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The County & The Capital **Mercer County Partnerships Driving Economic Opportunity**

Trenton, NJ – County-led partnerships in Trenton are a growing economic engine. On Wednesday, May 6, 2026 the Kiwanis Club of Trenton welcomes Anthony Carabelli, Jr., Director of the Mercer County Office of Economic Development, to learn more about these partnerships and how they are having an impact on the Capital City. All are welcome to attend the program, which begins at noon in Leonardo’s II Restaurant, 2021 Brunswick Pike, Lawrenceville, NJ 08648. Please RSVP to mccormicknj@aol.com by May 5, 2026. Lunch will be available off the menu for \$20.

The County’s Office of Economic Development provides financing incentives, Foreign Trade Zone status and an extensive variety of other programs to spur development in Mercer County and its Capital City. Mr. Carabelli has served as the Director since 2018, and is also a member of the Hamilton Township Council. He holds a Master of Arts degree from The Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies, with studies in Washington, DC, and Bologna, Italy, and a Bachelor of Science degree from Georgetown University’s School of Foreign Service in Washington, DC.

Founded in 1918, the Kiwanis Club’s programs have supported children’s services, community events and, since 1955, the Kiwanis Camp Fund, which has raised over \$2 million for summer camp experiences for Trenton children. In addition to the ongoing Camp Fund, current Kiwanis initiatives include Heritage Week, a celebration of America’s 250th birthday with programming from July 4 – 8, 2026 as well as “Vision Trenton,” a collaborative community effort to stimulate economic redevelopment by promoting Trenton’s extensive historic assets.

For more information or to RSVP contact Mike McCormick at mccormicknj@aol.com or call (609) 208-9991.

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