Oakland Mills Village Center Redevelopment Feasibility Study

Presentation to:

Oakland Mills Community Association Village Board May 10, 2016

Agenda

- Who We Are
- County Role in Study
- Purpose of Study
- History and Background
- Future Use of Study

Who We Are

Lead Department: Planning and Zoning (DPZ)

- Key Staff:
 - Kristin O'Connor Mazerski, Chief, Division of Comprehensive and Community Planning (DCCP)
 - Kate Bolinger, Planner, DCCP

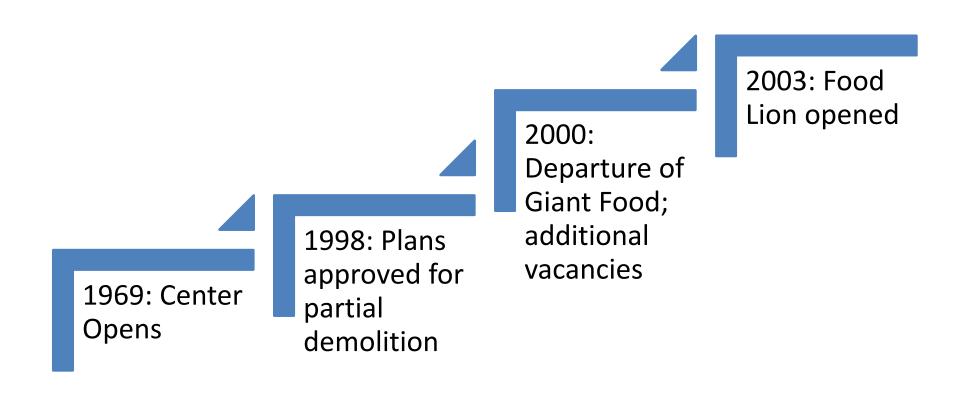
County's Role in Study

- Solicit proposals and select consultant
- Collaborate with Columbia Association as client partner
- Secure meeting venues and publicize meetings
- Host webpage for project
- Review consultant work products

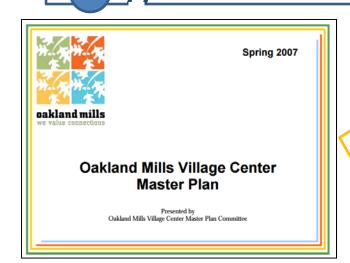
Purpose of the Study

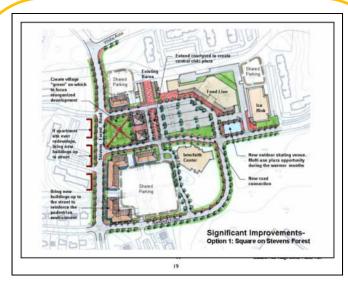
- Assess revitalization potential for Oakland Mills Village Center
- Understand market and financial feasibility
 - Alternative anchor(s) and other future uses
 - Repositioning of Village Center relative to Downtown Columbia, Blandair and other villages
- Visualize concepts and ideas
 - Bubble diagrams

