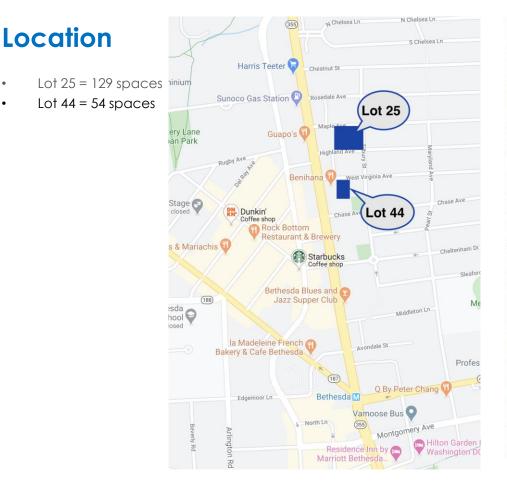


Public Parking Lot 25 and Lot 44 Development Listening Session August 19, 2020

# Agenda

- Developer Interest-RFP Process
- Zoning
- Bethesda Downtown Plan
  - Urban Parks
- Bethesda Parking Demand Study





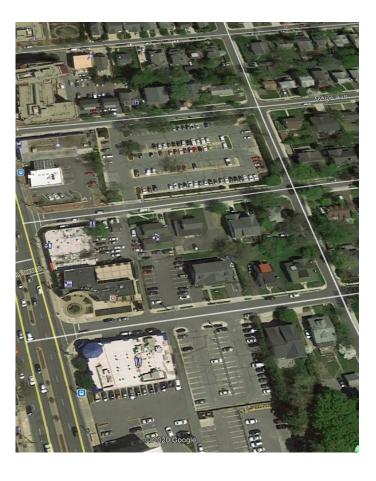




### Request for Development Proposal Process

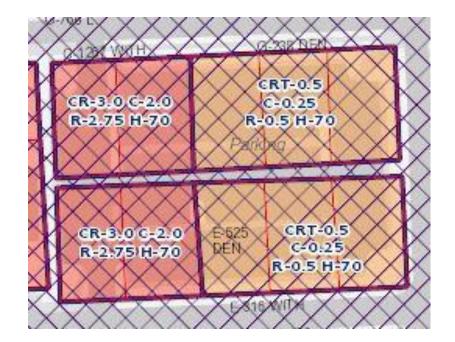
- Received interest from multiple developers.
- RFP Process
  - Expected release date
    - Summer/fall 2020
  - Length of Process
    - 3 month from release to submission
    - 3 month review of proposals
  - Submission Requirements
    - Fair Market Value of Land
    - Consistent with the Approved Bethesda Sector Plan, including Eastern Greenway
    - Replacement of Public Parking and providing adequate private parking for development
      - » Lot 25 = 129 spaces
      - » Lot 44 = 53 spaces
      - » Total = 182 spaces
      - » (ask for up to 200 spaces)
  - Disposition of Real Property
    - County Code 11B.45.01
    - 6 months





## Zoning-Lot 25

- Split Zoning
- Parcel 1- Commercial Residential Town (CRT)
  - Floor Area Ratio = 0.5 CRT
  - Commercial = 0.25
  - Residential = 0.50
  - Maximum Building Height= 70 Feet
  - Property Size = 36,000 sq. ft.
- Parcel 2- Commercial Residential (CR)
  - Floor Area Ratio = 3.0 CR
  - Commercial = 2.0
  - Residential = 2.75
  - Maximum Building Height= 70 Feet
  - Property Size = 24,000 sq. ft.





## Zoning-Lot 44

- Commercial Residential (CR)
  - Floor Area Ratio = 3.0 CR
  - Commercial = 2.0
  - Residential = 2.75
  - Maximum Building Height= 70 Feet
  - Property Size = 17,500 sq. ft.





#### **Bethesda Parking Demand**

Lots 25 & 44

- Combined capacity of 183 spaces
  - FY20 peak utilization: 54%
  - Saturday peak utilization: 74%
  - Vehicles per day: 280 to 380
- Future Development Scenarios
  - Pipeline Projects Approx. 6.3 million SF
    - PLD would experience mild parking shortage even with incremental increase in modal split
  - Full Build-Out Additional approx.
    2.7 million SF
    - PLD would experience significant parking shortage even if 55% modal split is attained
  - Bethesda PLD will be strongly dependent on privately-owned parking facilities to support pipeline projects and a full-build out scenario





Figure 2.22: Urban Parks Hierarchy

## **Bethesda Downtown Plan**

- Eastern Greenway
- Lot 25
  - Active Recreation Destination
    - Definition-
      - Active recreation destinations located within or near the plan area, including courts, playgrounds, and lawn areas large enough for pick up soccer, festivals or events, etc.
- Lo† 44
  - Neighborhood Green
    - Definition-
      - These parks will provide small-scale neighborhood recreational opportunities and act as green buffers for the community on the eastern side of the Bethesda Downtown Sector Plan boundary.
- "The parking needs of neighborhood businesses that rely on these lots should be addressed and parking replaced where necessary".





Questions & Comments?

