

Gaithersburg Library Renovation -- No. 710300

Category
Subcategory
Administering Agency
Planning Area

Culture and Recreation
Libraries
General Services
Gaithersburg

Date Last Modified
Required Adequate Public Facility
Relocation Impact
Status

May 14, 2009
No
None.
Planning Stage

EXPENDITURE SCHEDULE (\$000)

Cost Element	Total	Thru FY08	Rem. FY08	Total 6 Years	FY09	FY10	FY11	FY12	FY13	FY14	Beyond 6 Years
Planning, Design, and Supervision	2,827	128	986	1,713	920	60	419	314	0	0	0
Land	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Site Improvements and Utilities	3,522	0	500	3,022	0	0	2,357	665	0	0	0
Construction	16,775	0	741	16,034	0	0	8,919	7,115	0	0	0
Other	2,630	0	379	2,251	0	0	1,345	906	0	0	0
Total	25,754	128	2,606	23,020	920	60	13,040	9,000	0	0	0

FUNDING SCHEDULE (\$000)

Current Revenue: General	481	0	400	81	81	0	0	0	0	0	0
G.O. Bonds	24,863	128	2,116	22,619	519	60	13,040	9,000	0	0	0
State Aid	410	0	90	320	320	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	25,754	128	2,606	23,020	920	60	13,040	9,000	0	0	0

DESCRIPTION

This project calls for a major renovation and redesign of the Gaithersburg Library, a 33,730 square foot structure located at 18330 Montgomery Village Avenue and opened in 1981. Renovation of this facility will include replacement of HVAC, lighting, electrical, plumbing, security, fire alarm, communications, roof, and windows; reconfiguration of the library interior including a 6,130 square foot addition for expansion of the children's room; redesign of bathrooms to meet accessibility requirements, masonry work to correct on-going cracking of the exterior walls, re-paving of the parking lot and other site work; and replacement of furniture. The project includes the cost of temporary facilities for the duration of construction.

JUSTIFICATION

The Department of Public Libraries Strategic Facility Plan identified the Gaithersburg Library for renovation in 2001, 20 years after it opened to the public. The library continues to be the busiest in the County with a circulation of more than one million items and about 700,000 visits by the public each year. Staff offer more than 300 public programs per year and the meeting rooms are booked by more than 100 groups per month.

OTHER

The County Council requested that the Executive review the Program of Requirements for this library to take into consideration community demographics, the space and programmatic needs for the library, and any limitations associated with the current site. Any changes proposed as a result of the review may ultimately affect the costs and schedule for this project.

The County Executive approved a model that would add a total of 22,456 gross square feet to the building. This will include a partial second floor with 7,500 gross square feet that will hold the elevator, meeting rooms, mechanical rooms, storage, and a satellite office of the Gilchrist Center. The remaining space will be added to the main level of the current structure along the front, back and sides without impacting the number of current parking spaces.

FISCAL NOTE

Project schedule amended to reflect current implementation plan.

OTHER DISCLOSURES

- A pedestrian impact analysis has been completed for this project.
- The Executive asserts that this project conforms to the requirements of relevant local plans, as required by the Maryland Economic Growth, Resource Protection and Planning Act.

APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURE DATA

Date First Appropriation	FY07	(\$000)
First Cost Estimate	FY07	13,457
Current Scope		
Last FY's Cost Estimate		25,754
Appropriation Request	FY10	60
Supplemental Appropriation Request		0
Transfer		0
Cumulative Appropriation		3,654
Expenditures / Encumbrances		986
Unencumbered Balance		2,668
Partial Closeout Thru	FY07	0
New Partial Closeout	FY08	0
Total Partial Closeout		0

COORDINATION

M-NCPPC
Department of General Services
Department of Technology Services
Department of Permitting Services
Department of Public Libraries
Upcounty Regional Services Center
WSSC

Special Projects Legislation was approved
May 25, 2006 (Bill No. 11-06)

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