Milestones in Village Center History

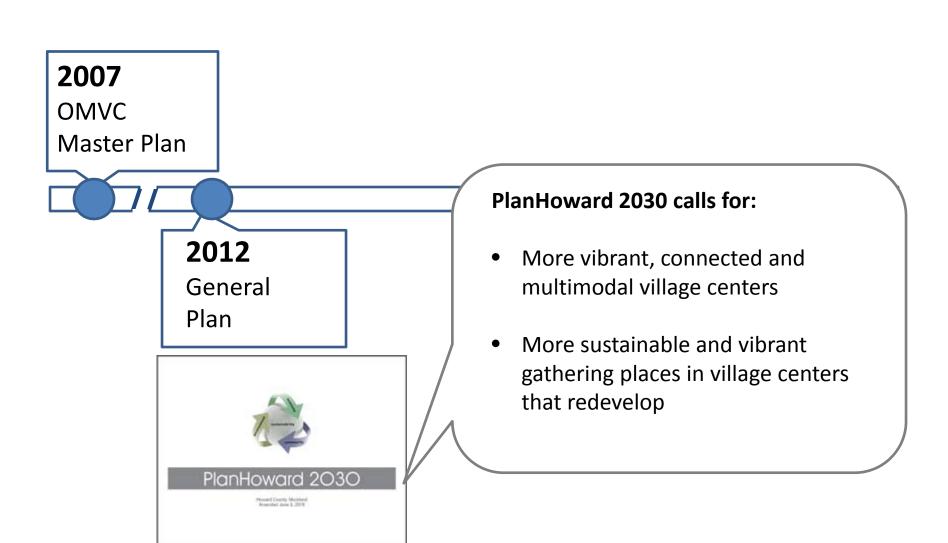


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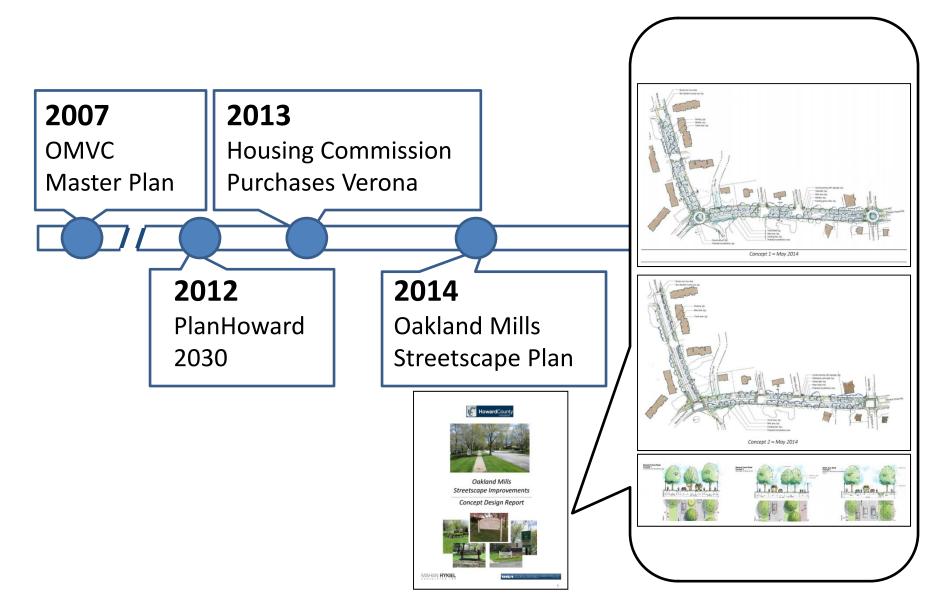
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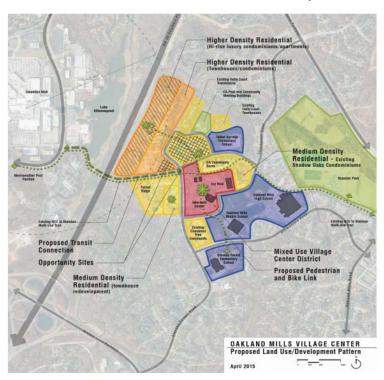






Vision Statement:

OMVC will become a true destination with a clear identity that is cohesive and well planned, supports thriving businesses, and serves as a real center of community life.

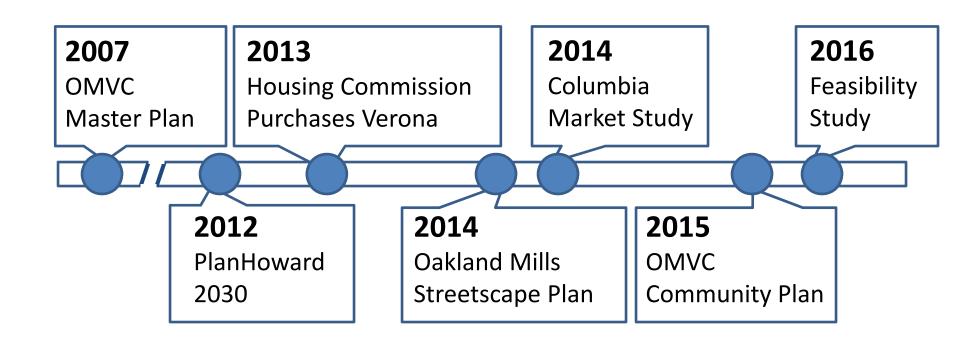


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Future Use of the Feasibility Study

- County will review, in collaboration with Columbia Association, potential next steps depending on report conclusions:
 - Policy, regulatory or other necessary changes
 - Incentives or tools to entice reinvestment
- County is looking forward to moving revitalization forward, and looking for synergies with the recently announced RENEW Howard program