



DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Isiah Leggett
County Executive

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Arthur Holmes, Jr.
Director

Mr. Henriot St. Gerard, Chair
Wheaton Urban District Advisory Committee
Wheaton, Maryland

Dear Mr. St. Gerard:

Thank you for your letter to Mr. Isiah Leggett regarding your concerns about the Town Square in the Wheaton Redevelopment Project. Mr. Leggett has asked me to respond to you on his behalf.

First, allow me to say how much I appreciate your Committee's and your personal support for this project. As you know, this is a highly complex program and your support has been crucial in focusing the Community's concerns for our actions. We have been able to accommodate most of the Community's feedback thus far and will continue to work with the Community through the design and construction process.

That being said, we will need to evaluate your recommendation regarding Reddie Drive. There are many complexities associated with the closure of a Master Planned street in the County. However, as part of our detail project development, we will be conduct a comprehensive review and traffic study to fully understand the impact of the suggested closure on the surrounding traffic network before a final decision can be made.

Thank you again for writing. We will continue to keep your Committee and the Community updated on the Wheaton Redevelopment Project, including this important issue, as we continue to move forward. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at al.roshdieh@montgomerycountymd.gov or by phone at 240-777-7175.

Regards,



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Deputy Director

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