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## Resources Available for Laid Off Federal Employees

FREDERICK, MD – A new web page launched today on the Frederick County Government website – **[FrederickCountyMD.gov/Federal](https://FrederickCountyMD.gov/Federal)** – which provides information and links to resources available for federal employees who are affected by downsizing at their agencies. Over 4,500 Federal employees live in Frederick County.

“A sudden drastic reduction of the Federal workforce could affect thousands of Frederick County residents, as well as many small businesses that contract with Federal agencies,” County Executive Jessica Fitzwater said. “Fortunately, our community partners offer resources to help during this difficult time. If you or someone you know is struggling as a result of federal layoffs, the information on the county website may help.”

The web page provides information on where to find assistance with food, medical and health care needs, payments for utilities, employment and other financial relief.

The resource list will be updated as new information becomes available.

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