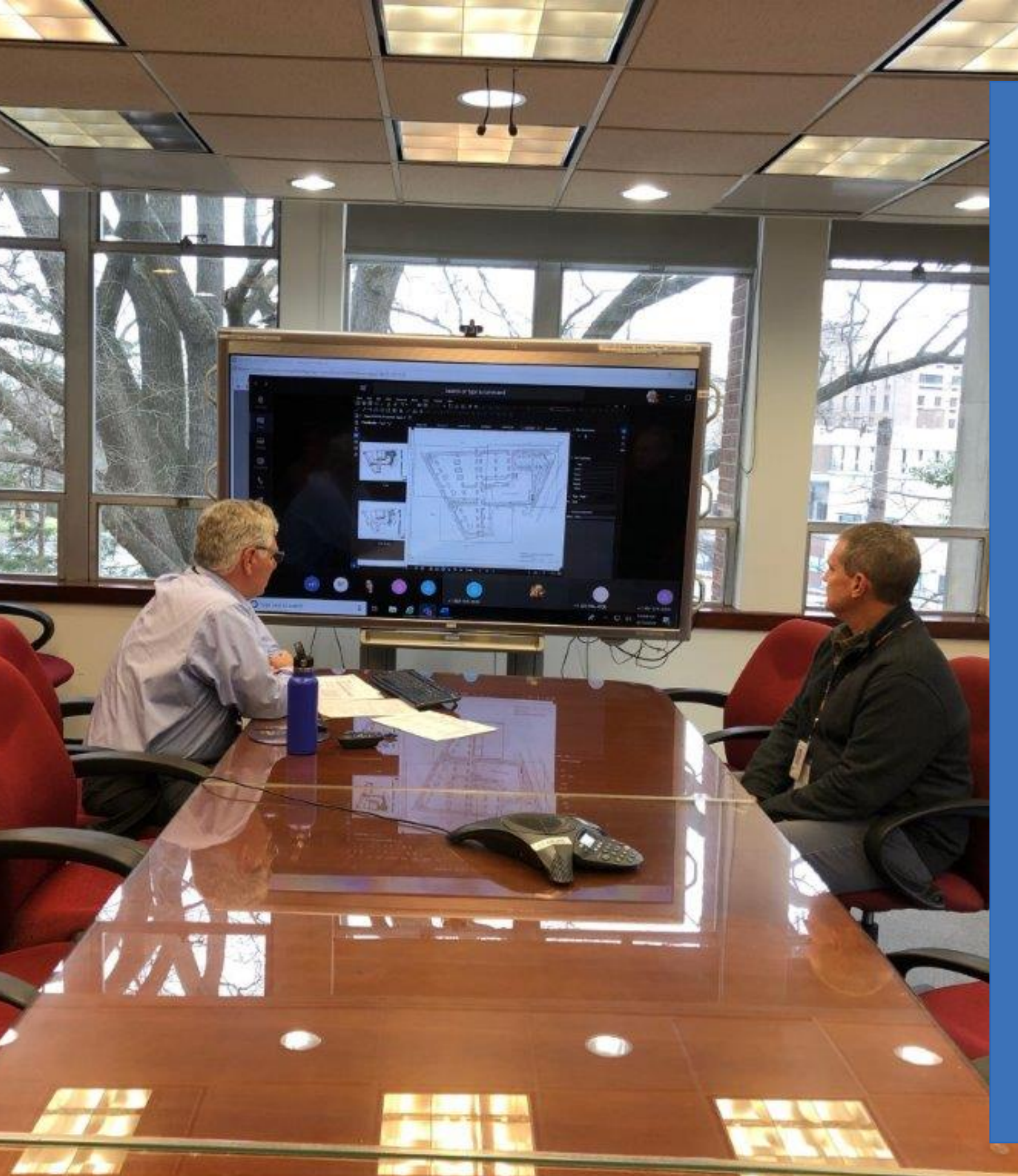
An aerial photograph of a city landscape. In the foreground, there's a grassy area and a road. The middle ground features a dense cluster of multi-story brick buildings, likely residential or commercial. To the right, a multi-lane highway with traffic is visible. The background shows more trees and distant city structures. A large blue rectangular overlay is positioned in the center, containing white text and a logo.

