

Fairfax County's Resident Curator Program Initial Public Meeting for Mt. Gilead – June 20, 2023



Program Overview

- Fairfax County RCP Ordinance- Chapter 125
- Properties must be listed on County Inventory of Historic Sites
- National standards for treatment of historic properties
- Reasonable public access

Historic Structure Report & Treatment Plan

- Third-party professional report
- Outlines required improvements with cost estimates
- Forms basis of the curator's workplan
- Used to determine length of lease
- Available to view on RCP website

RCP Process, Public Comment Opportunities

- 60- Day Application Period
- Financial Review, Dept of Finance
- Evaluation Team Review,
 30 Day Public Comment Period
- Leasing Process,
 30 Day BOS Public Comment Period



Curator Selection Criteria

- Proposed Reuse
- Scope & Nature of Public Benefit & Access
- Rehabilitation Plan
- Experience & Qualifications
- Overall Presentation & Organization
- Public Response



RCP Highlights

• Four Leased Properties

Left to right, Top to Bottom
Stempson House, Lorton
Turner Farmhouse, Great Falls
Hannah P. Clark/ Enyedi, Lorton
Ellmore Farmhouse, Herndon

• Over \$1 Million in improvements







Source: 2021 HSR

Mt Gilead House

5634 Mount Gilead House Road, Centreville

- Circa 1785 Built as combined tavern & residence
- 1830s-1930s Jamesson family resides in house
- 1935 Alvin C. Detwiler restoration of the house
- 1950s Two additions by then owners Winants



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- Open House
 Saturday June 24th, 10am to 2pm
- Additional Public Meetings to be scheduled TBD
- Application Period Summer 2023 TBD
- Upcoming Roof Replacement, 2023-2024



Questions?