

MARYLAND HORSE PARK USER SURVEY

The Maryland Stadium Authority, in conjunction with the Maryland Department of Business and Economic Development and the Maryland Horse Industry Board (a division of the Maryland Department of Agriculture), is conducting a feasibility study for a proposed Maryland Horse Park.

The feasibility study will include the preliminary site plan and design for the proposed facility. As a part of the study, we are interested in getting input from prospective user groups with respect to:

- location of the facility
- proposed facility features (i.e., number and type of show rings, etc.)
- amenities (i.e., food, lodging, services) both on-site and off-site
- expected nature and frequency of uses of the facility

A Request for Nomination of Properties, which includes a description of the contemplated uses and basic features of the Horse Park has been sent to counties and municipalities throughout the State, and can be reviewed on www.marylandhorsepark.com. Please complete this survey and email to: horsepark@marylandhorsepark.com or fax to: (410) 841-5999.

Thank you in advance for your participation:

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Name of Organization _____

Name/Title _____

Address _____

Telephone _____ e-mail _____

Organization Information:

Number of members _____ Residence of members _____

Types of riding activities/types of equine goods/services _____

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urrent facilities your organization uses: _____

How often would your organization use a new Maryland Horse Park? _____

Which proposed features would be used: _____

How many participants at each event? _____ How many spectators? _____

What would your organization like to see in a Maryland Horse Park? _____

What geographic location is most convenient to your organization? _____

Features Your Organization Would Use (please comment on design feature and proposed size/number)

5,000 seat enclosed arena _____ Outdoor ampitheature (competition, festival, tradeshow, concerts) _____

Six to twelve outdoor show rings _____ 500 or more stalls _____

Boarding facilities for horses _____ hounds _____

Steeplechase course _____ Polo fields _____ Cross country course _____

Jousting _____ Driving/carriage course _____

Campground (amenities; capacity) _____

Museum _____ Gift Shop _____

Business offices _____ Auction pavilion _____

Conference rooms _____ Educational facilities _____

Parking (car, trailer, RV) _____

Training track _____

Retirement (equine) _____ Visitors Center _____

Food service: Full commercial kitchen _____

banquet/catering _____ snack bar _____

Other _____

Desired Off-Site Amenities (please comment)

Restaurants _____ Hotels _____

Campgrounds _____ Other recreational _____

If you are an equine goods/service provider, would you be interested in leasing office or retail space at such a facility? _____

If yes, nature and amount of space. _____

If yes, please identify _____

Do you think a Maryland Horse Park would be a benefit to the Maryland Horse Industry? _____
