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## Carroll County Government

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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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## Law Day Activities at Carroll Senior Centers

Westminster, Thursday, April 14, 2016 – In honor of Law Day, the Carroll County Bureau of Aging & Disabilities is partnering with local attorneys to provide 45 minute appointments on Monday, May 2, 2016, at several Senior Centers. During these appointments, you will receive assistance with developing a Living Will and/or Medical Power of Attorney. Appointments are limited; you must call and schedule your appointment. We are sorry, but walk-ins will not be seen during this event.

Westminster Senior Center  
125 Stoner Avenue  
Westminster, MD 21157  
Call 410-386-3850

South Carroll Senior Center  
5928 Mineral Hill Road  
Eldersburg, MD 21785  
Call 410-386-3700

North Carroll Senior Center  
2328 Hanover Pike  
Hampstead, MD 21074  
Call 410-386-3900

Mt. Airy Senior Center  
703 Ridge Avenue  
Mt. Airy, MD 21771  
Call 410-795-1017

Taneytown Senior Center  
220 Roberts Mill Road  
Taneytown, MD 21787  
Call 410-386-2700

A Living Will Declaration sets forth your desires concerning particular types of medical treatment you do or do not want to receive if you become unable to communicate your own medical care decisions. The Living Will Declaration allows you to make decisions about life-sustaining procedures in three situations: when death from a terminal condition is imminent despite the application of life-sustaining procedures; a condition of permanent unconsciousness called a persistent vegetative state; and an end-state condition, which is an advanced, progressive, and incurable condition resulting in complete physical dependency.

A Medical Power of Attorney authorizes your designated Health Care Agent to speak for you and make health care decisions based on what you would want. The Medical Power of Attorney is effective only if you are unable to make health care decisions for yourself.

## CARROLL COUNTY

The Americans with Disabilities Act applies to the Carroll County Government and its programs, services, activities, and facilities. Anyone requiring an auxiliary aid or service for effective communication or who has a complaint should contact The Department of Citizen Services, 410.386.3600 or 1.888.302.8978 or MD Relay 7-1-1/1.800.735.2258 as soon as possible but no later than 72 hours before the scheduled event.

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