Community Revitalization Update on EIP, Urban Design, and Placemaking Initiatives

Economic Initiatives Committee

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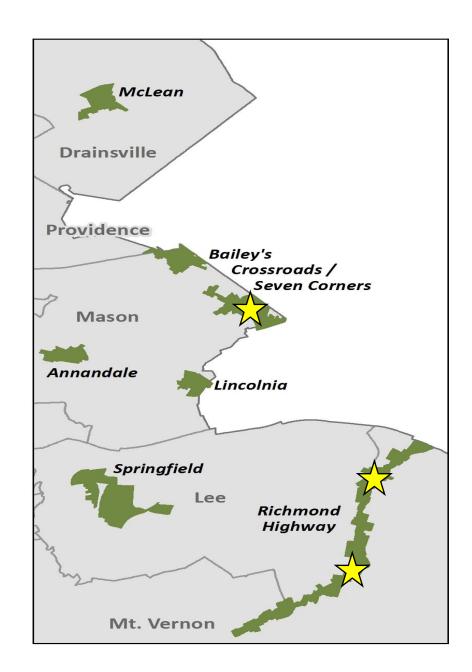
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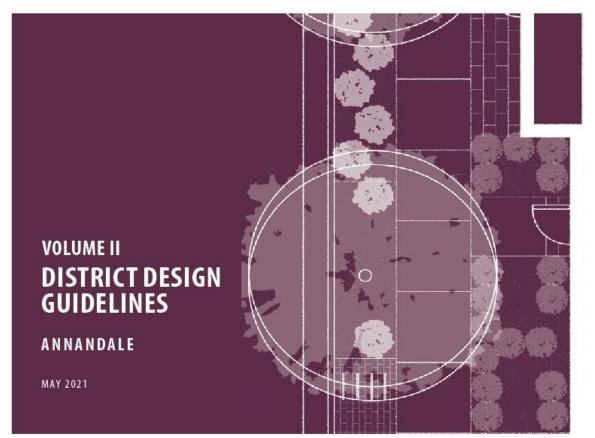
Economic Incentive Program (EIP)

- Program Establishment September 2020
- Three applications submitted to date:
 - Skyline Buildings 1, 2 & 3 approved March 2021
 - Alexandria Crossing scheduled for February 2022
 - Mt. Vernon Gateway anticipated in spring 2022
- Enhanced targeted EIP Area outreach to commence in early 2022

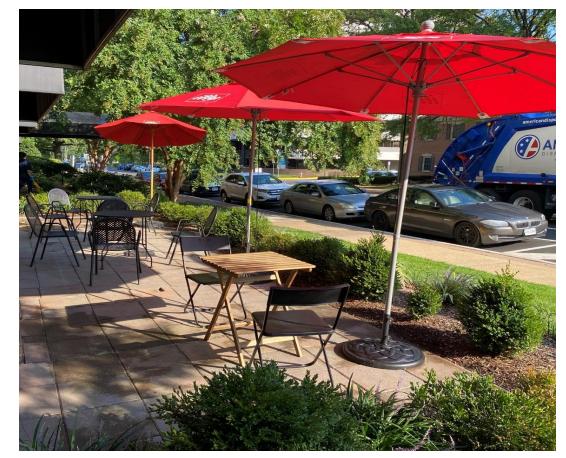


Urban Design Guidelines

Annandale District Design Guidelines BOS Endorsed in June 2021



McLean District Design Guidelines Kick-off in January 2022



Urban Design Guidelines

- A. Better streetscape. More trees.
- B. Eliminated dead-end in favor of a complete street network.
- C. Building relocated to screen the garage.
- D. Improved pedestrian connections and building layout
- E. Minimized unsightly loading and trash areas
- F. Individual resident entrances activate the street



Improving Streetscape Outcomes -Street Trees and Streetlights

- A. Developing more urban standards to meet the needs of a growing county.
- B. Working with Urban Forestry on urban tree planting designs and species selection to ensure more trees thrive.
- C. Working with LDS and DPWES to increase streetlight options to meet community placemaking goals. Designating a district streetlight standard for each area.



