



# *Douglas R. Barry* for House of Delegates

District 40

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Election Day – June 24, 2014

## *What Do You Want For Your Community?*

**The 40<sup>th</sup> District** in Maryland is made up of many diverse communities, but as I've gone around and met many of our residents, I've learned that we all have many common concerns. The path we are currently on is not working for our district or for our city. The landscape of our city was once dotted with corporate headquarters and manufacturing centers, but not anymore. The jobs those businesses gave to Maryland have been replaced with service industry jobs that pay a lot less. As we lose higher paying jobs, many of our neighborhoods suffer. Thousands of houses in the city are boarded up. Car break-ins, burglaries and cell phone theft have become common.

**We cannot improve the quality of life in Maryland without changing the legislature.** Our current legislature has driven corporate and manufacturing jobs to Virginia, Delaware and Pennsylvania. They have allowed government agencies to waste billions of our tax dollars with no accountability. They have raised taxes and fees over and over again to pay for the mismanagement of the budget. And we have Delegates that only communicate with the public in election years.

**I want to know what your concerns are.** As your Delegate, I will always have multiple lines of communication open with the citizens of our district. I will be proactive in looking for ways to help our communities. I will go through our district block by block to determine what we need to do to improve the lives of all of our residents. On my website, I have many of my proposals to fix the problems our city and state face today, and I will continually work with you to find new ideas to improve our communities.

**Learn about me and view my vision for  
Baltimore and Maryland at [www.DougBarry.org](http://www.DougBarry.org)**

Feel free to save this to your computer and to e-mail to other concerned voters.

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### **MY PLEDGE TO VOTERS**

- I will have an office and phone number that can be contacted year round
- I will respond to all requests made by my constituents
- I will be visible in my district my entire term, not just election years
- I will work to make government run more efficiently, starting the day that I am elected, and work to pass savings back to our citizens
- I will work to remove barriers to private investment, and to make it easier to do business in Maryland, to bring more jobs into the State
- I will work to bring new industries and technologies into Maryland
- I will help Maryland compete with states trying to lure businesses away
- I will work to prepare students for 21st-century careers
- I will take a comprehensive approach to crime & safety, including shifting our priorities to more dangerous criminals and repeat offenders, and providing opportunities that will keep people away from criminal behavior
- I will keep my district and the public informed of everything I am doing in Annapolis, and why I'm doing it

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