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**MDOT MTA TO MARK PURPLE LINE MILESTONE AT
GLENRIDGE OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE FACILITY**

Ceremony for the Signing of Final Beam Scheduled for Tuesday

- WHAT:** A ceremony to mark the signing of the final beam will be held, signifying completion of the framework, or topping out, of the Glenridge Operations and Maintenance Facility (OMF).
- WHEN:** 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, July 30, 2019
- WHERE:** Glenridge Operations and Maintenance Facility.
West side of Veterans Highway (Route 410),
between Riverdale Road and Annapolis Road,
Riverdale, MD 20737
- WHO:** Maryland Department of Transportation Maryland Transit Administration (MDOT MTA)
Purple Line Transit Partners
Purple Line Transit Constructors
- WHY:** The beam ceremony represents a significant milestone for the Purple Line project. The 170,000-square-foot OMF is the primary facility for the operation and maintenance of Purple Line trains. It will support regular maintenance of rail cars, including vehicle washing and repair and re-fabrication of running gear and electronic train control systems. The facility will house the Purple Line Operations Control Center, which will have state-of-the-art train control and monitoring systems.

* Proper steel toed/composite toed boots are required to enter the site. Some Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), including hard hats and vests may be provided onsite. Please call Media Contacts above for additional information.

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