Stormwater Design Enhancements





Public Space Development & Activation

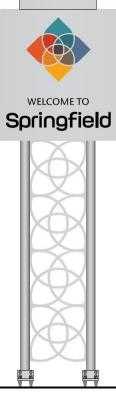


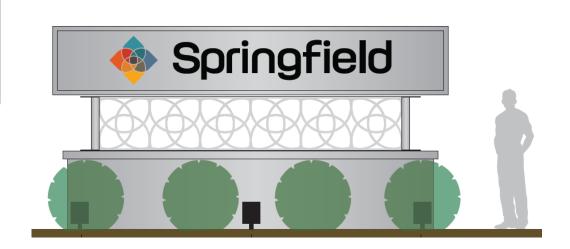




Branding and Wayfinding







Maker Network Support & Marketing



Communications & Opportunity Sharing

Maker Meet-Ups Summer & holiday markets Tysons DreamStart Competition winner(*Bisnonna Bakeshop*)

Holiday Gift Guide Promotions

Visit Fairfax blog Facebook, Instagram, Nextdoor Supervisor's newsletters

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Logo licensing Trademark registration (Commonwealth of Virginia)

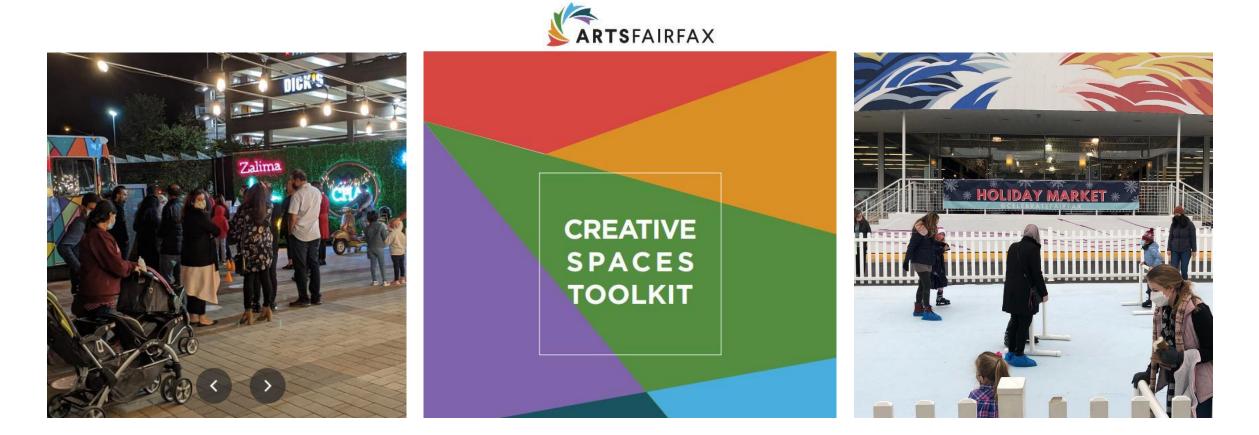




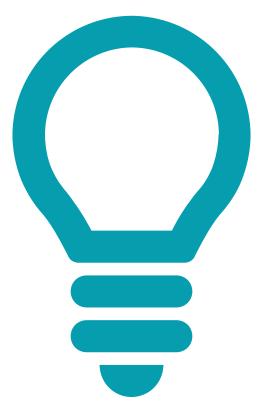


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Pop-Up Support & Creative Places Toolkit



- Cha Tea House at Springfield Town Center (DPD & LDS)
- Creative Spaces Toolkit (Arts Fairfax)
- Holiday Markets at the PARC (Celebrate Fairfax)



Future Innovations

Underpass Lighting & Art Concept

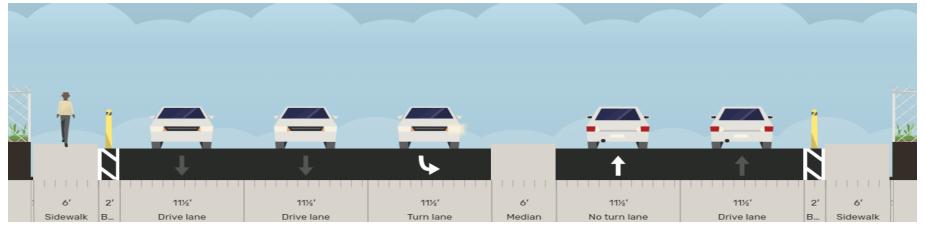
Placemaking opportunity to improve pedestrian underpass with public art, branding and lighting





Concept for Lane Diets & Pedestrian Improvements









Opportunities for Murals

- Annandale Civic Park Site
- Richmond Highway -Commercial Property









Q&A