Montgomery Planning

Spring 2020 Semiannual



“ Development Review Committee Virtual Meetings

“We wanted to acknowledge the amazing efforts of the Planning Department over the past few weeks to keep the development review process moving. Because of your efforts, Montgomery County is THE leader among the regional jurisdictions to keep the process moving during these times... You all deserve a great deal of credit for your fortitude to find solutions during these challenging times. This enables all of us to do our part to keep the economy turning.”

– **Dusty Rood (President & CEO of Rodgers Consulting)**

Development Review Applications

New Applications Submitted

March 16 th to March 20 th	Total for this week = 16 new applications
March 23 rd to 27 th	Total for this week = 16 new applications
March 31 st to April 3 rd	Total for this week = 10 new applications
April 6 th to April 10 th	Total for this week = 18 new applications
April 13 th to April 17 th	Total for this week = 13 new applications

New Reviews Assigned


These are after the applicants submit the application form and after they have done the initial document upload

March 16 th to March 20 th	Total for this week = 15 new reviews
March 23 rd to 27 th	Total for this week = 20 new reviews
March 31 st to April 3 rd	Total for this week = 12 new reviews
April 6 th to April 10 th	Total for this week = 18 new reviews
April 13 th to April 17 th	Total for this week = 21 new reviews

Virtual Public Meetings

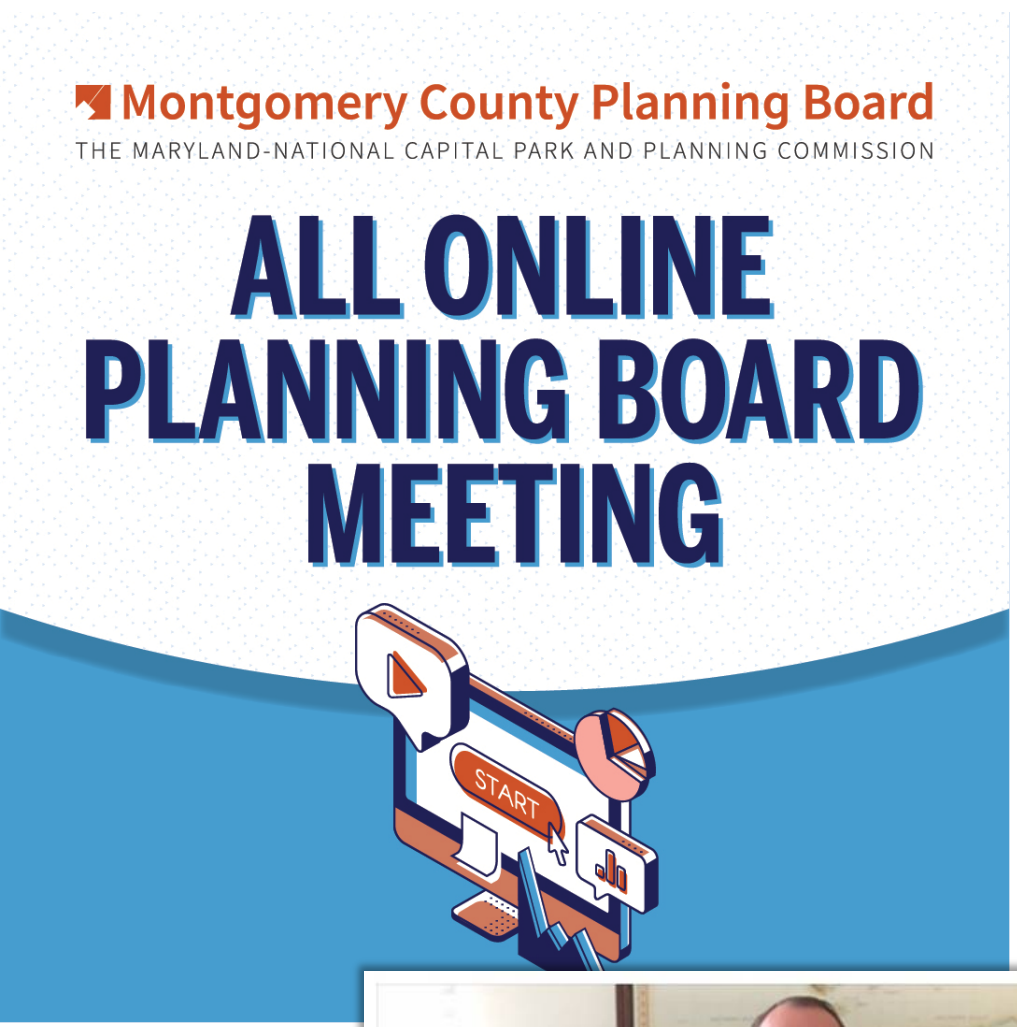
 4 Planning Board Meetings

 35 Speakers for Public Testimony

 2 Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Full Commission Meetings

 1 Historic Preservation Committee Meeting

*As of April 20, 2020



External Coordination

Organizations / Agencies that we are coordinating with virtually:

NAIOP; Department of Permitting Services; MC Department of Transportation; the National Capital Planning Commission.



Planning's Role in Supporting Economic Activity and Helping the COVID-19 Recovery Effort

Plans

- Thrive Montgomery 2050
- Subdivision Staging Policy Update
- Corridor Forward Plan: I-270 Transit Plan
- Silver Spring Master Plan
- Great Seneca Science MMA
- Fairland/Briggs Chaney Plan
- Takoma Park Minor Master Plan Amendment





Planning's Role in Supporting Economic Activity and Helping the COVID-19 Recovery Effort

Studies

- International Retail Study
- Housing Needs Assessment
- Preservation of Affordable Housing Study
- Purple Line Walkshed/Job shed analysis with PLCC
- Advancing the Pike District



Thrive Montgomery 2050 Upcoming Online Meetings

Pints with a Planner

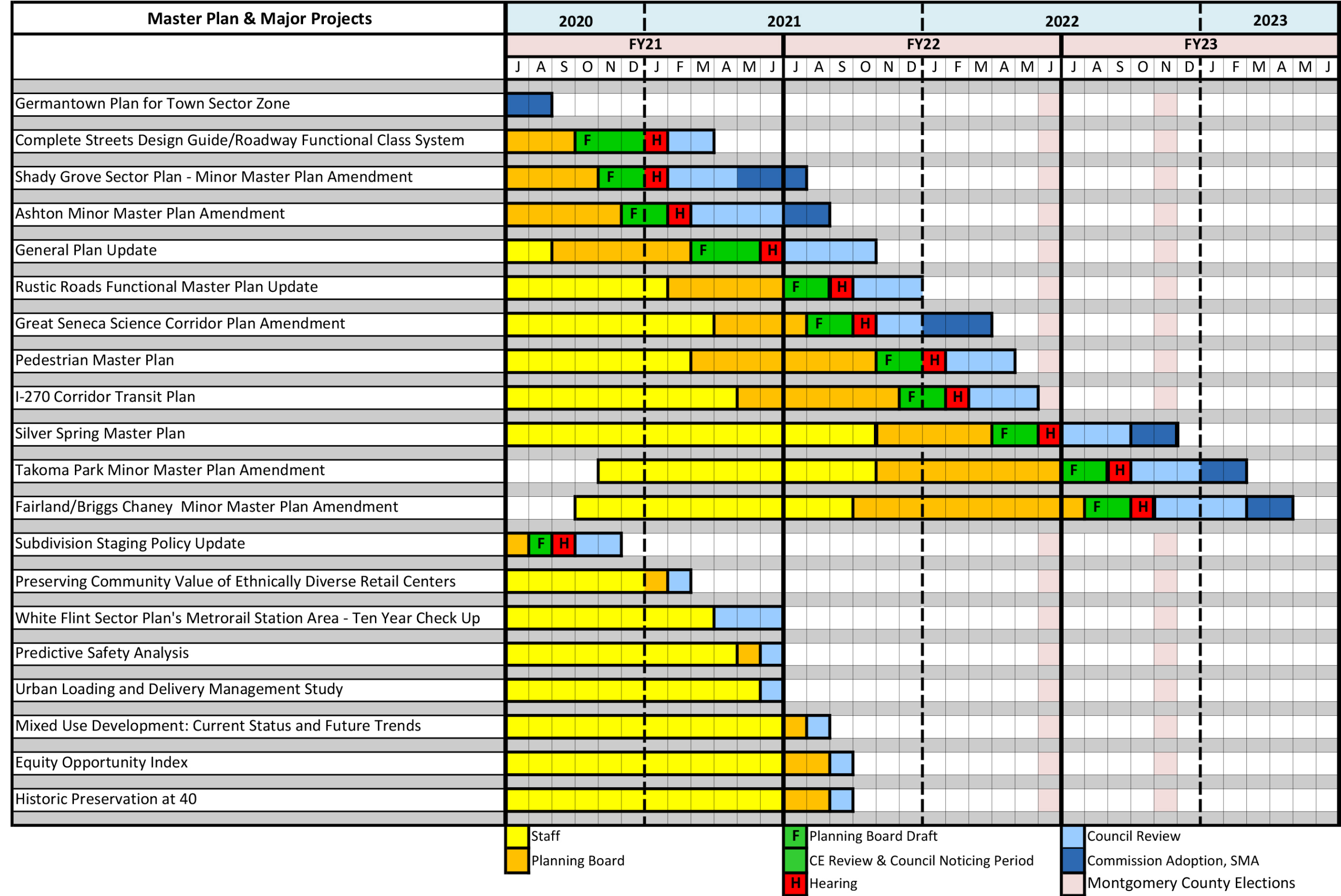
- Tuesday, April 28 from 5-6 p.m.

