

Meeting Agenda Taneytown Comprehensive Plan Update

Date: May 20, 2025
Time: 6:30 pm
Location: Taneytown City Hall – 17 E. Baltimore Street
Invited Attendees: City of Taneytown (ttadmin@taneytown.org)
Jim Wieprecht, City Manager (jawieprecht@taneytownmd.gov)
Craig Kologie, CVC/Arro Consulting (cakologie@casval.com) (attending virtually)

1. **Review Draft Plans (60 minutes)**
 - **Economic Development, Historic and Cultural Resources, Public Safety and Community Wellbeing, and Intergovernmental Coordination**
2. **Next Steps**
 - **(ARRO) Adjust plans based on feedback**
3. **Next Meeting**
 - **May 20, 2025**
 - **Develop Housing and Community Design, Water Resources Element, and Implementation & Fiscal Responsibility plans**

For reference when we are discussing the Downtown Area Map and other elements of the goal, the Taneytown Vision is written below:

Taneytown will continue to embrace its small-town charm and strong sense of community while fostering sustainable growth, economic vitality, and enhanced quality of life for all residents, businesses, and visitors. The City will be a vibrant, well-connected community that balances historic preservation, modern development, and environmental stewardship.

A revitalized downtown will serve as the economic and cultural heart of the community, offering a mix of thriving local businesses, diverse housing options, and public spaces that encourage gathering and engagement. Thoughtfully planned residential and commercial growth will ensure affordability, accessibility, and walkability, while preserving the City's unique character.



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Taneytown will strengthen its multi-modal transportation network, prioritizing safe pedestrian and bicycle access while improving vehicular traffic flow. Green infrastructure, renewable energy, and sustainable water resource management will play a vital role in protecting the environment.

Through collaboration with local, county, and state partners, Taneytown will expand economic opportunities, attract new industries and businesses, and create a resilient and diverse economy. The City will champion community engagement, ensuring that residents have a voice in shaping its future.