



## Great Seneca Science Corridor – Reappoint Implementation Advisory Committee

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### Description

Reappointment of the Implementation Advisory Committee (IAC) for the 2010 *Great Seneca Science Corridor Master Plan*.

### Staff Recommendation

Approve reappointment of *Great Seneca Science Corridor Master Plan* Implementation Advisory Committee members.

### Background

County Council Resolution #16-1325 approving the Great Seneca Science Corridor Master Plan (approved and adopted June 2010) included the following requirement for establishing an advisory committee:

*The Planning Board must establish an advisory committee of property owners, residents, and interested groups (including adjacent neighborhoods in Gaithersburg and Rockville), with representation from the Executive Branch, the City of Rockville, and the City of Gaithersburg that are stakeholders in the redevelopment of the Plan area – to evaluate the assumptions made regarding congestion levels, transit use, and parking. The committee’s responsibilities should include monitoring the Plan recommendations, monitoring the CIP and Growth Policy, and recommending action by the Planning Board and County Council to address issues that may arise, including, but not limited to, community impacts and design, and the status and location of public facilities and open space.*

Since 2010, members of the GSSC IAC have reviewed and provided input on a variety of development plans in the Life Sciences Center district of the Great Seneca Science Corridor Master Plan; provided feedback and guidance on the Design Guidelines for the LSC Loop Trail; and reviewed and provided input on the GSSC section of the Biennial Master Plan Monitoring Reports for 2013, 2015, and 2017. All of the members recommended for reappointment are continuing their service on the IAC. Many of these members have served on the IAC since its inception. Staff would like to express thanks for the contributions of all past members of the GSSC IAC, and gratitude for those who have agreed to serve new terms.

Staff recommends that the Planning Board approve the following people to serve a two-year term on the GSSC IAC beginning in January 2019:

**GSSC Implementation Advisory Committee Membership January 2019 - December 2020**

Marilyn Balcombe, Pres./CEO, Gaithersburg-Germantown Chamber of Commerce, IAC Co-Chair

Phil Usatine, Washingtonian Woods HOA, IAC Co-Chair

Art Slesinger, Darnestown Civic Association

David McDonough, Johns Hopkins Real Estate

Eddie Rose, Alexandria Real Estate Equities

Jane Briggs, Director of Facilities and Planning, Universities at Shady Grove

Manisha Tewari, Principal Planner, Community Planning and Development Services, City of Rockville

Tim Newell, Newell and Associates, representing the Banks Farm heirs

Rob Robinson, Long Range Planning Manager, City of Gaithersburg

Lisa Cline, Resident Representative, Washingtonian Woods Community

Amy Donin, Redevelopment Program Manager, Office of Planning and Development, MCDGS

Gary Erenrich, Special Assistant to the Director, MCDOT

Larry E. Walker, President, The Walker Group on behalf of Adventist Health Care

Jeff Weber, Resident Representative, The Homes at Fallsgrove