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U.S. Sen. Chris Coons, DEDO Director Alan Levin, & SBA Mark Beach Season's Start with Rehoboth Small Business Walking Tour

U.S. Sen. Chris Coons, Alan Levin, Director of the Delaware Economic Development Office (DEDO), and SBA Delaware Director John Fleming will conduct a small business walking tour/small business owner meet-and-greet in the boardwalk-area commercial district in Rehoboth Beach on Monday, April 14, 2014, starting at 10:00 AM. The tour marks the unofficial start of beach season in the First State while spotlighting SBA resources that can help small businesses start and grow. The tour will include stops at Rehoboth Toy & Kite Company, Mariachi Restaurant, Modern Mixture Restaurant and Ambrosia Restaurant.

Businesses on or near the tour route are welcome to step out and ask questions. Also, businesses are welcome to visit with SBA's Delaware District Director, John Fleming, at Ambrosia following the tour from 1:00 – 3:00 PM. Mr. Fleming will be available to answer any questions and provide information on SBA programs and services. This event is open to the press.

APRIL GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING – SPEAKER CHANGE – SENATOR COONS

The Chamber has scheduled a joint **General Membership/Green Force Meeting** for Tuesday, **April 22, 2014** in celebration of Earth Day. Due to Senator Carper's schedule change, the guest speaker will be U.S. Senator Chris Coons. Following remarks by Senator Coons, the Chamber's Young Professionals Group will present the Clean the World initiative. Clean the World is a non-profit organization that partners with hospitality businesses to collect, recycle and distribute lightly used soap, shampoo, and other hygiene products to communities worldwide including homeless shelters in the United States. For more information or to get involved in the Clean the World program check out cleantheworld.org or call Clay Serman at 302-236-7326. The luncheon will begin at noon at Kings Creek Country Club in Rehoboth Beach. The cost is \$16 per person; the buffet will include chicken parmesan, sweet Italian sausage with peppers & onions, penne pasta with tomato basil sauce, Caesar salad, and a dessert assortment. Seating at the meeting is limited, so reserve your spot now by contacting Joy at 302-227-6446 or joy@beach-fun.com.

For a complete Calendar of Events, visit the Chamber website - www.beach-fun.com. If you have questions, please give Carol a call on the member hotline- 227-6446, or her cell phone at 542-7547.