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PRESS RELEASE: For Immediate Release Carroll County to Begin Accepting Applications for the Finksburg Facade Improvement Program April 1st

Westminster, MD, Tuesday, March 15, 2022 –Carroll County is pleased to announce it will begin accepting applications for the Finksburg Facade Improvement Program (FIP) on Friday, April 1, 2022.

The Carroll County Department of Planning, in conjunction with the Finksburg Planning and Citizens' Council, was awarded <u>\$50,000</u> from the State of Maryland for a Facade Improvement Program. FIP offers matching grant funds to eligible property and business owners in the Finksburg Sustainable Community to improve the appearance of building facades and signs.

Goals of the program are to:

»Encourage renovation of building facades and signs

»Improve the appearance of the Finksburg Corridor

»Leverage private improvements by making revitalization efforts affordable and community based »Preserve and enhance economic vitality of commercial services

FIP offers an incentive dollar amount of up to 50% of the total cost of building facade and sign improvements in return for the owners' 50% or greater investment; up to a maximum match of \$10,000 per application.

For more information about the program, including application deadlines, eligible applicants and improvements, and how to apply, visit <u>www.FinksburgFIP.org</u> or contact the Carroll County Department of Planning at (410) 386-5145. FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE, Contact: Chris Winebrenner, 410-386-2043

FPACC Elections:

The list of candidates is as follows:

President: Skip Boyles Jr Vice President: Open Secretary: Christopher Gayo Treasurer: Sissy (Alice) Altstatt Communications Director: Michael Davis Members at Large (4 maximum): Dennis Raver, Mark Fraser

Nominations are now closed.

Membership Dues:

A reminder that it's time to pay *2021* membership dues. To join or renew with our group, it only costs \$10 per family and \$25 for businesses. We accept <u>online payments</u> and checks. Please use the <u>membership page</u>. Business members are welcome to schedule a short presentation about their business at a general membership meeting. Dues are optional, but appreciated. Thanks for your help and support.

Further information can be found on our website, <u>http://www.finksburg.org</u>.

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