

# Bicycle Advisory Group Meeting



November 17, 2020

Howard County Office of Transportation  
3430 Court House Drive, Ellicott City, MD 21043

3:00 p.m.

Held via WebEx



Howard County  
OFFICE OF TRANSPORTATION

# Responsibilities of the Bicycle Advisory Group



1. Advise and inform the Office of Transportation on transportation matters
2. Provide additional subject matter expertise to the Office of Transportation
3. Provide feedback and technical assistance on the implementation of master plans and other initiatives and policy issues

# Review and Approval



1. Today's Agenda
2. September 15, 2020 Minutes

# Key Topic: FY 2022 Capital Budget Development

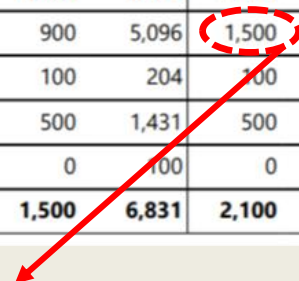


## Fiscal 2021 Capital Budget

## SIDEWALK PROJECTS

### Project: K5066-FY2014 BICYCLE PLAN PROJECTS

(In Thousands)	Five Year Capital Program									Master Plan				
	Prior Appr.	FY2021 Budget	Appr. Total	Fiscal 2022	Fiscal 2023	Fiscal 2024	Fiscal 2025	Fiscal 2026	Sub Total	Fiscal 2027	Fiscal 2028	Fiscal 2029	Fiscal 2030	Total Project
PLANS & ENGINEERING	1,370	200	1,570	200	100	200	100	0	600	0	0	0	0	2,170
LAND ACQUISITION	310	200	510	200	100	200	100	100	700	0	0	0	0	1,210
CONSTRUCTION	3,651	1,100	4,751	1,700	2,200	1,800	800	800	7,300	0	0	0	0	12,051
ADMINISTRATION	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EQUIPMENT & FURNISHINGS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>5,331</b>	<b>1,500</b>	<b>6,831</b>	<b>2,100</b>	<b>2,400</b>	<b>2,200</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>8,600</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15,431</b>
BONDS	4,196	900	5,096	1,500	1,800	1,600	1,000	900	6,800	0	0	0	0	11,896
DEVELOPER CONTRIBUTION	104	100	204	100	100	100	0	0	300	0	0	0	0	504
GRANTS	931	500	1,431	500	500	500	0	0	1,500	0	0	0	0	2,931
PAY AS YOU GO	100	0	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100
<b>Total Funding</b>	<b>5,331</b>	<b>1,500</b>	<b>6,831</b>	<b>2,100</b>	<b>2,400</b>	<b>2,200</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>8,600</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15,431</b>



\$1.5 million of FY22 County Funding split between:  
 \$825k for K5066 and \$675k for N3963 (paving of Patuxent Branch Trail)

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<b>Bike Infrastructure Projects, FY 21 and FY22 Proposed</b>	<b>Budget Area</b>
Cedar Lane Pathway	K5066
North Laurel Connections signage and pathway project	K5066
Dobbin Road Pathway	K5066
Robert Fulton Drive Shared-Use Path	K5066
BLP/MD 32 Park-and-ride access improvements	K5066
Road Diet Projects (Oakland Mills Rd, Tamar Drive, Columbia Road)	K5066
Route 1 Safety Projects	K5066
Countywide Bicycle Wayfinding	K5066
North Chatham Road Contraflow Bike Lane	K5066
Misc. signage, stencilling, storm drain grates, etc	K5066
South Entrance Trail	T7107
Clarksville Pike Streetscape	T7108
Surface Upgrade for the Patuxent Branch Trail	N3963
Sanner Road Bike Lanes	J4230
<b><i>*Projects in green need construction funding from grants</i></b>	

# Business from Last Meeting



1. HCPD – Police awareness/training on policy of citation of aggressive drivers when video submitted by bicyclists
2. DPW – Micro surfacing
3. DPW – Recommendation for markings through intersections
4. Rec and Parks and CA – Slippery bridges
5. Recs and Parks – Bike Rest Stops

# Brief Updates



1. Legislation prohibiting parking in bike lanes (CB49-2020) – passed; effective December 7
2. Complete Streets
  - ✦ Completion of *Community Engagement Plan* and Transportation Improvement Prioritization System (TIPS)
  - ✦ Presentation to County Council, November 9
  - ✦ Design Manual due by October 2021
  - ✦ [Website](#) - now includes links to Complete Streets projects
3. Police Department
  - ✦ Some locator signage on pathways displaced; relocation in process

# Brief Updates (continued)



## 4. CA Pathways mobile app

- ✦ Discontinued

## 5. 108 and Shepard Lane Design

- ✦ River Hill Board has a Webex meeting scheduled with County Thursday 11/19/20 at 7pm



# Brief Update: BAG



## 1. **BAG membership**

### ○ Required by County Code

- ✦ Howard County Student, selected by Voices for Change
- ✦ Howard County Student, selected by the Howard County Association of Student Councils

### ○ At the discretion of the OoT Administrator

- ✦ Representative for retailers within Howard County

## 2. **BAG chair and vice-chair**

- ✦ Two-year terms

# Upcoming Events



## **2020**

- Virtual Transportation Town Hall, November 18 at 6pm
- E-Scooter Sharing Permit Award – Mid-December (with mid-March operational start)

## **2021**

- Phase 3, General Paratransit fare increase, January 1
- Reinstating RTA fares, January 2
- Annual *BikeHoward* Open House (virtual), Jan/Feb

# Open Discussion



**Among BAG Members**

# Adjournment



**Next meeting  
January 12, 2021  
at 3:00 PM**

**Thank you for attending**