

WORK SESSION OF THE GREENBELT CITY COUNCIL held Wednesday, July 16, 2014, for a Review of FY 2015 Capital Projects.

Mayor Jordan started the meeting at 8:10 p.m. It was held in the Multi-purpose Room of the Community Center.

PRESENT WERE: Councilmembers Konrad E. Herling, Leta M. Mach, Silke I. Pope, Edward V.J. Putens, Rodney M. Roberts, Mayor pro tem Judith F. Davis and Mayor Emmett V. Jordan.

STAFF PRESENT WERE: Michael P. McLaughlin, City Manager and David E. Moran, Assistant City Manager.

ALSO PRESENT WERE: Brian Gibbons, Bill Orleans and Eugene Trapeznikov, Prince George's Sentinel.

Capital Projects

Mr. Moran briefed Council on the status of Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 and 2015 capital projects. The update included a preliminary end of year financial report on the various capital project funds and a schedule chart for the FY 2015 projects. It was noted that the gas tank project at the Police Station and Public Works facility was complete, and the theater renovation and Safe Routes to School projects were underway. There was discussion of the status of the Community Development Block Grant projects and the need to stay on top of these projects.

A variety of questions were raised about projects. Council asked that the long waiting gateway signage proposal be brought back for review. It was noted that the Park and Recreation Advisory Board has begun work on reviewing the Attick Park Master Plan for updating. In review of the 2001 Bond Fund, the \$100,000 County grant obtained by County Council member Turner was acknowledged.

It was noted that Phase II of the theater renovation project should not be allowed to linger and that a successful renovation and opening/operation would possibly help generate financial support.

There was discussion of requesting a State capital grant for the lake dredging project in the coming legislative session.

Mr. Orleans and Mr. Trapeznikov asked a number of questions on the status of projects that have carried over from FY 2014 to 2015.

The meeting ended at 9:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

*Michael McLaughlin
City Manager*