

PLANNING DIRECTORS TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Friday, July 21, 2023 10:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

Webinar Only - No In-Person Meeting

AGENDA

10:00 A.M. 1. WELCOME, INTRODUCTIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sakina Khan, Office of Planning, District of Columbia, Co-Chair, Anthony Fusarelli, Jr., Department of Community Planning, Housing & Development, Arlington County, Co-Chair

- Housing Affordability Planning Program (HAPP) Grant Applications
- Region Forward Coalition Meeting July 28
- Other announcements? (Committee members)

10:10 A.M. 2. COG MILITARY INSTALLATION RESILIENCE REVIEW (MIRR)

Jeff King, COG Climate, Energy and Air Programs Director, Department of Environmental Program

Mr. King will brief the Committee on COG's Military Installation Resilience Review (MIRR). The MIRR identifies hazards and vulnerabilities in communities surrounding four military installations in Washington, D.C. that could impact the military's ability to carry out its missions on-base, and outlines actions to address these vulnerabilities.

10:35 A.M. 3. BRIEFING ON THE SW/BUZZARD POINT FLOOD RESILIENCE STRATEGY

Andrea Limauro, Environmental Protection Specialist, Department of Energy and Environment, District of Columbia

The SW/Buzzard Point Flood Resilience Strategy has designed an integrated network of Blue/Green Infrastructure (BGI) to protect the SW and the Buzzard Point communities from interior flooding due to extreme rain events. The Strategy's implementation is already partially funded through a mix of local and FEMA funding which will be used to redesign two large parks next to several public housing communities.

11:00 A.M. 4. BEST PRACTICES IN EQUITY, RESILIENCE, AND ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE

Dr. Melissa Keeley, Director, Environmental Studies Program, The George Washington University

Dr. Keeley will introduce innovative strategies that cities across the US have used to increase community resilience—which a focus on equity- and to increase environmental justices in their communities.

11:25 A.M. 5. 2022 COG'S COMMERCIAL CONSTRUCTION INDICATORS REPORT

John Kent, Regional Planner, DCPS/COG Staff

Mr. Kent will provide a briefing on the 2022 Commercial Construction report that provides information on the number, location, structure type, and size of new commercial development projects in metropolitan Washington.

11:50 A.M. 6. OTHER BUSINESS

12:00 P.M. 7. ADJOURN

The next Planning Directors meeting is scheduled for Friday September 15, 2023