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Dear County Executive and Staff,

The Rockville Mayor and Council are taking this opportunity to follow-up on two important matters regarding the County's proposed Restoration Center Project at the Seven Locks Road site.

Thank you for providing written answers to questions raised by the Mayor and Council and the community at the County's October 6, 2022 public forum concerning the proposed Restoration Center Project. Since the response was not shared with the Seven Locks Road Alliance and the broader community, we request that the County share this important information with our residents as soon as possible.

In every letter and telephone communication with staff, plus our letter dated December 6, 2022, we asked the County to provide a date for the next community meeting and next steps for engagement with the public. According to publicly stated comments by the County, the next community forum was supposed to occur in two to three months after the October 6 meeting. Five months have passed since the October meeting. We are concerned about this extensive delay, and implore the County to provide an expedited meeting date and venue as soon as possible.

We wish to continue the positive dialogue with the County on its plans for the proposed Restoration Center, including alternative locations. The Mayor and Council seek a timely response to these urgent requests. The Rockville community is eager for additional information and further opportunity to engage with the County on this critical issue.

The City looks forward to hearing from you soon.

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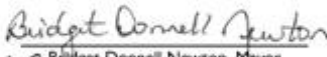

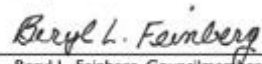
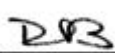
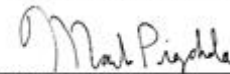
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Sincerely,

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