Ask Me Anything

- Wednesday, Friday May 15 from 8-9 a.m.
- Monday, May 18 from 12-1 p.m.
- Wednesday, May 20 from 7-8 p.m.
- Saturday, May 23 from 2-3 p.m. (Spanish)



FY21 Proposed Master Plan and Major Projects Schedule





2020 Spring Semiannual Presentation



COVID-19 Communications



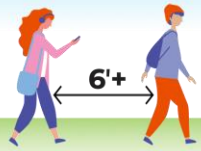
March 23, 2020

COVID-19: Be Smart. Do Your Part.

If you do go to our parks or trails to exercise, use extreme caution.



Do not participate in team or contact sports.



Respect the Radius:
Keep six feet or more between you and others at all times.



Do not touch any surfaces or playground equipment.



We discourage gathering in parks. It is **illegal** to gather in groups of ten or more.

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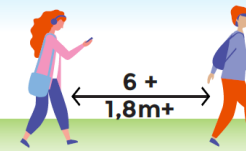
23 de marzo, 2020

COVID-19: Sea Responsable. Haga Su Parte.

Si acude a nuestros parques o caminos para hacer ejercicio, tenga extrema precaución.



No participe en deportes de equipo ni deportes de contacto.



Respecte la distancia:
Mantenga al menos seis pies de distancia entre usted y los demás en todo momentos.



No toque ninguna superficie y evite contagios y no toquen ninguna superficie.



No aconsejamos las reuniones en los parques. Es **ilegal** reunirse en grupos de diez o mas.

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Our parks are open but please:

- ▶ Do not gather in groups of more than 10 or get closer than six feet from other people.
- ▶ Do not touch any surfaces that are likely to be touched by other people.
- ▶ Refrain from using playground equipment.
- ▶ Do not participate in activities involving physical contact or sharing of equipment.

Nuestros parques están abiertos, pero por favor:

- ▶ No se reúnan en grupos de más de 10 personas y mantenga una distancia de 6 pies entre cada persona.
- ▶ No toque ninguna superficie que pudo haber sido tocado por otras personas.
- ▶ Absténgase de usar los equipos de juegos.
- ▶ No participe en actividades de contacto físico ni comparta ningún tipo de equipo.



