

THE ROUSE COMPANY

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Re: NOVEMBER 6 - BALTIMORE AREA
CORPORATE COUNSEL CELEBRATION

Dear Mr. Lapayowker:

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On October 22, the Board of Directors of the American Corporate Counsel Association will formally approve the establishment of the Baltimore Chapter. The Chapter will serve as a focal point for activities by in-house counsel in Baltimore and throughout the surrounding area.

Please join us at The Center Club Thursday evening, November 6, to celebrate the official establishment of the Baltimore Chapter. This is a special opportunity to meet other in-house counsel over cocktails and hors d'oeuvres. The enclosed invitation provides additional details.

I look forward to seeing you on the 6th! We especially appreciate the sponsorship of the West Group for this event.

Sincerely yours,



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