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Daytime Meeting Planned To Gain Input on Tysons Park Plan

Do you work in Tysons? If so, we really want to hear your thoughts on what park and recreational opportunities should exist in the Tysons of the future. Please stop in and meet with Fairfax County Park Authority planning staff at the Tysons Parks Open House, Thursday, May 29, 2014 from 12:15 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. Stop in and learn about park planning for the Tysons area. This is a great opportunity to tell planners what you want to see. The informal gathering will be held at Tysons Pimmit Regional Library located at 7584 Leesburg Pike in Falls Church, Va.

The Park Authority published the Draft Tysons Park System Concept Plan last month, putting in motion the opportunity for public review and comment on this planning document. The Tysons Park System Concept Plan will guide future park development by the public, private and non-profit sectors that will serve Tyson's residents, workforce and visitors well into the future. The plan is available online at www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/plandev/tysons-park-planning.htm. A 60-day public comment period closes on June 16, 2014.

Creating an urban park system as Tysons transforms to the county's downtown will require vision, collaboration, and a plan. A connected network of urban parks will help to distinguish Tysons from other urban areas and bring benefits to the local economy as well as improving the quality of life. For more information about the plan, call Andi Dorlester at 703-324-8692 or visit online.

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