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301-495-2595

By Authority of M-NCPPC
Por Autoridad de M-NCPPC

Our trails are open, but please:

- ▶ Avoid crowds
- ▶ Keep six feet between you and others
- ▶ When passing, call out "on your left"



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Nuestros caminos están abiertos, pero por favor:

- ▶ Evite las multitudes
- ▶ Mantenga al menos seis pies de distancia entre usted y los demás
- ▶ Antes de pasar, vocee "a su izquierda"

By Authority of M-NCPPC
Por Autoridad de M-NCPPC

Opening Parkways & Exploring Parks from Home



March 30, 2020

COVID-19: Be Smart. Do Your Part.

Sligo Creek Parkway • April, Friday to Sunday

Sections Closed: Piney Branch Road to Maple Avenue, Maple Avenue to Old Carroll Avenue
Closed to vehicles • Open for pedestrians

6' + 6' + 6'

Respect the Radius:
Keep six feet or more between you and others at all times.

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Are you looking for educational activities to do with your family from home? Our naturalists and facility staff have come up with fun, educational activities and we have compiled a list of them below.



Looking for more activities?

For more activities, visit our Nature Center and Facilities Facebook pages listed here:

[Agricultural Farm History Park](#)

[Black Hill Nature Programs](#)

[Brookside Gardens](#)

[Brookside Nature Center](#)

[Cabin John Ice Rink](#)

[Locust Grove Nature Center](#)

[Meadowside Nature Center](#)

[Needwood Mansion](#)

[Wheaton Ice Arena](#)

[Woodlawn Manor Cultural Park](#)

Closure: Sligo Creek Parkway

University Boulevard to Forest Glen Road
Friday 9 am to Sunday 6 pm

Distance: 1.5 miles

April 8, 2020

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Trails and Vision Zero



April 1, 2020

COVID-19: Be Smart. Do Your Part.

Take the trail less travelled.
Exercise on our 250+ miles of trails.
bit.ly/MoCoTrails

Stay six feet or more from others at all times.

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Capital Improvement Program

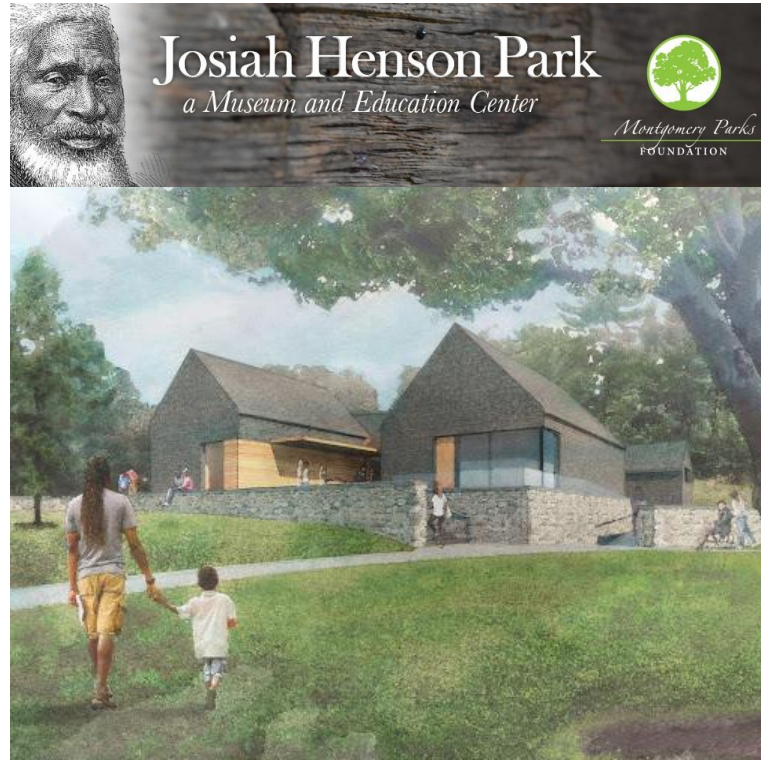


Acquisition

- Legacy Urban Space
- Westbard Urban Recreational Park
- Wheaton Urban Recreational Park
- Veteran's Park Civic Green

Development

- Maydale Nature Center
- Josiah Henson Museum
- Park Refreshers
- Capital Crescent Civic Green



ADA & Volunteer Numbers

