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## Maryland Public Television to air one-hour programming block featuring prospective Baltimore Orioles owner David Rubenstein

#### MPT invites viewers to get to know Rubenstein with back-to-back shows on February 15

**OWINGS MILLS, MD** – <u>Maryland Public Television</u> (MPT) will air a one-hour block of programming on Thursday, February 15 to acquaint viewers with David Rubenstein, the Baltimore-native businessman, philanthropist, and investor who is leading the group currently in the process of purchasing the Baltimore Orioles Major League Baseball franchise.

The half-hour MPT special *In Person with David Rubenstein* will air at 7 p.m. It will be followed by a premiere of the latest episode of the PBS series *History with David Rubenstein* at 7:30 p.m. Both programs will be available to watch on MPT-HD and the MPT live stream, which can be found at <u>mpt.org/livestream</u> and on the free <u>PBS App</u>.

#### **PROGRAM INFORMATION**

#### In Person with David Rubenstein – February 15, 7 p.m. (rebroadcast from 2021)

Baltimore born and raised, David Rubenstein is an author, TV host, legendary businessman, and philanthropist. His rise from a student at Baltimore's City College to White House aide to billionaire global investor took patience, hard work, and a dash of good luck. In this 30-minute MPT special, viewers join Rubenstein and former Maryland Secretary of Commerce Michael Gill at the Maryland State House for a one-on-one discussion about Rubenstein's upbringing in Charm City, his search for the right career, and keys to his success.

*In Person with David Rubenstein* is also available to stream on-demand for free using the <u>PBS App</u> and MPT's online video player at <u>video.mpt.tv/video/in-person-with-david-rubenstein-ch8oqs/</u>.

#### History with David Rubenstein: Marie Arana – February 15, 7:30 p.m. (episode premiere)

Through in-depth conversations, David Rubenstein illuminates the work of some of the nation's most renowned scholars and public figures as well as the subjects of their scholarship. In this episode, prizewinning author Marie Arana joins Rubenstein to discuss the heritage and history of the United States' fastest growing and least understood community: Latinos.

Previous episodes of the weekly series *History with David Rubenstein* are available to stream on-demand using the <u>PBS App</u> and MPT's online video player at <u>video.mpt.tv/show/history-david-rubenstein/</u>.

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