Expressing Your Opinion

The most important county-level government bodies that have authority over development projects are:

- Montgomery County Government, the executive branch
- Montgomery County Council, the legislative branch
- Montgomery County Planning Board, part of the Maryland-National Capitol Parks and Planning commission (M-NPPC)

Residents of Montgomery County can express their opinions about development projects, or any other issue, to each of these organizations as described below.

Contacting the Montgomery County Government

See: https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcg/contactus.html

Contacting the Montgomery County Council

For Council agendas, see:

 $\underline{https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/COUNCIL/Resources/Files/agenda/col/Current_agenda.pdf}$

To view or listen to Council and Committee sessions live or archived, see: https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/COUNCIL/ondemand/index.html

Petitions or other written material may be:

- Presented to the Clerk at the time of the hearing
- Emailed to County.Council@montgomerycountymd.gov
- Mailed to

Montgomery County Council Council Office Building 100 Maryland Avenue Rockville, MD 20850

 Delivered to Montgomery County Council Council Office Building 100 Maryland Avenue Rockville, MD 20850

Contacting the Montgomery County Planning Board

The Planning Board encourages public participation at its meetings. See: http://www.montgomeryplanning.org/development/development_manual/documents/HowtoeffectivelyparticipateinreviewingdevelopmentapplicationsinMontgomeryCountyRev3.pdf

Residents may consult the Planning Board Agenda page to view upcoming agendas and to sign up to testify at hearings. For agendas, see: http://montgomeryplanningboard.org/agendas/

Comments/opinions may be submitted as:

- Written comments to the Planning Board, sent to mcp-chair@mncppc-mc.org at least 24 hours in advance of a hearing date.
- Phone call to the Commissioners' Office at 301-495-4605.