



LASOS was created in 2009, to make a difference in Harford County for the non-native English-speaking residents. Our goals are to:

- 1) By December 2022 97.9% of 100 non English-speaking residents surveyed reported an overall increase in their personal and professional growth as a result of participation in LASOS activities.
- 2) By December of 2022, 99.3% of 50 community businesses and residents surveyed reported and overall decrease in the cultural and language barriers experienced during assimilation
- 3) By December of 2022, 99.1% of 50 Harford County businesses and families surveyed reported an overall increase in level of community engagement as a result of participation in LASOS activities and services.



Did you know?

In 2023 LASOS had achieved...

Engagement:

- 19,211 Members
- 315 volunteers
- 99% referral of new volunteers
- Over 12,349 walk ins / virtual appointments for resources
- 1,043 translation requests

Education:

- 79% showed an increase of 1 language level
- 17% increased 2 language levels
- 820 hours of English Instruction
- 207 participants
- 100% increased leadership and academic skills
- 1425 hours of youth mentoring
- 843 students
- 114 peer mentors
- 9 people are now literate
- 67 earned a better position at work
- 12 people are now US Citizens



Quality of Life:

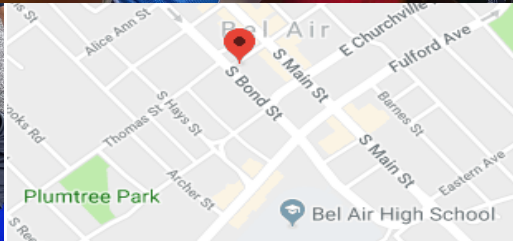
- 99% of 500 people surveyed reported:
- 100% improved professional skills
 - 100% improved personal skills
 - 100% improved English skills
 - 98.2% satisfaction with services

Community Involvement:

- 163 children attend summer programming
- 68 participate in youth leadership
- 21 girls participate in a female empowerment group

Community Partnerships:

- 96 community organizations have become "Friends of LASOS"
- 53 community businesses have invested in our work at LASOS



Find out how you can help!

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