

AGENDA ITEM #6  
January 16, 2018

**Overview & Public Hearing**

**MEMORANDUM**

January 12, 2018

TO: County Council

FROM: Marlene Michaelson, Senior Legislative Analyst

SUBJECT: Overview and Public Hearing: Energized Public Spaces Functional Master Plan

On January 16, the Council will receive an overview and hold a public hearing on the Energized Public Spaces Functional Master Plan. This Plan is a functional master plan that offers a comprehensive approach for creating parks and open spaces in the parts of the County where most people live and work. It proposes a methodology to identify and prioritize open space and park needs in relationship to population and the existing supply of park amenities.

**Councilmembers may wish to bring their copy of the Plan to the meeting.**

The Planning Board Draft Energized Public Spaces Functional Master Plan can be viewed at:

[https://www.montgomeryparks.org/uploads/2017/09/2017\\_eps-fmp.MCPB\\_DRAFT.pdf](https://www.montgomeryparks.org/uploads/2017/09/2017_eps-fmp.MCPB_DRAFT.pdf).

The Planning, Housing, and Economic Development (PHED) Committee is tentatively scheduled to review the Plan on January 29, 2018.