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## **Commissioners Set Date for Freedom Plan Public Hearing**

**Westminster, MD, Thursday, September 13, 2018** – Today, the Board of County Commissioners (BCC) completed their work on the Freedom Community Comprehensive Plan and voted to take the plan to Public Hearing on Wednesday, October 3, 2018. The hearing will be held at the South Carroll Senior Center at 7:00 p.m.

Today, the Board completed a review of all the remaining language in the plan to ensure consistency and completion. Additionally, the BCC voted to add a section to the plan entitled "Priority Implementation Steps" which identify six specific steps to execute the plan. At the end of the session the BCC voted (4-1, Frazier dissenting) to accept the changes discussed as the proposed Freedom Plan as well as voting (5-0) to move the plan to public hearing on October 3<sup>rd</sup>.

An updated map is available on the www.freedomareaplan.org.

The following date is scheduled for further discussion:

10/3/2018

Public Hearing South Carroll Senior Center 5928 Mineral Hill Rd, Eldersburg 7:00 p.m.

Following the public hearing, the commissioners will vote on the plan on or before October 22, 2018.

Related updates and information appear on the <u>www.freedomareaplan.org</u> website and citizens are encouraged to review the site's content and monitor the page for any updates or changes. Please check the Carroll County Government meeting calendar website or call the County Commissioners' Office at 410-386-2043 for any updates.

Also, most meetings will be streamed and all meetings archived on the <u>county meeting portal</u> and <u>YouTube</u> <u>channel</u>. In addition, all meetings will be broadcast live and replayed on Comcast Channel 24.

Any citizen unable to attend a public comment session is encouraged to send comments via email to <u>commissioners@carrollcountymd.gov</u> or by mail to: Carroll County Commissioners, 225 N. Center Street, Westminster, MD, 21157.

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