

Media Advisory

Comptroller Franchot to Unveil New State Vendor Payment Database on Monday Virtual News Conference

***Maryland Vendor Information Electronic Warehouse
(MD-VIEW) provides greater transparency of state
payment information***

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WHAT

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Comptroller Franchot on Monday will debut his agency's transparent, easy-to-use, online portal that enables users to view state payments to vendors that can be disclosed by statute.

The virtual news conference will feature a demonstration of the new system, dubbed the Maryland Vendor Information Electronic Warehouse (MD-VIEW), which can be accessed via the Comptroller's website at www.MarylandTaxes.gov. Visitors will be able to see how and when the state issues payments to vendors and contractors, as well as other details included in the searchable database.

The portal improves government transparency by displaying payment information, giving vendors the ability to know if and when the state has paid a prime contractor. MD-VIEW is accessible to anyone, it does not require account logins or passwords and it is free to use.

WHN: **Monday, February 28, 2022**

11:30 a.m.

WHER [**Comptroller of Maryland Facebook Page**](#)

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****Media who have questions during the virtual news conference should email Susan O'Brien at the email listed below or send a private message to the Comptroller of Maryland Facebook page.**

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