restoration of the 1921 Dentzel carousel

Montgomery County Historical Society, Rockville,
\$10,000 project grant for wayfinding signage and a new brochure

Heritage Montgomery
\$100,000 Management Grant for operating support.

For the last 20 years, the MHAA has supported projects in communities throughout Maryland that emphasize our state’s cultural heritage and contribute to local economies through tourism.

Heritage Montgomery, one of 13 Maryland State Heritage Areas, has brought over \$2 million to Montgomery County projects since 2004. Dedicated to promoting and supporting county history, culture, and nature, Heritage Montgomery continues its strong commitment to bringing state dollars to many important local projects and encouraging economic development through local tourism.

The grant round for FY 2019 MHAA Grants will begin in early spring 2018. For more information on Heritage Montgomery and grant opportunities, visit <http://heritagemontgomery.org>.

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