

Resolution No.: 16-1175
Introduced: October 27, 2009
Adopted: November 3, 2009

**COUNTY COUNCIL
FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND**

By: Council President at the Request of the County Executive

SUBJECT: Montgomery County's Application to the State of Maryland's Community Legacy Program for a Grant for the Burtonsville, East County, Community Legacy Area

Background

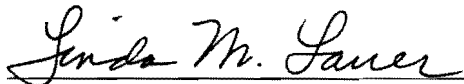
1. The State of Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development (MDDHCD), has established the Community Legacy Program.
2. The Community Legacy Program is a part of the Smart Growth initiative designed to promote local revitalization efforts in support of older neighborhoods and business districts; and to promote vibrant places for Marylanders to live and prosper.
3. The Community Legacy Program provides funding to support local communities and their nonprofit partners with programs located within designated priority funding areas.
4. Montgomery County is committed to revitalization of older neighborhoods and business districts.
5. The Burtonsville, East County, Community Legacy Area is within a designated priority funding area under Section 5-7B-02 of the Smart Growth Act and the projects conform to local zoning.
6. Commercial building façade improvements, gateway signage and greenspace are projects which are included as a part of the Community Legacy Plan for Burtonsville.
7. The County Executive and County Council support the grant application of Montgomery County for \$300,000 for the Burtonsville, East County, Community Legacy Area and approve the use of the funds for commercial building façade improvements (\$125,000) and gateway signage/greenspace (\$175,000). This support is given as specified in COMAR 05.17.01.05A(3).

Action

The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland approves the following Resolution:

Montgomery County supports the County's application for grant funding from the State of Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development's (MDDHCD), Community Legacy Program for the Burtonsville, East County, Community Legacy Area and approves the use of the grant funds for commercial building façade improvements and gateway signage/greenspace projects included as part of the Community Legacy Plan for the Burtonsville, East County, Community Legacy Area.

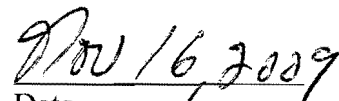
This is a correct copy of Council action:



Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council



Isiah Leggett, County Executive



Date