

County Executive

of

Howard County, Maryland

Executive Order: 2019-06
Dated: June 13, 2019
Subject: Creating the Ellicott City
Master Plan Advisory
Team

WHEREAS, after the devastating flooding that occurred on July 30, 2016, the County began the process of preparing a watershed master plan for the greater Ellicott City area which included the creation of a master plan advisory team by Executive Order in May of 2017; and

WHEREAS, the devastating flooding that occurred on May 27, 2018 interrupted the master planning process; and

WHEREAS, the term of the master plan advisory team ended in November of 2018; and

WHEREAS, County Executive Ball has developed new approaches to flood mitigation through the Safe and Sound plan; and

WHEREAS, the Master Plan for Ellicott City and the Tiber-Hudson Watershed is being restarted to define a comprehensive, community-driven vision for rebuilding a stronger and more resilient community; and

WHEREAS, the County views the creation of a new Master Plan Advisory Team as integral to the process to create the Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED, that that the Ellicott City Master Plan Advisory Team is created.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that the charge of the Ellicott City Master Plan Advisory Team shall be to advise the master plan process, provide input at key intervals during the process, and serve as a liaison to the community.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that the Ellicott City Master Plan Advisory Team will provide a local understanding of the broader issues concerning the Ellicott City watershed and will promote public involvement during the development of the Plan and share information with their community groups and networks.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that the following individuals are appointed to serve on the Ellicott City Master Plan Advisory Team:

1. Ben Barlow
2. Rob Brennan
3. Tom Coale
4. Simon Cortes
5. Barry Gibson
6. Alicia Jones-McLeod
7. Debbie Slack Katz
8. W. Edward Lilley
9. Lori Lilly
10. Gary Maule
11. Beth Woodruff

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that the Ellicott City Master Plan Advisory Team shall cease to exist on December 2, 2020 and the terms of the Ellicott City Master Plan Advisory Team members shall expire on December 2, 2020.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Calvin B. Ball, as County Executive of Howard County, Maryland have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of Howard County to be affixed this 13 day of June, 2019.



Calvin B. Ball
County Executive

