

MAY 2024

BOOMTOWN BEAT

Welcome back to the Boomtown Beat where you can find the very latest on our DocuFilm project "BOOMTOWN":



On April 18, the Producers hosted the premiere of our BOOMTOWN movie trailer @ Warehouse Cinemas in Frederick, MD. In attendance were the who's who of Frederick.

Rick Weldon, Director of the Frederick County Chamber of Commerce and Chris Haugh, legendary Frederick historian hosted the evening. Honorees included Rich Daughtridge, Founder of Warehouse Cinemas, George Delaplaine long-time newspaper Publisher, Ron Young (former Mayor), Don Linton (original Rebel) Marlene Young, President of the Delaplaine Foundation, Will Randall, Richard Griffin, Director of Economic Development, Dave Ziedelis, Director of Visit Frederick, Kara Norman, Director of Downtown Frederick Partnership, William Cochran (legendary Public artist), YEMI, Kristen Wojdan, Publisher Frederick Lifestyle Magazine, Richard Belles, Owner of Agave 137 Tequila Bar & Cellar Door, Nezhil Pistar, owner Pistarro's, Mike Peters, owner Archai Media, Tad Janes, Director of the MET and Mary Mannix, legendary Frederick historian among many others. It was a packed theater representing the very best of Frederick ... and exactly what the Producers had hoped for –a gathering of some of the most influential change-makers in the land—largely responsible for the economic revitalization of Downtown Frederick.



VIEW THE 2 MINUTE TRAILER HERE

Just recently, Money Magazine named Frederick "A New Boomtown" and one of the top 50 cities to live in the U.S. so the timing of the release of our trailer and Film later this year has great relevance.

<https://www.fox5dc.com/news/maryland-city-makes-moneys-2024-list-of-50-best-places-to-live-in-us?>

The Producers are currently taking the month of May to focus on securing more financing before resuming production in June. Continue to follow us as we begin casting for Claire McCardell, Amos Brown, Ron Young, Helen Smith, David Bork, Peggy Pilgrim, Don Linton and Ed Waters among many other historic Fredericktonians. Keep posted and follow the Beat. This is going to be quite a journey ... **Cheers, Salyer**